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SELLS HIS REAL ESTATE BUSINESS

Chas. Johnson to Devote Time to Public Office

Charles E. Decker of Wollaston, a former newspaper man, has taken over the real estate business of Charles H. Johnson and will continue in the same office in the Adams building.

Mr. Johnson gives up his real estate and auction business in order to give his entire time to his increasing duties as Truant officer.. He will have his office in the school committee rooms in the Hancock Chambers. Mr. Johnson has occupied the Adams Building office for nearly 20 years and many a good sized business deal was put through there and many a politician including Mayors and mayoralty candidates called for advice.

The giving up of his office will afford Mr. Johnson more time for his lectures which he intends to continue, also for his large insurance business as well as more time for recreation and personal pleasure which he surely deserves.

MARY RICHARDSON KEITH.

Mrs. Mary Richardson Keith, mother of Arthur Keith, geologist, died at her home in Twentieth street Washington, D. C. Monday evening.

Mrs. Keith was the daughter of Jacob Richardson of Boston, and was born July 30, 1836, in Woburn, Mass. She was graduated from Antioch College, at Yellow Springs, Ohio, in 1859, an unusual honor for a woman of her day, her class being the first of women to complete a collegiate course in this country. She was the widow of Harrison A. Keith who was prominent in educational and municipal affairs of Quincy, Mass. Mrs. Keith was deeply versed in history and music, and especially interested in botany and horticulture, as well as other scientific affairs. She was from the beginning a member of the Twentieth Century Club of Washington.

She is survived by two sons, Arthur Keith, an unmarried son, over whose home in this city she presided, and George P. Keith of Hudson, Mass.

Arthur Keith is well known in Washington, where he has lived for twenty-five years, being a geologist of prominence, attached to the Geological Survey.—The Washington Times.

DREDGING PROGRESSES.

Now 18 Feet of Water in Channel of Fore River.

Work dredging the channel of the Fore River on the Weymouth side which has been going on under the direction of the Directors of the Port of Boston has been completed so that there is now eighteen feet of water in the channel at mean low water.

Friday an attempt was made by the dredgers to remove the rock near the channel close to the wharf of C. Patch & Son. Several barges have scraped against this rock and the Directors of the Port of Boston decided to remove it while the work of dredging was in progress. The dredger however was unable to locate it. It was announced that the Directors' engineer would come to Quincy and locate the rock so that it may be removed.

JOHNSON WINS ELECTION.

Recount Dissolves Tie Over Treasurer of Carmen.

A recount of the votes cast at the election of Quincy branch of the Street and Electric Car Employees to determine the winner of the tie for office of financial secretary-treasurer has resulted in the election of H. G. Johnson of the Quincy barn over A. L. Blanchard. Robert Egan, who ran third made a gain of five votes and Blanchard lost three. Another change resulted in Frank Pitts supplanting Patrick Dennehy on the executive board.

There was
on Thursday
Mrs. George
at which

VOTE $100 TO G. A. R. FUND

Record Appropriation For Local Patriotic Organization

The largest amount ever appropriated for patriotic purposes by any organization in the city was made by Col. Abner Packard camp 95, Sons of Veterans, Friday night when it voted to contribute $100 to the relief of the Grand Army Post of this city.

The action ratified the pledge of Frank Chubbuck, following his conference with members who attended the meeting in the council chamber Monday night when the Grand Army Relief Association was formed.

The money will be turned over to Walter E. Piper treasurer of the association.

That association will be incorporated and a meeting of those to sign the articles will be held tonight.

TWELFTH NIGHT REVELS.

A Frolic for Young And Old Promised at this Year's Revels.

The Twelfth Night Revels! That is the next good time to which everybody is looking forward. The Revels is a family party. All the members of the family go and the young people dance and so do the older members of the family. No one feels out of place or put by. Girls can go without a young man to take them there, as is the case at the more conventional dances.

The Revels is a frolic. People have learned that and look forward from year to year to this happy event, when every one is young for that night at least. It is a mental tonic. It is restful because the management has succeeded in providing an evening of pure clean fun; an evening when care is thrown aside and mirth and merriment prevail.

No one knows exactly what is to happen in the way of fun. That is the secret which the committee keeps, but everyone who has attended the Revels knows the quality of the entertainment and is expectant and never disappointed. Each year the committee thinks up new stunts and features to surpass those of other years, if possible, in jollity.

The aim of the committee is to give everyone the best time he ever had and more than his money's worth, but underneath all this is the desire to raise money for charitable purposes. Last year's earnings from the Revels ran the children's summer gardens and gave them prizes for their produce. Besides that, this same money paid for the Community Christmas tree. So when the statement "Be Thine intents Charitable" appears on the tickets and posters, it has a significance.

SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL.

The Swedish Congregational church Sunday School held its annual election of officers and Watch party in the church Thursday evening with a large attendance.

Rev. C. O. Lindberg was chosen vice superintendent. Other officers are E. Granlund, secretary; Carl Anderson, treasurer; Eric A. Carlson, organist; Miss Esther Danielson, director of singing and Pahl Palmgren, assistant director.

The Watch party commenced at 10.30. Rev. A. G. Sporrong spoke on "Preparation for Eternity" and with Mrs. Sporrong and Mrs. J. A. Sutherland, rendered trio selections. The congregation joined in singing, testimony and prayer of a devotional character. Silent prayer ushered in the New Year.

SCHMIDT—SPAIN.

Adams Schmidt and Ethel Spain, both of Boston, were married in this city, Dec. 22. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, at his home. The groom is a chauffeur and lives at
street. His bride is

BOARD OF HEALTH ON WAR PATH

Investigate South Street Boarding House

The board of health went on the war path Friday investigating a boarding house in the Fore River district of which an anonymous complaint had been made. The complaint was made in a letter written to a Boston paper, evidently from one of the boarders in the house. This newspaper sent the letter to Mayor Whiton who promptly directed the board of health to investigate.

The premises in question are at 500 South street. It is an old fashioned house and used as a boarding house for Fore River workmen. The board of health found that there were fifteen rooms in the building in which twenty men were accommodated. They did not find the rooms overcrowded but did find that they were not over clean and orders were given to clean the premises.

The letter also complained as to the quality of the food served saying that better food was served in the state's prison and that the coffee was like dishwater. The board of health found that while the food might have not been such as is served in first class hotels, they found no indications of its being impure food.

MEDALS FOR HEROES.

The Vera Cruz heroes will receive their medals of honor at New York Wednesday. The presentations will be made by Josephus Daniels, secretary, of the navy, aboard the battleship Florida.

Among those who will be thus honored will be Edward Gisburne of this city who volunteered to go ashore with the first landing party and had his leg so badly shattered with a snipers bullet that it was amputated a few hours later.

Gisburne, when wounded, was preparing to signal the Florida but despite his wounds attempted to draw Corporal Hagerty of Cambridge to a place of safety after he had been shot. When located by a searching party which included Daniel Coughlin of Braintree, Gisburne was in serious condition.

Gisburne was the wireless operator of the Florida and was the first to volunteer to go ashore. Capt. Rush accepted his services. The medal of honor was awarded by congress at the instance of Rear Admiral Fletcher who advised the navy department of his extraordinary conduct while under fire. In addition to a medal of honor congress voted him a gratuity of $100, and since then, through an executive order of President Wilson, has been given a non-competitive examination and is now a permanent appointee of the postal department.

EX-MAYORS WILL BE THERE.

It is expected that all of the living ex-mayors of the city will be present at the inauguration night banquet Monday evening at the New American house Boston. Henry O. Fairbanks, Charles M. Bryant, John O. Hall, Eugene R. Stone and Joseph L. Whiton have signified their intentions of attending. The only other living ex-mayor is Hon. Russell A. Sears, and it is thought possible that he may be able to attend. Others who have signified their intentions of attending are Representatives Sandberg and Ericson, Senator Langelier and ex-Senator William J. Leslie. The latter is coming from Worcester to attend.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Hulda Glant was held from her home at 44 Curtis street this afternoon and was attended by a delegation of members from the Skandinavian Brother of America, Quincy lodge, of which society her husband, Axel Glant, is an officer. Services were at the Swedish Lutheran church and were
Rev. Leander

WHITE SLAVERS GET JAIL TERM

Superior Court Reaffirms Sentences Imposed Here

Charles Palrey and Flora Adams, arrested for violating the state white slave act in Quincy, were found guilty by a jury in the Superior Court at Dedham Friday after five minutes deliberation.

Judge DuBuque reaffirmed the sentence of the lower court and sent the girl to Sherburne for an indefinite term and Palrey was given eight months in the House of Correction. Pitroni, who took a years sentence given by Judge Avery was brought into court on a capias as a witness for the defense, but his testimony strongly favored the government's case.

Asst. Dist. Atty. Katzmann said Pitroni was given only a year because the case was disposed of so quickly the police had not learned his record. Since Pitroni was the instigator Mr. Katzmann asked for a lighter sentence for Palrey.

HOSPITAL AID.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Etta M. Prescott and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur.

1st Vice President—Mrs. George Macfarlane.

2d Vice President—Mrs. Frank A. Page.

3rd Vice President—Miss M. Gertrude Sampson.

Secretary—Mrs. Arthur S. Townsend.

Treasurer—Miss Etta M. Prescott.

The president, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur, submitted her annual report as follows: The Hospital Aid Association has not had its regular number of meetings the past year. The annual meeting was held Jan. 29, as Christmas came on the regular date. In February our very good friend, Dr. Welch, died, and his funeral was held on the day of the regular meeting, so that out of great respect to him the meeting was omitted.

During the year we have supplied the Hospital with the following:—68 linen table covers, 22 roller towels, 28 night shirts, 13 made by the Wollaston Alliance, 15 by the Guild of Christ church; 6 dozen sheets; 3 dozen dimity spreads; 1 dozen pairs bath blankets; 1 and one-half dozen bath towels; 50 womens' T bandages; 3 dozen napkins; 6 table cloths for nurses' dining room, 1 dozen bureau covers; 1 dozen wash stand covers; 1 dozen wash stand covers for lower shelf of stand and 1 dozen tray cloths.

Twelve new members have joined the Association,. During the summer recess, with the able assistance of some of the ladies of the Association, your President gave an informal dance at the Quincy Yacht Club which netted $70. for the Association. It was a success socially as well as financially.

Miss Hill, Superintendent of the Hospital, entertained the ladies at the September meeting. No sewing was done and many of the members availed themselves of the opportunity of visiting the wards, operating rooms and kitchens. It was a most enjoyable afternoon.

At the graduation of the nurses in September, as is the custom, the ladies of the Association gave the four graduating nurses the Quincy Hospital pin.

This year we have established a new custom which, I am sure, will always give pleasure. At the November meeting it was voted to give $10. with which to purchase ropes of laurel to decorate the wards, halls, etc at the Hospital. A committee of four ladies with your President visited the Hospital the Tuesday morning before Christmas and made the surroundings assume a Christmas aspect. The patients seemed most appreciative and
was a labor of love
mur, Pre

LONG TERMS IN PRISON

Sentence O'Neil and Earle for Quincy Break

William O'Neil and Arthur Earle, found guilty by a jury on a charge of breaking and entering the store of Joyce Bros. & Co. were sentenced in the Superior Court at Dedham Friday. O'Neil was given three years in the House of Correction and Earle was given from three to five years in State prison.

Judge DuBuque in imposing sentence said he was genuinely sorry for the mother of Earle and the wife of O'Neil. Both men took the sentence courageously and in leaving the room shook hands with Capt. Daniel R. McKay and Inspector Alfred W. Goodhue whose investigations resulted in their arrest and conviction.

Earle stands indicted on a charge of breaking and entering at Remick Bros. and the case has been continued

UNION SERVICES IN THREE CHURCHES

Beginning Jan. 10 three churches of the city commence an evangelistic campaign, services to be held for a week in each church.

The churches interested in the movement are the Swedish M. E., Swedish Congregational and Swedish Baptist. Union meetings will be held on three successive Sunday evenings and during the weeks. The campaign will close Jan. 29.

OLD FASHIONED SING.

H. Everett Crane, Master of Rural Masonic lodge, in wishing the members of the lodge a Happy New Year announces a pleasing entertainment for the first 1915 communication next Thursday evening. The entertainment will be given at 8.15 immediately following the regular meeting. The contributors will be Miss Edith S. Roubound, violinist, Mrs. Alice Barton Willard, soprano soloist; Miss Marie J. Clouer, of the Leland Powers school of oratory, reader and Miss Agnes Olson, accompanist.

Following the entertainment the brethren will assemble in the banquet room where there will be an old fashioned sing. Bro. Elmer F. Ricker will preside at the piano and Bro. Albert L. Hayden will lead the singing An enjoyable evening is therefore promised.

OBSERVES SEVENTH BIRTHDAY.

Miss Gwendolyn Ellis entertained a number of young friends New Years day in observance of her seventh birthday. Guests from out of town were Miss Ruth Adams of Somerville, Master Lloyd and Ruth McLaughlin of Roxbury, Misses Jane and Emily Whitten of Weymouth, Miss Violet and Master Ian Walker of West Somerville. Misses Elizabeth and Marjorie Small, Miss Hester McFague Misses Marion and Dorothy Hallett and Miss Marie McDonald of Wollaston helped make up a very happy coterie of young folk.

HOUGHS NECK ASSOCIATES.

Walter H. Buchan has been chosen president of the Houghs Neck Associates. The organization, formed two years ago is in flourishing condition and has gradually increased in membership. The officers:

President—Walter H. Buchan.

Vice Presidents—Patrick F. O'Brien Wallace Higgins.

Secretary—Hiram G. Darrow.

Treasurer—J. L. Rogers.

Directors at large—Frank Coughlin, Richard D. Ring, Charles R. Nason.

Ward directors—James E. Wall, Eugene Kimball.

Auditors—Michael Coughlin, Patrick O'Brien.

PRESENT $750 FOR PURCHASE OF AUTO

Parishioners Surprise Rev. and Mrs. Willmott

New Years Reception to Pastor and His Wife Largely Attended

A check for $750 for the purchase of an automobile was presented to Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott at the New Years reception given them in the chapel of Bethany Congregational church. The gift, which represented the total contributed by the parishioners, came as a complete surprise to the pastor and his wife.

The presentation was made by Delcevare King, who told of the "idea which came into the mind of Everett Crane a few days ago" and which had become reality in the shape of the cashier's check on the National Mt. Wollaston bank. He spoke of the deep regard which the parishioners had for Rev. and Mrs. Willmott and expressed the appreciation of the parishioners for the work which the pastor and his wife were doing in the church and in the community.

The reception began at eight o'clock and a large throng of parishioners were escorted into the room where Rev. and Mrs. Willmott were standing. For an hour or more the long line wended its way by the leaders of Bethany church. About 9.15 p. m. the people were summoned to one end of the room by Mr. King's "Draw Near." Unsuspecting the nature of what was to come Rev. and Mrs. Willmott looked curiously, and perhaps a little nervously, at the happy throng which filled the east half of the chapel.

As Mr. King concluded he presented the check to Rev. Mr. Willmott. Both the pastor and Mrs. Willmott then stepped upon the platform. Mr. Willmott was evidently deeply moved and he said: "I think my wife had better speak first." "I don't want to do that," replied Mrs. Willmott, "because he always says I said what he intended to say." This sally was greeted with laughter and Mr. Willmott, perhaps seeking to make atonement, handed the check over to his wife.

Beneath the laughter it was easy to see that both Mr. and Mrs. Willmott were deeply moved. The pastor's voice was very husky when he told his friends that he did not feel able to thank them fittingly.

The reception was given by the Bethany Women's union, of which Mrs. H. Everett Crane is president. The executive committee which planned the event consists of the president, Mrs. George L. Badger, Mrs. C. W. Guy, Mrs. J. F. Welch, Mrs. Charles Sampson, Mrs. E. L. Collins, Mrs. V. E. Miller, Mrs. J. S Swingle and Mrs. Frank F. Prescott.

The refreshments, which consisted of frappe and fancy crackers were in charge of Mrs. A. H. Gilson. The refreshments were served from three tables about the room in charge of Mrs. George H. Badger, Mrs. E. L. Collins, Mrs. John Hunt, Mrs. George Sidelinger and Mrs. W. G. Shaw.

Miss Esther Beckford was in charge of the waitresses. The latter were Misses Alice Parker, Helen Damon, Ada Williams, Signe Wilbas, Hazel Livingston, Gertrude Shaw and Ethel Beal. The decorations were in charge of Mrs. E. L. Collins and Miss Addie Park. The ushers were: A. L. Hayden, D. King, V. E. Miller, E. W. Shepherd, A. L. Melcher and F. W. Crane.

Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Mrs. Merchant, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Keith of Weymouth. The Knights of King Arthur assisted throughout the evening.

WATCH PARTY AT SQUANTUM.

The "watch party" held in Richards Memorial hall Thursday evening for the benefit of the First church of Squantum was a great success. The young and old who participated in the games got much enjoyment out of them. At ten o'clock a luncheon of sandwiches, cake, coffee, and doughnuts was served by James Sumner, Charles Bostwick, William Sparks, Herbert Smith, Frank Anderson.

At the stroke of twelve the party congregated in front of the church and welcomed in the New Year singing songs. The affair was in charge of James Sumner and Charles Bostwick.

COWBELLS AT PARTY.

Round Dozen Club Greet Birth of New Year.

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ODD FELLOWS ATTEND SERVICES

The funeral of Mrs. Lillian E Harwood, wife of Charles F. Harwood took place from her home at 110 Granite street Friday afternoon and was largely attended by Odd Fellows of the city.

Mrs. Harwood was a member of Olive Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F. of Indianapolis, Ind., and has been under the care of George
Gill lodge of this city. There was
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UNEMPLOYMENT AND FASHIONS.

The incessant changes in styles for women were called a great cause of unemployment at the convention held to discuss this subject at Philadelphia. Miss Juliet Stuart Poyntz, who has made a study of the reasons why people are out of work, said that women continually make so many changes in wearing apparel that manufacturers never know what to make until the last minute. They shut down while style changes are pending and men work overtime.

The reason why the average man spends less for clothes than the average woman is not that masculine clothing is essentially less expensive. It is more that the man wears his suit until it looks shabby. The woman merely wears hers until it looks behind the game, though it may still be perfectly neat and attractive.

As more and more women enter commercial careers and see things more in a business light, they seem somewhat averse to needless changes. The business girl's neat trim suit and walking shoes look more like standard masculine styles than anything the feminine world has devised for twenty centuries. Manufacturers that produce this kind of goods must be able to run with some degree of steadiness.

The number of women who follow closely the caprices of fashion is probably exaggerated. Hard working families have no money to throw away on whims. Slight concessions of price by merchants on goods that seem likely to go out of style are quickly snapped up.

Advertising is a great stabilizer. The merchant with a stock affected by fashion change knows how he can sell it without a great loss. All of which tends to promote regularity of labor and employment.

AN ENCOURAGING GROWTH.

The report of the inspector of buildings for the year which closed yesterday and which was printed in the Ledger on that day is more than a mere collection of figures. It is an indication, by one of the most accurate barometers a city can have that Quincy is growing. The total number of building permits granted in 1913 was 685, the past year, 835. The total amount of money represented in these permits was in 1913 $1,158,022.15 and in 1914, $1,417,443. Taking into consideration that the past year has been one of abnormal disturbances internationally, nationally and locally, this growth is decidedly encouraging.

A SINCERE MESSAGE.

We like the phraseology of Mayor Campbell's new year greeting to the people of Quincy. The tenor of the message is one of sincerity, all the more sincere in that Mr. Campbell does not promise a miracle. Note that he says: "We are all striving for good results and if our citizens resolve to co-operate with the incoming administration they will do much toward increasing the prosperity of our city in 1915." That is the matter in a few words and that they are in words is as clear as the day.

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Loss About Six Hundred Officers and Trained Men Most Serious—Belief That German Submarine Has Scored Again, Although Mine May Have Caused Disaster

London, Jan. 2.—England has lost another of her second line battleships. The Formidable, sister ship to the Bulwark, which was destroyed on Thanksgiving day, was blown up in the English channel.

The terse official report of the government press bureau was: "The battleship Formidable was sunk in the channel, but whether by a mine or submarine is not yet certain. Seventy-one survivors have been picked up by a British light cruiser, and it is possible that others may have been rescued by other vessels."

This report was later rectified, as eighty were saved by the light cruiser, and later came word that the Tor bay trawler Providenci had picked up seventy additional survivors, making the total list of saved 150 out of a crew of 750.

While the official announcement says it is not known whether the disaster was due to a submarine or a mine, it is generally believed that the submarines have scored again. The German under-seas craft have been very active in the channel and along the Belgian coast for the last month, and it has required the utmost precautions on the part of the British naval commanders to keep their vessels out of danger.

While the loss of the battleship herself is minimized in official circles, inasmuch as she was not considered in the first line strength, the loss of the trained officers and men who manned her is most serious.

Just what other warships were in company with the Formidable when she was destroyed is not permitted to be known. That they made for safety immediately, abandoning the Formidable to her fate, in accordance with the admiralty rules, is certain, and to this is due the heavy casualty list. The water of the channel is so cold at present that the sailors had practically no chance for life.

The Formidable cost a little more than $5,000,000 to construct. She was considered one of the better class of the 18-knot battleships and has been used for coast guard duty and to assist in the fighting along the Belgian coast since the German raid on the British cities.

The Formidable was launched in December, 1898, and is, therefore, of the older style of fighting ships. She had a waterline length of 411 feet and was of 15,000 tons displacement.

Her armament included four 12-inch guns, twelve 6-inch guns, sixteen 12-pounders and two 12-pounders of a shorter muzzle length, six 3-pounders and two Maxims. In addition she was fitted with four submerged torpedo tubes. Her armor ranged from nine to twelve inches of Krupp steel.

The loss of this, the third great battleship to be stricken out of the navy's list since the war began, all lost in British waters, has caused a new wave of anger to sweep over the island against Germany.

Particularly is the wrath of the British public turned toward Zeebrugge, the strongly protected harbor on the Belgian coast about four miles north of Ostend, which for three months has been a nest of German activity against the English coast opposite, and whence the submarine that destroyed the Formidable is supposed to have come.

Zeebrugge was occupied by the Germans soon after the fall of Antwerp, and has since been used as a base for the concentration of airships, submarines, pontoons and other war material that was likely to be used in a descent upon England by air and water.

DAICY AGAIN ESCAPES.

Two Other Prisoners In Maine Jail Go Along With Him

Rockland, Me., Jan. 2.—Arthur Daicy of Boston made his second escape in two weeks from the county jail, where he was being held for the grand jury, charged with shooting James Simmons, a Friendship merchant.

James Ryan, who had nearly completed a four months' sentence for larceny, and Edward Bishop, held for the grand jury on a larceny charge, also escaped at the same time.

Daicy was recaptured in the town of Friendship late yesterday afternoon. The other escaped prisoners are still at lar...

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THREE APPLY FOR ENLISTMENT

Three well known young men of the city have made application through the Ledger, for membership in the machine gun company, which brings the total number of applicants up to 18, 15 being presented at a preliminary meeting last Monday night.

Lieut. Downes who has been detailed to the company by Col. Warren E. Sweetser of the 6th Infantry has arranged to be in Union hall Monday and Tuesday evenings next week to meet personally other young men of the city who are considering affiliation.

The entire equipment, excepting the horses to be used by the mounted scout detachment, is now in the armory at Lowell. Two of the machine guns have been pulled down and will be shipped to this city within a few days for exhibition purposes.

WHO IS THE MAN?

In an editorial entitled "Men and Their Manners" in the latest issue of the Hull Beacon Miss Floretta Vining has some comments to make upon a Quincy Man. She says—but here is the editorial in full:—

There is no particular season for men they are now on their good behaviour. A man that is decent always is rare, those that come to Hull are but a few. I was talking business with the most pompous man I ever met, he was in his own business office, in his shirt sleeves, with a T. D., in full, with a very heavy breath, the smoke would fill the room, and his utter indifference was disgusting. That man treated me just as he is used to treating women—the kind he is used to meeting. How I despise that class of men, they are not fitted to have a position as advertising agent of a good sized business house. Going up and down in the boat they rush on and off the boat and train and knock every woman over. Women stand no show in either of these places.

But there are some very fine men that know how to treat a woman and don't keep up a continual smoke—and a pipe at that. Since I have come to Boston this fall I have been amazed at the rudeness of men in general, showing how they let themselves live and move. Would that they could see themselves as others see them, and many of them are fathers, and they don't seem to mind the conduct of their offspring while their neighbors and friends are amazed that they don't notice it.

Out in Quincy there lived a grand business man, well born, patriotic in many ways, very successful and yet his only son can't touch a ten foot pole, with him. His father's business, with a large salary, is his; but he walks with arms akimbo and shakes hands ten feet in the air. That is what Harvard college did for him, as much hated as his father is liked.

Oh, there is such a difference in men and their ways. A good many of them want one thing—that is Brussels. Be that as it may, few can command a salary nowadays to support a family.

SUPPER AND SOCIAL.

Postpone Session of District School.

A well attended supper and social was held at the Park and Downs church Friday evening. It was planned to hold a session of the district school following the supper but owing to the illness of several of the participants this was postponed until a later date.

The supper was pronounced to have been most excellent and the ladies in charge were warmly congratulated on its excellence. This committee was headed by Mrs. Bissett who was assisted by Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Zwicker, Mrs. Paine, Mrs. Bussler, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Boon and Mrs. Brown. An enjoyable social followed the supper.

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HAS SERVED FOR 25 YEARS

John D. Williams is Letter Carrier No. 1.

John D. Williams of Pleasant street, carrier No. 1 at the Quincy Post Office yesterday observed the 25th anniversary of his appointment.

Mr. Williams was the first man appointed to the Quincy district. Then the mails were received and dispatched at the local sub station and the eight hour law regulating the hours of government employees had not been enacted.

Mr. Williams is a well known man of this city. He is in his 76th year but retains the vigor of youth. He makes his home with his wife on Pleasant street. They are the parents of one son, Albert Williams.

COURT WITHOUT LAWYERS

Will Hear Litigants Direct and Eliminate All Technicalities

Chicago, Jan. 2.—A court of convenience—a court without lawyers where the people may plead their own cases—will be established here as a branch of the municipal court, Chief Justice Olson announced. Its aim will be to simplify justice and reduce the cost of "going to law."

"The object of the new court will be to make litigation less expensive," Olson said. "No lawyers will be needed to obtain justice. The complainant will present his own case and the defendant will voice his own defense.

"Technicalities will be eliminated from decisions and much injustice may be averted. Under the present system both parties are obliged to retain lawyers."

The court will at first consider cases in which amounts less than $50 are involved. Later its scope will be broadened when otther branches are established.

INDIANAPOLIS TO BE NEXT ON LIST

Grand Jury to Investigate Alleged Election Scandal

Indianapolis, Jan. 2.—The announcement that the federal grand jury will reconvene Monday, and that it will again consider the Terre Haute election corruption case, but will not seek to obtain more evidence against the 114 men already indicted, caused a certain element in Terre Haute much uneasiness, according to reports from "the hut."

Politicians are understood to be uneasy over the possibilities that the probe may be broadened to consider "a tale of three cities," as the story of alleged corruptions involving Terre Haute, Evansville and Indianapolis has been termed. It is freely stated that Indianapolis will be considered next.

Terre Haute dispatches describe a night meeting held in the office of Mayor Roberts, chief of the indicted men, at which indicted men only attended and which has an indicted man as doorkeeper. Newspaper men who sought entrance were forcibly ejected.

Approximately $320,000 in personal and surety bonds is being held in the Terre Haute election fraud case.

MAYTORENA IS OBSTINATE

Has Not Consented to Stop Firing on Mexican Border

Naco, Ariz., Jan. 2.—Efforts to secure the consent of Governor Maytorena, leader of the Villa faction in the state of Sonora, to the terms of an agreement to protect border towns from stray shots still fail of result.

Brigadier General Scott had favorable interviews recently with General Hill, the Carranza defender of Naco, Sonora, and also with Maytorena. Scott, however, has been unable to obtain from Maytorena a final and official settlement of the matter.

$50,000,000 In Hub Sub-Treasury

Boston, Jan. 2.—The United States sub-treasury at Boston started the New Year with a cash balance of over $50,000,000. A very substantial increase in the business of the office during the past year was reported.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

George N. Jones, engineer of Engine 3 of the Portsmouth, N. H., fire department, started his fiftieth year in the service.

The New York estate left by Mrs. Mary F. Pinchot of Washington amounts to $1,103,900.

The American Red Cross cabled $15,000 to Beirut for the relief of sick and wounded soldiers and distressed non-combatants in that vicinity.

Sergeant Henry W. Spear of Fo... Ethan Allen, Burlington, Vt., was ... accidentally killed by... falling bale of ...

SCISSORS PASTE

CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPONS.

The carrying about of concealed weapons is a practice on the part of a few people which is against the law, is reprehensible in every way and must be discontinued.

On a much larger scale the warring nations of Europe have shown the folly of what they have been pleased to call "preparedness" for war. Such "preparedness" is devoid of sense, is provocative of trouble and defeats its own object.

Preparedness for peace is what is wanted and that means justice and consideration for others; deeds of helpfulness, courtesy, trust and co-operation that shall make friends and not enemies; that shall induce confidence instead of distrust.

The same spirit must apply to individuals. This habit of carrying concealed weapons is mostly confined to foreign people among us, it seems to us, but whoever they may be they must be shown that the practice is intolerable in such a community as ours.

Before harsh measures are adopted to punish them they must be shown the foolishness of the practice and that they must come into the spirit of our free institutions if they are to live here. It is up to us all to spread this information and stop the practice. In doing so we shall do away with many acts of violence which are worse than inexcusable.—Framingham News.

IT WILL BE WELCOME.

Naturally, the more Lieut.-Gov. Barry thinks about how much it has cost him to hold office for a year, the gladder he must feel that he wasn't re-elected.—Boston Globe.

Has not the loquacity on the part of the lieutenant-governor regarding the subject above mentioned been aired altogether too much In all the long line of predecessors in that office, which one can be pointed out as having publicly bewailed the draft upon his pocket? Heretofore incumbents have appeared glad to obtain the office They did not whine because the emolument was not larger, nor did they proceed to annoy or amuse the public with statements regarding their personal expenditures because of their incumbency. It is a fair inference that like reticence will mark the conduct of Lieutenant-Governor Barry's general run of successors. It will be welcome.—Salem News.

AN ABUSED MAN VINDICATED

"Take the tariff out of politics entirely," urges Norman E. Mack, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee. That is what President Taft tried to do when he created the non-partisan Tariff Commission, but the Democratic Congress ignored the Commission's recommendations and finally put the Commission out of business by withholding its appropriation. One by one the rejected Taft policies are beginning to commend themselves to thinking Democrats.—Springfield Union.

THE USEFUL BRYAN

Mr. Bryan is useful in more than one way to the Administration. This is an Administration of pacificists and the Nebraskan, the President and Secretary of the Navy Daniels constitute the triumvirate. But aside from the loyal manner in which he helps maintain this phase of the Wilson regime he is the first aid to the apologists whenever anything goes wrong at Washington. He is promptly made the goat if it is possible to connect him with the affair. He never complains, patiently enduring the onus.—Brooklyn Standard.

DRIVEN TO THE CURB.

Where will the frenzied financiers ply their trade, with Wall Street reforming and placing the ban on the flimflaming speculations that made it so famous, or rather infamous. At that, though, the reputable men that have done business in Wall street for years were always in the great majority As in every other activity, however, they had to share the odium that was properly attached to the scalawags among them.—Topeka State Journal.

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CHANGES AT FORE RIVER.

Rear Admiral William Nelson Little U. S. N., who has been assigned to the Fore River yards as inspector of machinery and ordnance, has been retired in accordance with the statute as to age, which requires his compulsory retirement.

Lieut. Commander Albert W. Marshall, senior inspector of machinery and ordnance at the Fore River, has been automatically elevated to the position made vacant by the retirement of Rear Admiral Little until such time as a permanent head shall be named at Washington.

The navy department has also detailed for duty in the construction department at the Fore River, Assistant Naval Constructor Lew M. Atkins, who has been on duty at the Philadelphia navy yard, to succeed Assistant Naval Constructor William McEntee who has been assigned to have charge of the model basin at Washington.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

All children three years old and over in the community are welcome to the kindergarten class, which meets in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry at the hour of the morning service, 10.45 o'clock. This enables parents to come and return with their young children.

"Timely Topics" will be considered in the Young People's class, which meets in the church auditorium after the morning service with Mrs. H. C. Needham as leader. These subjects are especially adapted for use in the home, school or business. All are cordially invited.

The Y. P. R. U. will hold a musical service tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock Miss Priscilla Robinson, chairman of the music committee is in charge of the meeting.

The beautiful bulletin board on the church, which announces not only religious services but also serves as a "Way-side Preacher," this week reminds the passer-by that "Every day is a fresh beginning."

RECEPTION TO SON.

Mr. and Mrs. A. White of Billings road tendered a reception to their son Allen White at their home Friday evening, the 22nd anniversary of his birth. Over 50 were present.

During the evening there was a musical program rendered by the guests and orchestra music by the Misses White and Miss Rose Du Temple.

Allen White is a popular resident of the Atlantic section. He is a graduate of the Quincy and Quincy High schools. He is the proprietor of a milk business, conducted in the northern part of the city.

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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Editor, The Ledger:

In his last Sunday night's sermon Rev. William B. Ayers of the Park and Downs Congregational church made a suggestion which is causing considerable discussion. The idea is to have the public schools of all grades open their sessions at 8 A. M. and continue without interruption until 12.30 o'clock, the child to have the entire afternoon for play, or, as he grows older for possible remunerative forms of occupation.

Mr. Ayers points out the short periods of actual study between the opening of school in both morning and afternoon sessions and the recess. In the morning it is only about one hour and a quarter or half, in the afternoon it is about an hour. It takes a child some moments to settle down after the recess for the short period of study before going home.

Four trips are required between the school and the home in each day and many children are already tired before the afternoon session commences. The new suggestion gives about the same number of hours of actual work, but less broken up and less interrupted by fitting physical exertion and diverting interests.

It should be a welcome arrangement for teachers as well as students—many of the parents favor this suggestion and have made request that it be given to the public for consideration.

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In SOCIETY



Miss Marie Bass was made a member of the Phi Beta Kappa society of Radcliffe college at the midwinter meeting last week. Although most colleges have a chapter of this society, there was none at Radcliffe until 1914, when the Iota chapter was established and those of the past graduates who had high academic standing were elected to membership. Miss Bass received the degree of A. B. with distinction in three years. Miss Mabel E. Adams, formerly of Quincy and a graduate of Radcliffe college, has also been honored with the Phi Beta Kappa key.

Mrs. Joseph S. Evans of Edgemere road entertained about twelve of her neighbors Thursday in honor of the coming of the New Year. Dancing and refreshments were enjoyed until midnight and at that magic hour, the guests and hostess enthusiastically welcomed the New Year out under the stars.

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The "New Year's Party" of the Junior Society of Sons and Daughters of the Revolution will be held at Hotel Vendome, Boston, this afternoon, Jan. 2, from two until five o'clock. The entertainment will be given by the Juniors of the several chapters making up the society and will be followed by refreshments and dancing. Mrs. Mary E. Jackman, State Junior director, is chairman of the affair.

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Mrs. Samuel Hayden and son William who have been spending a month with relatives and friends in Quincy, have returned to Canton, Maine. They formerly resided in Quincy and have many friends here.

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Mrs. Charles O. Rogers of Clive street has returned from a visit to Worcester.

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Wollaston friends of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Smith of Cherry avenue helped them observe the second anniversary of their marriage Thursday evening, an informal and pleasant evening being passed.

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After a rest over the holidays the Ainty Whist Club met with Mrs. Roselia Wardwell, 25 Miller Stile road Thursday afternoon. Much merriment was caused by the dress worn by the hostess, it being her wedding gown of twenty-two years ago that day. A good time was enjoyed. A buffet lunch was served. All wished the hostess a Happy New Year. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Hayden of Spear street.

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Bruce Rogers of Norwich, Conn., has returned to his home after spending a week with his cousin, Beatrice Rogers, of Atlantic, who accompanied him to his home for a few days' visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert have returned to their home in northern New Hampshire after spending several months with their son on Botolph street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burpee A. Banks of Royal street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, born December twenty-fourth.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Colburn spent Christmas with the former's sister, Mrs. B. C. Day of Atlantic.

The C. H. society held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James A. Macdonald 58 East Elm avenue. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. The feature of the occasion being the announcement, by the hostess of the engagement of Miss Ella Frances Winship to John Dwight Seaver. This came as a great surprise to the friends of Miss Winship and she was showered with congratulations and good wishes. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Cornelius Thomson and Mrs. Macdonald.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Tobin and daughter Constance of Brockton, spent Christmas with Mr. Tobin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tobin of Rawson road.

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The Saturday Evening Whist club held a New Year's party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall Faxon road Thursday evening. The evening was spent in dancing, singing and playing games. Vocal and violin selections were rendered by B. Bourne of Dorchester, with Mrs. Bourne accompanying. At eleven o'clock the party sat down to a supper of cold roast chicken, potato salad, cold ham, tongue, baked beans, hot rolls, frozen pudding, crackers, cheese, coffee, nuts and olives. At each cover were paper hats, favors, and noise making articles which were brought into play at the stroke of twelve. The new year was welcomed in with great enthusiasm and soon after the guests departed, giving a rising vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hall for opening their house to them. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spicer, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Beede, Mr. and Mrs. John Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Swan, Mr. and Mrs. William Hersey, Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell of New York, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bourne of Dorchester and Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

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George Hinkley and family of Billings street have taken an apartment in Boston for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell of New York are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hersey of Faxon road.

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Mrs. Inez Hull, general secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association of Dayton, Ohio, arrived Thursday, to be the house guest for a week of the Theodore Parker's of Russell street.

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Mrs. James Hagan left Squantum Wednesday morning for San Diego, California, to be the guest of her mother whom she hasn't seen for twelve years.

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Mrs. George G. Saville of Saville avenue has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Walker of Medfield, this week.

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Mrs. Marie A. Moore, a member of the New England Woman's Press Association and a great traveler is to give a talk at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Hotel Somerset, Boston, following the regular monthly business meeting. Her subject will be "A little postcard trip through Belgium and Holland" illustrated by a radiopticon.

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The engagement was announced this week of Miss Ella Frances Winship of North Central avenue and John Dwight Seaver of Bellville, Ohio.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Wales of Warren avenue entertained at bridge whist Tuesday evening. After refreshments were served by the hostess several vocal selections were rendered. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett, Mr. and Mrs. William Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. William Price and Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Kingsbury.

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Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution has its annual gift party Monday afternoon at the birthplace of President John Adams. Each member takes a small gift for the gift box which when opened and distributed gives pleasure, and sometimes causes merriment to the receiver. It is always one of the happy meetings of the season.

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The third meeting of the young women's auction bridge club will be held today with Miss Elizabeth Atwood of Putnam street.

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Mrs. Fred Lovejoy of Hampden street, left for New York to stay until early spring.

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Miss Anna B. Thompson of the Thayer academy faculty gave a most enjoyable reception the first of the week at her home in South Braintree in honor of Raymond Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerrish Smith of Presidents hill, who is home from Annapolis for the holidays. The guests were members of Thayer class 1916 of which Mr. Smith was a member before entering Annapolis.

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Miss Helen C. Reilly, R. N. who graduated from the Carney Hospital last September, received her diploma and degree of registered nurse from the Massachusetts State Board, last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Retzell of Brooks street spent Christmas with friends in Cohasset.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cummings of 256 Farrington street spent the holidays with the latters parents Mr. and Mrs. Chandler of Taunton.

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Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of Chestnut street was hostess yesterday afternoon for the meeting of the Friday club.

Seth Arnold Eldridge of Quincy avenue sailed two weeks ago for England to make a olng visit to his uncle John Morgan Richards of Steephill Castle, Isle of Wight.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Retzell of Arnold road entertained the latters parents from Belmont over the holidays.

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Miss Doris Chase of Botolph street Atlantic spent the holidays at her home in Centreville.

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Miss Ruth Parker of Ohio and Miss Grace Parker of New Hampshire are holiday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Parker of Russell street, Atlantic.

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Miss Beulah Campbell of 36 Warwick street was the guest over Sunday of friends in North Weymouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deacon and son of Plymouth passed the holidays in Quincy.

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Miss Edith H. Fox who has been enjoying the holiday season at her home on Butler road has returned to East Orange, New Jersey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nelson entertained a family party at dinner Friday evening about thirty being present. The evening was enjoyably spent by playing whist and listening to selections on the victrola.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Phillipson is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. Hakanson, Gladston street, Squantum.

SHY ON INTUITION.

Whatever may be the merits of the gentle Filipino, it is evident that he is utterly unable to discover the psychological moment for a revolt.—Chicago News.

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BRAINTREE

Thomas Hale of Beverly was at home on Adams street, with his mother and sister on Christmas day.

Miss Annie Hale was obliged to leave her work two days last week on account of illness.

Mr. A. H. Quimby of North Attleboro was a new year guest of Herbert Mann of Mt. Vernon avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gage of Tarrytown, N. Y., have been spending the holidays with his brother Harold M. Gage and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Abbot of Dorchester were the new year guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bennett, 33 Cochato road.

Mrs. F. H. Gile is just recovering from a severe attack of bronchitis, which has confined her to her bed for over two weeks.

Mrs. H. W. Bond served Christmas dinner to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Woodsum, Chester Gage and family, also Mrs. Ethel Hobart.

The aunt of Miss Bessie Kennedy of Hollis avenue, has not been well lately and Elizabeth Kingsbury, nurse, has been caring for her through the day.

Mrs. A. H. Remick of Quincy entertained at auction bridge Wednesday afternoon Mrs. S. T. Macquarrie of Quincy took the first honors and Mrs. John E. Arnold of Braintree second. Dainty refreshments were served.

Master Norman Roberts of Monatiquot avenue, while coasting on West street Monday, met with an accident which required two stitches in the back of his head.

The coasting on River street the past week was never better and a large number of people young and old enjoyed the sport. Young enthusiasts wanted the straight path which was a quarter of a mile long.

Our new Braintree Sanatorium has been accommodating some appreciative patients. Mrs. MacDonald received a substantial Christmas check from one who evidently enjoyed the comfort of her good care.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Belyea of Mt. Vernon street, Braintree, entertained a party of relatives and friends at their home last evening. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rodgers shared their Christmas turkey with Mr. and Mrs. Dow of Winthrop and Mr. and Mrs. Webster. The latter are planning to spend the winter in Bermuda, Mr. Webster being a prominent and successful artist.

The people of Braintree living on the back country roads were pleasantly awakened on Christmas eve at midnight by the carol singers passing along. Even if there were no lighted candles in the windows their singing was heard and highly appreciated.

Isaac L. Jones, the veteran crossing tender at Elm street returned to work Thursday after an enforced vacation of one week. He spent the week at home under the care of Dr. H. L. Dearing and was rescued from a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Christmas was indeed cold this year and the little round junco birds were asking for crumbs. They only come when the weather is severe and seem very grateful for crumbs of bread and crackers. They more than pay for their food by their cheeriness when the weather is exceedingly cold.

Letters remain in post office for Miss Alice Blanchard, Miss Lillian Delory, A. H. Flint, Robert C. Hawley, John J. Kenny, Miss Bertha V. Kiley, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Putnam, Athor Proctor, Mrs. Lowell Richards, John F. Rielley, Miss Alice Spear, Miss Elizabeth Thompson.

At the whist party given by the Pythian Sisters Wednesday, Dec. 30, the following received souvenirs. Mrs. Fred Bennett, Mrs. L. H. Barnes, Fred Bennett, Clarence Southworth. Consolations were won by Mrs. C. M. Urquhart and Leo Tracey. There will be another party Wednesday eve, Jan. 13th. Don't forget the date.

Christmas eve, while Chester Gage and family were in Braintree at the home of W. L. Gage, the apartment house in which they were living at Pawtuxet, R. I., was burned to the ground. Only a pail was saved. Although their furniture was partly insured, the inconvenience at this season of the year cannot be estimated.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Learned and three year old son Frank have moved from Wakefield into their new home on Washington street, corner of Monatiquot avenue. Mr. Learned was recently taxed out of Wakefield, by excessive valuation of his property, and has purchased the estate here of the late Charles W. Hollis. He will be used well in Braintree and the Observer extends a hearty welcome to Mr. Learned and family.

SOUTH BRAINTREE

Mrs. Louis N. Hathaway of Central avenue has been entertaining this week Mrs. W. I. Emerson and son George of Roslindale.

Miss Marion E. Dee of Hobart avenue is entertaining her cousins the Misses Madelin and Ethel Gray of Hartford, Conn., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kilbrith of Washington street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pierce of West Newton on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Merrill of Frederick road have had as guests this week, their niece Mrs. Wells Hadley and husband of Whitefield, N. H.

Albert E. Call is very ill at his home, 20 Williams avenue and has been unconscious most of the time for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Temple entertained Mr. Edward Temple and Mrs. S. L. Temple and their son Fred over Christmas, from Medford.

Mrs. Wilbur Rhodes of Portland, Maine, returned to her home this week after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oakes A. Bridgham of Washington street.

At the weekly whist party of the Braintree club Monday evening, souvenirs were presented to Miss Bessie DeNeil of Randolph, Chester Wilson, Edward E. Hughes and Jeremiah Levangie.

Miss Dorothy Borden of Franklin street rendered pleasing vocal solos at the Christmas party given at the Sheppard Memorial church, Cambridge on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Nellie West, who is studying to be a nurse at the Tewksbury state hospital is enjoying a short vacation and is spending it with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. West of the Hampton house.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Mansfield entertained on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thayer and sons Albert and Austin of Weymouth, also Edward W. Mansfield and sister Miss Eva Mansfield of Brockton.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sands Burgess of Washington street, will be interested to know they have had a sketch "Just a Trifle" written especially for them which will be presented at Kincaide's theatre, Quincy, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. Both Mr. and Mrs. Burgess have appeared many times before local audiences and their friends will anticipate seeing them in Quincy, Jan. 7, 8, and 9.

QUINCY DAILY LEDGER

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Sunday and Monday fair. Sunday cooler.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.24
Length of day	9.11
Moon rises	6.42
High water, A. M.	12.15
High water, P. M.	12.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 5 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	35 degrees
Jan. 2. 1914,	24 degrees
Jan. 2, 1913,	50 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

JUNIOR LEAGUE RESUMES PLAY

The Junior league resumed its matches at the Wardwell alleys Friday night and Grafton was high with a single of 103 and a total of 276. The slight difference between the singles created plenty of excitement among the rooters.

WREN 3—SWAIN 1.

CAPT. WREN.

DiSenso	65	76	90	231
Gilcoine	84	78	77	239
Grafton	88	103	85	276
J. Gilcoine	89	89	79	247
Wren	75	88	79	252
	401	434	410	1245

CAPT. SWAIN.

O'Donnell	93	82	87	262
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Callahan	94	83	73	250
LaCount	86	78	87	251
Swain	88	87	79	252
	434	405	401	1240

SULLIVAN 3—KELLIHER 1.

CAPT. SULLIVAN.

Sarno	90	66	89	245
Moody	83	84	75	242
Foy	73	61	78	212
McConarty	101	75	76	252
Sullivan	78	80	94	252
	425	366	412	1203

CAPT. KELLIHER.

Little	76	76	82	234
Barba	79	87	79	245
Sharkey	79	83	72	234
Kelliher	91	85	78	254
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	400	406	386	1192

CLAIMS CITY'S STAR TEAM.

Manager Ross of the Wardwell alleys claims to have the champion all star team in the city. Included are Olindy, Dell, Peter Morton, McLean and himself. John S. Higgins, manager of the Fore River baseball team has announced his quintette is ready to consider terms.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

Most of the younger set attended the dance, held New Years eve in Ellsworth hall under the auspices of the Hoosic Whisick camp fire girls. The hall was very prettily decorated with evergreen and bunting. The matrons were: Mrs. Louis V. Gosseline, Miss Elizabeth Hutchinson and Miss Elizabeth Hill, leader of the girls. The dancing continued until 12.15 A. M. so that the party danced the old year out and the new year in. Miss Dorothy Fuller had full charge of the dance. The chairman of the various Committees were general, Doris Pearce; tickets and dance orders, Emily Doherty; music, Marion Hathaway.

The members of the C. E. society of the First Baptist church held their installation of officers Friday evening in the vestry. The meeting was opened by the pastor Rev. J. Hamilton Woodsum, and in the absence of the former president and vice president James Lewis took the chair. The reports from the different officers and committees were read and accepted. The report of the treasurer was greeted with applause as it showed that the society was pretty well fixed financially. There the installation took place with Rev. Mr. Woodsum as master of ceremonies. The officers for the coming year are as follows: President, Miss Edith C. Johnson; vice president, James Lewis; recording secretary, Miss Florence Sparks; corresponding secretary, Miss Alice Beattie; treasurer, Chester Carder; auditor, William B. Batchelder. The chairmen of the various committees are: Lookout, James Lewis; prayer meeting, Mrs. Madison Clements; social, Miss Clara Rehn; missionary V. E. Landstrom music, Melbourne I. Jones; flower and calling, Mrs. James Lewis. Following this a social hour was enjoyed and the party broke up at 10.30.

In the mixed bowling league at Cunningham Gym., team one defeated team five, 3-1 and team seven defeated team three 4-0. Campbell has the highest single average with 93.7. Baxter holds the high single at 95 and Esau the high three string at 278.

Miss Mary Duffy of Mattapan entertained eighteen of her friends at a watch party New Years eve.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Holt, formerly of Wollaston are now occupying their new dwelling on Eaton street.

MAYOR GETS SKATING POND.

Skaters To Have Use of Reservoir Off Des Moines Road.

Mayor Whiton has made arrangements with the Fore River Corp. to allow the use of the reservoir of Des Moines road as a skating pond this winter. Under the arrangements permitting its use the city will have an officer on duty to see that no damage is done to the property.

HAS NOT HEARD.

Mayor Whiton has not yet heard from the war department relative to approval of the city building a culvert over the creek which makes across Winthrop street, Houghs Neck. Permission was obtained from the Directors of the Port of Boston, after a hearing, but this permit was conditional on approval of the war department. As soon as permission is received work will be commenced.

PLAY GAMES AT SOCIAL.

A social was held Thursday evening at the home of Nicholas Reinhalter on Bunker Hill avenue. Games were enjoyed until a late hour. Vocal selections were given by William MacDonald and Michael Saville. Among those present were: Margaret Reinhalter, Grace Reinhalter, Caroline Reinhalter, Grace Jones, Mary Williams, James Doyle, Oswald Shea, Sylvester Reinhalter and John Gibbons.

EAST BRAINTREE

Miss Mary Maloney spent the holiday with relatives in South Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Foley of Allston spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Powers of Hobart street.

Mrs. David G. Doane and daughters Alice and Ethel spent Christmas with relatives in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Healey of Hobart street, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Curley of Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Snow of Front street, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hussey of West Quincy.

Mrs. Albert N. White of Shaw street received a handsome victrola as a Christmas gift.

Miss Dorothy Hanson of Cambridge spent the week end with the Misses Alice and Ethel Doane.

George R. Dobson is able to be out again after a recent attack of lumbago.

Mrs. Franklin P. Whitton has been engaged as soloist at the First Congregational church in East Weymouth

George Archibald of Oak street has been confined to the house the past week with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Walter A. Poore has been sepnding the past week with her daughter in New Bedford.

James Hollywood has accepted a position in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Mrs. William Hough of Hayward street has been confined to her home the past week with a severe cold.

Mrs. George Buckley returned to her home on North Bowditch street after a month's illness in the Quincy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. South and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore South spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold South of Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Porter of North Bowditch street received as a Christmas gift a baby boy which was born Christmas morning.

Condon Dalton who is studying for the priesthood at the Brighton Seminary spent the holiday with his parents.

Little Gladys Oliver daughter of Mr and Mrs. Ashton E. Oliver of Hobart street has been confined to the house the past week suffering with the grip.

Miss Rachael Tarbox of Lincoln spent the holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Tarbox of Miller avenue.

Miss Helen Anthony of Manchester, N. H., spent Christmas week with Miss Madeline Gale of Webb street, Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of Philadelphia, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. William Allen of Bowditch street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mallon of Middle street, Braintree, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Mallon of Prospect street.

Miss Katherine Healey of New York, formerly of Liberty street, spent the holiday and week end with Mrs. John V. Scollard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor C. Lassen of East Weymouth spent Christmas with their son Max Lassen of Sheppard avenue.

Little Helen Clifford of Wellington street was taken suddenly ill Christmas eve. Dr. George E. Emerson of South Weymouth was called.

Joseph McCusker, a student at the University of Maine, spent the past week with his uncle William McCusker of Adams street.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien of Quincy, spent Christmas with Mrs. O'Brien's mother, Mrs. Jacob Clay of Bowditch street.

It is reported that Charles Torrey caught the last eel left in the river. The river has been pretty well fished out in recent years and the fishermen are confident that the last eel was captured this week.

James Lynch of Randolph, William Cahill of Roxbury, and Henry Cahill of Jamaica Plain were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cahill of Hobart street over the week end.

Joseph G. Washburn of Front street received a carload of lumber from Maine this week that will be used in the construction of a two family house on Hobart street.

Robert Robins and family moved from the two family house on Front street owned by A. P. Washburn to number 12 Front street where he will live with his parents.

The Rev. James Bradley president of St. Mary's College at Emmitsburg, Maryland, spent the past week at his home on Commercial street. Mr. Bradley has recently received the title Monsignor.

ONE TRIPLE IN FORE RIVER LEAGUE

Only one man tripled in the Fore River league matches at the Coliseum alleys Friday night although several banged out good singles. Neil being high with 119. The Ex-Apprentices and Treasurer office made clean sweeps, the N. department took three, the Shipfitters got one and the Purchasing Agent clerks and Blacksmiths were lost in the shuffle.

EX-APP. 4—PUR. AGTS. 0.

EX- APPRENTICES.

Smith	76	84	82	242
Dixon	98	91	76	265
Johnson	79	86	88	253
Ash	103	92	70	265
Boberg	74	104	98	276
	430	457	414	1301

PURCHASING AGENTS.

Desmond	90	77	77	244
Austin	65	70	101	236
Drinkwater	93	80	73	246
French	67	82	84	233
Mavers	88	81	64	233
	403	390	399	1192

T. OFFICE 4—BLACKSMITHS 0.

TREASURERS OFFICE.

Welsh	82	115	82	279
Desmond	93	69	87	249
Duncan	79	80	92	251
Gullickson	84	76	88	248
Stone	95	117	81	293
	433	457	430	1320

B. DEPT.

Ternald	77	72	81	230
Flanegan	75	104	68	247
Dummy	75	75	83	233
Neil	92	77	119	288
J. Lillan	82	86	75	243
	401	414	426	1241

N. DEPT. 3—S. DEPT. 1.

N. DEPT.

Gillis	100	94	93	287
Kennedy	76	82	96	254
Rich	73	86	78	237
Ryan	95	100	90	285
Westland	102	97	96	295
	446	459	453	1358

S. DEPT.

Strobert	87	77	85	249
Lacrois	75	75	75	225
Hynes	80	80	75	235
Dobos	117	96	81	294
Olindy	101	100	106	307
	460	428	422	1310

BUILDING PERMITS.

Inspector of Buildings Merrill has issued the following building permits this week:

William Brown, dwelling Florence street.

William Sarno, addition, Pearl street.

S. J. Gerrior, dwelling, Newton street.

Adelia Delaurier, addition, Gilbert street.

John McKenzie, addition Phillips street.

Edward F. Parlee, dwelling, Division street.

Sylvester Lehtola, poultry house, Goddard street.

POLICE FAIL TO REPORT.

Commssioner Brown said this morning that he had not heard as yet from the police relative to his request for suggestions as to streets in the different wards for coasting. If the police report before the snow is all gone Commissioner Brown will arrange for their use.

MEETING AT BETHANY.

The last preparatory meeting of the old year to candidates at the Bethany church was held Thursday evening, the address of the pastor, Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott being in the nature of a New Year's talk. There was a very large attendance at the meeting which was followed by a business session at which the candidates to be received into the fellowship of the church next Sunday were voted upon. There were twelve candidates elected, ten by confession of faith and two by letter.

ERICKSON ROLLS 305.

Erickson was high man in the rolloffs at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night. He also took high single with 112. The positions: Erickson 305, Dell 285, Gillis 280 and White 279.

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CARNUGIE MEDLE FOR CAPT. BILL

Firm Grasp on Trousers Saves Life of Stebbie

A medal was presented Captain "Bill" Ellis at the New Year festivities of the Wollaston Yacht club for brave service as a life saver. Thereby hangs a tale.

Captain Ellis took out a smelting party on his yacht "Gracillis" one day this fall, October 11th to be exact. One of the crew, a "near" friend of the captain, decided to wash his hands in the ocean. The deck was slippery and over he plunged. Just in the nick of time Captain Ellis emerged from the cabin and taking in the situation at a glance caught at the fast disappearing trousers, thereby saving the victim from a watery grave.

Fellow yachtsmen got wind of the incident and awaited only the proper time for rewarding this act of "heroism." The affair Thursday evening afforded the opportunity and the medal was presented. It is a huge affair of copper, about a foot long and is inscribed as follows: "Carnugie medle. Presented to Captain Bill Ellis for saving the life of Stebbie. October 11th. 1914." The medal was made by a yacht club member and the whole affair came as a surprise to the captain. Captain Ellis is an ardent yachtsman and is known as a royal good fellow among a large circle of friends.

SPORTING COMMENT

Wes Ganzel, son of the late Charles Ganzel of national league fame, will again be seen next season in the uniform of the Poughkeepsie team, champions of the Atlantic league of New York state. Wes went to the league two seasons ago and played first sack for them until sold to the champs in mid season.

"Link" Elcock returns this summer to Newburg, N. Y., one of the fast Atlantic league teams. He was captain of that aggregation the past summer and will probably be captain-manager the coming one.

Frank Gillis, the clever second base man of the city, is reported to have taken up boxing and to possess the speed in the roped arena he has in driving the ball to all corners.

The Fore River base ball management will meet in February to discuss prospects. Joseph Larkin is secretary-treasurer and manager John S. Higgins will then have a conference with the company officials. It is extremely doubtful if the last season players will again don the F. R. uniform, most of them being dissatisfied with their experience last season.

Olindy stil holds the high bottle pin record of the city, his Coliseum score being 198, 12 better than his record mark at the Wardwell alleys, which was bettered Friday by H. W. French of High school by two pins.

Louis Ross offers an individual prize in addition to the regular awards for the Wednesday night rolloffs.

Harry Carlson of Brockton and John J. Sullivan face each other in the splendid special bout at the Quincy A. A. amateurs. Carlson is slated as the winner of the nationals.

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Britain Will Form Friendly Reply to Our Protest

CHANCE IN PUBLIC ATTITUDE

No Question as to Sincerity of Expressions of Cordial Relations—Feeling That Friendly Solution of Shipping Problem Will Be Forthcoming Is Greatly Strengthened

London, Jan. 2.—The British foreign office has opened negotiations with the French and Russian foreign offices relative to the contents of the reply which will be made to President Wilson's note protesting against the interference with American merchant ships by English men-of-war at sea.

These negotiations among the three great chancellories are expected to show absolute accord and to result in a friendly and satisfactory reply being made to Washington by Sir Edward Grey, the English foreign minister, some time next week.

It is believed that when parliament convenes on Wednesday the Marquis of Crewe will make a statement officially giving England's attitude in the matter of the American protest.

Since the complete text of President Wilson's note was made public here and the press and public has had an opportunity to judge the calm and cordial tone of the document, the feeling in favor of a friendly solution of the shipping problem has been strengthened.

It is now seen that some of the newspapers, having only part of the text of the Wilson note to go by, were hasty in forming conclusions and these led to a misunderstanding in some quarters.

The good faith of the United States has not been questioned, and no one doubts the desire of the United States government to remain adequately neutral, but some pique has been aroused in quarters where it is thought that the American state department has been unduly influenced by shippers and traders.

The British people believe that, in such a time of stress, American traders should exercise forbearance if British warships exercise rigid precautions by stopping and searching American merchant ships at sea. It is admitted that in some instances American cargoes have been seized, but the British foreign office promises that full reparation will be paid.

It is most certain that there must be several exchanges of notes between London and Washington before there is a solution. The fact that Grey has communicated with the foreign offices of the allies has no deeply significant meaning; under the circumstances it was made necessary by the close relationship existing between the three governments.

The Times, in commenting upon the Wilson note, now that the authentic text is known, says:

"We welcome confirmation of the trust we have always reposed in the justice and friendliness of the American people and their government. The note is perfectly courteous throughout, although the tone is somewhat peremptory. The note is a frank statement of the alleged grievances of American shippers.

"President Wilson and his advisers have been at pains to insist that they do not advance their claims in any spirit of hostility or from any lack of appreciation of the momentous nature of the conflict in which we are engaged or through any wish to gain undue commercial advantages at our expense, and we accept these assurances gladly.

"These assurances are just what we would expect from the great friendly nation across the Atlantic, between whom and ourselves cordial relations have existed so long. There can be no question as to the sincerity of these expressions. They have stamped upon their face the mark of a diplomacy which is truthful and straightforward."

REPORT FROM PAGE

Says Attitude of British Officials and People Is Friendly

Washington, Jan. 2.—Ambassador Page, in a long report from London, following his conference with high officials there, described the general attitude of the British government and the people toward the American note of protest concerning shipping as entirely friendly He said that a reply had been promised within a very few days.

The ambassador detailed the British press criticism, whose tone he regarded, on the whole, reasonable and amicable. In some quarters, not among officials, he found a disposition to search for a motive behind the American note.

Two-Cent Postage to Bahamas

Washington, Jan. 2.—The postoffice department inaugurated a 2-cent letter postage rate between the United States and the British colony of the Bahama islands in the Atlantic.

Turkish Commander Murdered

Cairo, Jan. 2.—Refugees from Jaffa bring a report that Djamal Pasha, the Turkish commander of the expedition against Egypt, was murdered in Jerusalem.

SUNDAY SERVICES

A new announcement of services is required each week. No notices accepted to run indefinitely. When possible the subject of sermon should be given, also special services. Generous space will be given in the news columns for church news, music and week day gatherings.

FIRST PARISH IN QUINCY (Unitarian)—City Square. Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, Miller Stile Inn, Tel. 21072. office hours at church 9 to 12 A. M. Monday, Wednesday and Friday Tel. 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon by the minister: "An Opportunity and a Need." Sunday School at 12 noon. Miss Minnie Packard, Supt.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH — Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Message by the pastor, "He will be our Guide." Communion and Reception of new members. Bible School at 12, classes for all ages. Mayor-elect Campbell will address the Makaria and Fraternity classes Christian Endeavor at 6. Consecration service. 7.30, Pleasant Sunday evening service. Lecture Topic: "In our own prisons."

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.45. Evening prayer at 7.30.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH—Electa Hall Johnson building, Hancock street, Quincy Meeting at 3.00 and 7.30 P. M. Mrs. S. V. Odirne cynductor. Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough will lecture. Flower Communion at 3. Sealed questions answered at 7.30.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST — Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "God." Golden Text: "I will extol thee, my God, O king; and I will bless thy name for ever and ever." Wednesday 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M. week days, Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M. holidays excepted. Also Wednesday evening before and after services.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, (undenominational) New Colonial Hall Hancock Building, Quincy Centre. Free Bible Lecture Sunday at 3 P. M. for the public, speaker: C. P. Bridges of Lynn. Topic: "What the World Desires Above Everything Else." All are cordially invited. Seats free. No Collection

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH — Washington Street, Quincy. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor; Residence 62 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain. Telephone Jamaica 1950. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Preaching by pastor at 3 P. M. Subject: "How to Have a Happy New Year."

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Quincy Point, Rev. Stephen C. Lang pastor. 10.45 Morning Worship and Holy Communion. Subject of sermon "Religion Equal to 1915." 12 noon, Bible school. 6.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30 P. M. Evening Praise service. Sermon subject "The Year with a Programme." Thursday 7.30 P. M. midweek Prayer service. The pastor will preach Sunday morning and evening. Public cordially welcome.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner of School and Pleasant streets. Rev. D. B McLeod, M.A., pastor. Residence 40 Bradford st Preaching by the pastor at 10.30. and 7.30 Sabbath school and Bible class 11.45. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Week of Prayer will be observed by holding meetings in the church at 7.30 every evening excepting Saturday. All are cordially invited to all the services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Franklin street, Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Residence 26 Richie Road. Preaching Service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Economy and Happiness For the New Year. Sunday School at 11.45. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Subject: "Who is on the Lord's Side?" Consecration meeting. Scripture, Matt. 10:32-39. Leader, Robina Skinner. Evening Service at 7. Baptism before sermon. Subject: "A New Baptismal Robe." Regular prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Water and Quincy Streets. Rev. Mr. Campbell of Paulding, Ohio, candidaty for pastor will conduct the services. Morning worship 10.30. Bible school and mens class 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Italian services Sunday at 9.30. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. Rev. J. J. Romolo, Italian minister.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Brewers Cor. Rev Paul Hallin, pastor Residence 101 Glendale Road, Sunday school 9.30 A. M. At 10.45 A. M. sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The lost and found axe." At 6.45 Y. P. C. E. meeting. At 7.30 P. M. Evangelistic service with short sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Abundant pardon." During the coming week, the week of prayer will be observed with meetings each evening at 7.30 except Monday and Saturday. Strangers are cordially invited.

SWEDISH MISSION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Garfield street. Rev. A. G. Sporrong, pastor, 14 Euclid avenue. Tel. Quincy 148-M. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Young peoples class led by the pastor. Morning service 10.45, sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The servant of the Lord." 5.45 P. M. Communion. The newly elected officers and board will be installed. Evening service at 7.00 P. M. The pastor's message will be "to inspire Christians to soul winning." Next week prayer week will be observed with meetings every night at 7.30.

ST. PAUL'S SWEDISH M. E. Church—Corner Granite and Fort Streets Quincy, Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor. Residence 121 Glendale Road Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6.30. Evening service at 7 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to Scandinavian people to attend any or all services.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH — West Quincy Rev. P. S. Neldon, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall Place. Morning service at 10.30. Reception of members. Sunday School at 11.45. Epworth League devotional service at 6.00 P. M. Subject: "Promises of a Redeemer." Leade: Rev. P S. Neldon. Evening service at 7 P. M. Subject: "Looking forward." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Junior League Friday at 4 P. M A cordial welcome to all.

ST. CHRYSOSTON'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH — Hancock street. Wollaston— Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory. 823 Hancock street. Holy Communion and sermon at 10.30. Sundav School at 12. 7.30 Evening prayer and address.

PARK AND DOWNS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH — Beach street and Rawson road, Wollaston, Rev. William B. Ayers pastor, Services 10.45 A. M. and 7 P. M. Vested choir. Seats free, everybody welcome.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL — Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., pastor. Res. No. 20 Marion street Tel. Quincy 1116 M. "The Children's Hour," at 10.45 A. M. Sunday, for children whose parents are attending morning service. Morning Worship 10.45 sermon by the pastor. "A Happy 1915." New Year Communion of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 12.15. Mr. Charles A. Campbell, Supt. Men's Bible class led by Dr. Sneath. Women's Bible class led by Mrs. A. A. Lincoln. Special meeting for men at 4 p. m. in the church. Address by the pastor, "A New Year's Message for Men." Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Topic: "A story of the boy Jesus." Leader, Virginia Follett. Intermediate Endeavor at 4.30. Christian Endeavor at 6 P. M.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. Prospect and Warren avenues. Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Hand of Fellowship to new members. Sermon by the pastor. Celebration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 12.15. Elford L. Dutgan, Supt. Lesson subject: "God's patience with Israel." Junior Endeavor, 3.30. Mrs. Joseph Walther, Supt. Subject: "A story of the Boy Jesus." Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6. Subject: "Who is on the Lord's side?" Leader, Rev. Joseph Walther. Evening service at 7. Preaching by the pastor. Everyone invited to these services. Morning subject: "The Divine Element in Human Lives." Evening: "Our Attitude toward the Past and Future."

WOLLASTON METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. George Mervyn Bailey, pastor. Residence, 52 Brook Street Telephone, Quincy 378-2. 10.45 A. M. Divine worship with a short sermon. Theme: "The Joy of Service." Holy Communion, 12 M. Sunday School J. A. Sedgwick, Supt. Pastor in charge of men's class. 6 P. M. Epworth League Devotional service. Subject: "Promises of a Redeemer." Leader: F. G. Bennett. 7 P. M. Pleasant Sunday evening service.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH — Corner Beale and Farrington streets. "An House of Prayer for all People," Rev. Carl G. Horst, minister. Residence 39 Grand View avenue. Telephone Quincy 317-1. The church auditorium is equipped with earphones. Service of worship with sermon at 10.30 a. m. Kindergarten for children of three years old and over in the vestry in charge of the well known Kindergartner Mrs. Aylmer Hatch, at 10.45 A. M. Sunday School with classes for all at 12 m. Young People's Religious Union musical service at 7 o'clock. All seats free and a cordial welcome to all.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH — Atlantic Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. Morning service 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "Overcoming Difficulties." Sunday School 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Senior Endeavor at 6. Evening service at 7 P. M. A cordial welcome to all. Communion of the Lords supper at morning service.

ATLANTIC M. E. CHURCH— corner Newbury avenue and Squantum Streets. Rev. E. C. Pollard, pastor. Residence 19 Wesley Street, Newton, phone 2167 W. Morning service at 10.45. The pastor will preach. Theme: "Thanksgiving." Text: Psalms 50—14. "Offer unto God Thanksgiving—a backward and forward look." Sunday School at 12.15. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth, League at 6.00 P. M. Evening theme "Vow Paying."

FIRST CHURCH OF SQUANTUM—Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor. Sunday School exercises at 3 P. M. Preaching service at 4 P. M. Sermon by the pastor. Communion of the Lord's Supper. Special music

NEW TRICK OF BURGLARS

Four Make Easy Getaway After Robbing an Art Store Safe

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 2.—With the proprietor's eyes upon him, but guarded by the conversation of two of his companions and by the overcoat of another, a burglar stole $225 from an open safe in the art store of C. F. Leighton & Co.

Hundreds of persons were passing on the street outside at the time.

The four robbers went into the store last evening. One talked with Leighton, representing himself and his friends as representatives from a lodge, and negotiate for the purchase of a picture for the lodge room.

Another talked with one of the clerks. The third sat on a stool in front of the safe, his overcoat hiding the operations of the fourth, who did the work. Two customers were in the store, being waited upon by the other clerks.

Finally the four left the store, after having received a quotation on the price of the picture from Leighton, who did not discover the robbery until he went to the safe to deposit the day's receipts, when he found that the cash drawer had been cleaned out.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Bany late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Maynard C. King of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 2-4-11

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Hayman Sarkin of Quincy, Norfolk County, Massachusetts, to Harry Goldman, of Boston, Mass., dated May 15th, 1914, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1283 Page 204, for breach of the condition thereof, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises No. 21 and No. 23 Lyndon Road, on Monday, January 11th, 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M. in one sale, to the highest bidder, all of the parcels mentioned in the said mortgage Deed and therein described as follows, to viz.:

FIRST PARCEL.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Sumner Park and being lots numbered 87, 88, 89 on a plan entitled "Plan of Sumner Park in the City of Quincy owned by the Sumner Park Land Company," dated April 1903, by H. T. Whitman, C. E., and recorded with Norfolk deeds in Plan Book 53, plan 2513. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Southeasterly line of Grafton Street at the Northeasterly corner of lot numbered eighty-six (86) on said plan and thence running in a northeasterly direction along said Grafton Street sixty (60) feet; thence running in a southeasterly direction along lot numbered ninety (90) on said plan fifty-four and 18-100 (54.18) feet; thence running in a southwesterly direction along land of owners unknown as shown on said plan sixty and 45-100 (60.45) feet; thence running in a northwesterly direction along said lot numbered eighty-six (86) seventy-six and 5-10 (76.5) feet to the point of beginning.

Being a part of the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Louis Luff, dated September 3, 1913, and recorded with said deeds Book 1260, Page 14.

Subject to mortgages recorded with said deeds in Book 1235, Page 112, in Book 1256, Page 9, and to any and all unpaid taxes.

SECOND PARCEL

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy called "Sumner Park" and being lots numbered 162, 163, 164 on a plan entitled "Plan of Sumner Park in the City of Quincy" dated April, 1903, and recorded with Norfolk Registry of Deeds. Said parcel of land is bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the northeasterly line of Lyndon Road at the northwesterly corner of lot numbered 161 on said plan; thence by an irregular line in a general northwesterly direction along said Lyndon Road sixty-one and 97-100 (61.97) feet to the southwest corner of lot numbered 165; thence easterly along lot numbered 165 ninety (90) feet to lot numbered 168; thence southwesterly along the line of lot 168 forty-five and 37-100 (45.37) feet to lot numbered 161; thence westerly along the line of lot numbered 161 ninety-two and 2-100 (92.02) feet to Lyndon Road and the point of beginning, as shown on said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Louis Luff dated September 3, 1913, and recorded with said deeds Book 1260, Page 15.

Subject to mortgages recorded with said deeds in Book 1208, Page 154 in Book 1221, Page 97, and to any and all unpaid taxes.

THIRD PARCEL.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Quincy called "Sumner Park" and being lots numbered 165, 166 and 167 as shown on a plan of house lots in Quincy owned by the Sumner Park Land Company, April 1903, surveyed by H. T. Whitman, C. E. and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 53, Plan No. 2513, bounded and described as follows: Being on the northerly side of Lyndon Road in said Quincy beginning at lot numbered 164 on said plan; thence northwesterly forty-five (45) feet to a point; thence northeasterly in a curved line twenty-three and 50-100 (23.50) feet to the northeasterly side of Grafton Street, as shown on said plan; thence northeasterly by the southerly side of said Grafton Street seventy-five (75) feet to lot numbered 168; thence southwesterly by said lot numbered 168 sixty (60) feet to lot numbered 164; thence southwesterly by said lot numbered 164 ninety (90) feet to said Lyndon Road and point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to me by deed of David Diamond dated September 29, 1913, and recorded with said deeds, Book 1262, Page 636.

Subject to mortgages recorded with said deeds in Book 1226, Page 205, in Book 1226, Page 208 and to any and all unpaid taxes.

FOURTH PARCEL.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Clark Street in that part of Quincy in said Commonwealth called Atlantic being a portion of the lot marked "Sold," on plan of land owned by the Atlantic Land Company, 1893. H. T. Whitman, C. E., recorded with Norfolk Registry of Deeds, Book 702, Page 640, and being more particularly shown as lot No. 4 on "Plan of land in the city of Quincy subdivided for M. E. Kilpatrick" dated August 29, 1905, E. W. Branch, C. E., recorded with said Norfolk Registry of Deeds, October 6, 1905. Said lot is bounded and described as follows, to wit; southwesterly by said Clark Street sixty-four (64) feet; southeasterly by lot No. 5 on said last named plan one hundred (100) feet; northeasterly by lots No. 2 and No. 3 on said first named plan sixty-four (64) feet; and northwesterly by a remaining portion of said lot marked "Sold" on said first named plan, being lot No. 3 on said last named plan, one hundred (100) feet. Containing sixty-four hundred (6400) square feet of land.

Being a part of the premises conveyed to me by deed of Louis Luff dated September 3, 1913, and recorded with said deeds, Book 1260, page 14.

Subject to mortgages recorded with said deeds in Book 1221, page 113, in Book 1241, Page 187 and to any and all unpaid taxes.

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3t Dec. 19-26 Jan. 2

By NEWELL D. ATWOOD, Auctioneer

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Percy E. Buck to William H. Goudie, dated April 16, 1912, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, Book 1211, Page 27, for breach of condition of the same and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises therein described on Tuesday, January 19, 1915, at 3 P. M., all and singular the real estate described in said mortgage, viz:—

A certain parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and shown as Lot No. 141 on a plan of lands entitled "Plan of Lots, Adams Shore, Quincy, Mass." dated July 7, 1908, compiled by Ernest W. Branch, C. E., recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book No. 50, Plan No. 2373.

Said lot being further bounded and described as follows:—Northerly partly by Lot No. 164 and partly by Lot No. 163, as shown on said plan, fifty-six and 1-100 (56.01) feet; Easterly by Lot No. 142, as shown on said plan, ninety-five (95) feet; Southerly by Bittern Road, as shown on said plan, forty-five (45) feet; Westerly by Lot No. 140, as shown on said plan, eighty-seven and 96-100 (87.96) feet. Be all of said measurements more or less, said lot containing about 4500 square feet.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes, tax-titles or other municipal liens, and restrictions on record.

For further particulars inquire of Leon L. Silbert, Attorney-at-Law, 444 Old South Building, Boston.

WILLIAM H. GOUDIE, Mortgagee
Boston, December 26, 1914
3t Dec 26 Jan. 2-9

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas Curtis late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and one codicil of said deceased have been presented to said Court for Probate, by Thomas W. Curtis of Boston in the County of Suffolk, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him and to Noah Curtis of Cambridge in the County of Middlesex and John Curtis of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the sixth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
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Holy Name Sunday, Jan. 2, will be observed at St. Mary's church Sunday afternoon with a union service for the members of St. John's, St. Mary's and Sacred Heart churches. It is expected that close to 1000 will attend.

Fr. Michael J. Owens, the new pastor of St. John's church will preach the sermon. Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, pastor of St. Mary's church will be celebrant of the vespers, Fr. John P. Cuffe, pastor of Sacred Heart will be deacon and Fr. Walter A. Quinlan of St. John's will be sub deacon. Fr. William J. Duffy of St. Mary's church will be master of ceremonies.

The members of the societies will attend Holy Communion in the morning at their respective churches.

APPOINTED NOTARY PUBLIC.

Emery L. Crane, city clerk of Quincy has been appointed a notary public by Gov. David I. Walsh and has received his commission. The appointment of Mr. Crane was submitted to the meeting of the Governors council Friday and immediately confirmed.

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BIRTHS

BANKS—In Wollaston Park, Dec. 24, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Burpee A. Banks of Royal street.

MARRIAGES.

SCHMIDT—SPAIN—In Quincy, Dec. 22, by Rev. B. A. Willmott, Adams Schmidt and Ethel Spain, both of Boston.

DEATHS

VEAZIE—In Dorchester, Jan. 2, Lavina J., widow of Warren Veazie, in her 74th year. Funeral services at late home, 874 Dorchester avenue, Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

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COUNTRYSIDE MAGAZINE.

In the January issue of The Countryside Magazine, for ten years Suburban Life, the note sounded strongest is that which will appeal to prospective housebuilders. Not only are several fine types of houses that are unique in suggestive value illustrated and described, but various topics relating to house furnishing and decoration are dealt with by experts. As usual, the pictorial features are notable. One of them is a particularly beautiful double page spread showing a half dozen very attractive suburban homes of varying costs.

Some of the leading housebuilding features are: "A Modern House with an Old World Appearance," "A Charming Country House of Stucco and Hollow Tile," "Small Concrete Buildings for Suburbs and Country," "Cluny Lodge; Building an Anglo-Dutch Type of House," "An Ideal Country House That Was Built to Last," "Locating House-Telephones," "Six Suburban House Designs of Much Suggestive Value to the Prospective Builder," "The Utilizing White Paint in Redecorating Our Houses," "What a Few Changes Did for an Old Country House" and "Home-Builders Should Plan for an Attached Greenhouse."

The amateur gardener will find, too, a lot of valuable material in this issue

BRIEFS

Melio Bianchi and family of Buckley street have moved to their new home at East Milton terrace.

The first grand dance of the Quality club will be held in Quincy Adams hall Friday evening, January 22. Thorvald Johnsen is chairman of the committee in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dackers, a popular couple of this city are on their honeymoon and cards have been received for them from various points. Mr. and Mrs. Dackers were married New Years eve. at the St. Mary's parish house. Rev. Fr. Thomas R. McCoy performed the ceremony. Miss Helen Shea and William Donahue were the attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Dackers on their return will make their home on Federal avenue, South Quincy.

OBSERVES 67TH BIRTHDAY.

Friends Drop Anchor at Home of Capt. Clark.

Friends from all quarters of the city dropped anchor at 42 Upland road to help Captain John Clark observe the 67th anniversary of his birth and before their departure he was presented with a miniature boat, with a full schooner rig.

The presentation was by William Richards and was for the purpose of refreshing the memory of Captain Clark who until his retirement a few years ago was one of the most trusted navigators of the Atlantic.

The occasion was arranged by Mrs. Clark and the arrival of the guests was a surprise to the captain. The program included a card tournament and Capt. Clark and Mrs. Richards were the winners. Refreshments were served those present.

Miss Juanita Metherall of Safford street will be hostess to the Delta Sigma Club on the evening of Jan. 11. An entertaining program will be given after the regular meeting.



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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The Mens Club of Atlantic holds its regular meeting in Memorial church vestry Friday evening.

Miss Mary Coyle of Wibird street is spending the week end with friends in Fall River.

George Douse is occupying his new house on Arnold road which has just been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie M. Nickerson of Quincy are spending a few days with friends at Whitman.

Henry L. Sutton of this city is the week guest of O. D. Everson of Whitman.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Mount Wollaston Bank will be held in the banking rooms Tuesday at 3 P. M.

Miss Dorothy Buckley of Walnut street underwent an operation at the Charles street private hospital Wednesday for tonsilitis and adenoids.

Miss Louise Wilson of East Squantum street and Miss Dorothy Kitson are planning soon to enter the Peter Brigham hospital to train as nurses.

Nine tables were in play at the weekly whist party of the George L. Gill associates in Odd Fellows' hall, Thursday afternoon.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Hall Place M. E. church, is to be held next Friday evening, by District Superintendent Dillon Bronson, D. D.

A big sleighing party is to be held by the young people of Atlantic Tuesday evening. A supper will be served en route.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kirby who was taken violently ill Thursday afternoon is much improved.

Queen Esther Circle is to give an interesting entertainment in the Hall Place M. E. vestry, Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th.

Walter E. Piper, Jr., who has been home from the Connecticut Agricultural college for the Christmas holidays returns Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rhines entertained friends from Milton and Malden at whist at their home on Upland road Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Hunt, who has been home from the State Normal School at Bridgewater over the holidays resumes her studies Monday.

Rev. Wm. B. Ayers will continue his lectures on "Great Religious Lessons From the War" at seven o'clock Sunday evening. The subject this week is "Great Britain."

There was but one case in court this morning, that of Thomas Lyons of Braintree who was charged on two complaints with violation of the liquor law. The cases were heard by Judge Pratt, who found the defendant not guilty and ordered his discharge.

The first grand minstrel show of the Quincy Club of Atlantic is to be held in Quincy School hall Jan. 20 and 21. Over fifty of Atlantic's best singers will be in the chorus, with six famous end men.

Sunday evening Rev. P. S. Neldon of the Hall Place M. E. church will preach the second in his series of sermons on the way we look, subject "Looking forward." A cordial invitation is extended to any and all who so desire to attend these services.

The Walther Men's class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion. Prelude: "National Constitutional Prohibition." Lesson subject: "God's patience with Israel." Men invited to this strong and growing class.

A New Years tea was served Friday by the Massachusetts Society of the Daughters of the Revolution in their rooms at Hotel Westminster, Copley Square, Boston, between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock. Quincy was represented by several members of Adams chapter.

The first of a series of six opera talks under the auspices of the Philergians by Havrah W. L. Hubbard, assisted by Floyd Baxter, was given at the Hollis school hall Braintree, Friday evening. The opera "Montemezzis," "The Love of Three Kings" and Wolfe-Ferraris merry intermezzo, "The Secret of Suzanne" were given.

PLAN JOINT INSTALLATION.

Arrangements are being made for the joint installation of the officers of Col. Abner Packard, camp 95,, Sons of Veterans and Aux. 3, on the evening of Jan. 6. The exercises will be in Faxon hall and will be public.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

WHITMAN AND GLYNN:

New Governor (top) and Outgoing Executive of New York State.



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WHITMAN INAUGURATED

Former District Attorney Becomes Governor of New York

Albany, Jan. 2.—Attended by impressive civic ceremonies and brilliant military display, Charles S. Whitman was inaugurated as the forty-fourth governor of the state of New York.

Bishop Nelson invoked divine blessing, after which Governor Glynn delivered an address of welcome to Whitman.

The oath of office was next administered by Secretary of State Hugo to Whitman. The governor then delivered his inaugural address, in which he promised an immediate investigation of all state departments as to expenditures and remedial legislation to correct any evils, urged a better financial system and civil service reform for the state and indorsed the short ballot.

GRIFFINS LAND IN TOMBS

Couple Charged With Extensive Frauds Had Jumped Bail

New York, Jan. 2.—Francis H. Griffin, an attorney, and his wife, Clara H. Griffin, who are under federal indictment on the charge of having defrauded acquaintances of high social standing out of between $300,000 and $400,000, were brought back from Colorado Springs, whence they fled, forfeiting bail bonds of $37,500. They were locked up in the Tombs.

The Griffins were arrested last May in Groton, Mass. Mrs. Griffin operated a stenographic bureau in New York city, and it was charged that, through representations that the bureau had obtained large contracts for government stenographic work, the couple obtained large sums from lawyers, judges, members of clubs to which Griffin belonged, and several women, giving their notes therefor.

They failed to appear when their case was called for trial Dec. 14.

TRAVEL MINUS SHACKLES

Seventy Convicts Transferred From Sing Sing to Auburn Prison

Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 2.—For the first time in the prison history of New York a draft of prisoners from Sing Sing to Auburn has been made without the use of shackles

Seventy-three prisoners were transferred and between Albany and Syracuse even the handcuffs were removed. No attempt was made to escape and the entire draft arrived at Auburn safely. At Syracuse arrangements had been made by telegraph for coffee and crullers, also an innovation.

Thomas M. Osborne, the new warden of Sing Sing, was thanked by the prisoners in around-robin statement.

Almshouse Fire Still a Mystery

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 2.—After hearing the testimony of thirteen witnesses regarding the fire in the Cambridge city home, which resulted in six deaths, State Fire Marshal Neal said the cause of the fire seemed to be a mystery.

Kentucky Still More Dry

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 2.—Nine counties in Kentucky became "dry" Jan. 1. Only thirteen counties out of 180 in Kentucky are now in the so-called "wet" column.

Philippines Reported Quiet

[illegible]ington, Jan. 3.—Major Gen[illegible]re, chief of the bureau of [illegible] says his reports indi[illegible]ilippine archipelago is

NEW TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS.

Following are the subscribers connected with the Quincy Exchange for the week ending Dec. 27.

797W—Ferguson, Walter G. 32 Verchild street.
22366—McGilvray, Arthur L., 1368 Hancock street.
651M—Brett, Harry, 157 Safford St.
251W—Bugbee, Louis S., 21 South Central avenue.
422—Rogers, Geo. D., 83 Grand View avenue.
712M—Hight, George W. Jr., 170 Atlantic street.
226R—Perkins, Laurence, 42 Euclid avenue.
337W—Crotty, George F., 109 Butler road.
1425M—Troup, John M., 8 Plymouth street.
1932J—Close, H. J., 70 James Street.
306W—Emery, Frank A., 281 Fayette street.
953J—Busch, Edward, 53 Ellington road.
1083W—Lewis, George B., 5 Marlboro street.
94W—Dackers, David R., 192 Federal Avenue.
1299-1—Hutchinson, E. Lake, 235 No. Central avenue.
744M—Fredete, George H., 78 Colby road.

FALLS ON ICY SIDEWALK.

An icy coated sidewalk proved the undoing of a South Quincy Italian Friday evening and resulted in his receiving a bad fall and a severe scalp wound. The man was assisted by patrolman Henry Corbett and sent to police headquarters in the ambulance. His wound was dressed by Dr. F. Ramon Burke who found the skull exposed because of the depth of the cut. The man gave his name as Giovanni Giarudici.

MAYOR-ELECT SPEAKER.

Mayor-Elect Chester I. Campbell will address the Makaria Fraternity of Bethany church Sunday noon. All men are welcome.

BROWN AND WALKER OUSTED

Loan Supervisor and Animal Bureau Head Lose Their Jobs

Boston, Jan. 2.—The governor and council last night sprang the biggest surprise of the year in removing from office E. G. Brown, supervisor of small loan agencies, and Fred F. Walker, commissioner of animal industry.

Brown's place will be filled by Deputy Chief Neal of the state police. Walker will be succeeded by Dr. Lester F. Howard of Boston.

In a way, both events were foreshadowed, for charges have been made recently against Brown to the effect that he has not conducted the affairs of his office properly, and against Walker to the effect that he did not spend to the best advantage the money appropriated by the state in the campaign against the foot and mouth disease.

Brown has been holding office beyond his term, and it needed no action on the part of the governor to oust him except to name his successor.



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CAMPBELL AT CITY HALL.

Mayor-elect Campbell was at City Hall this morning looking after the final arrangements for the inauguration ceremonies next Monday noon. It is expected that there will be an unusually large number of women present at the ceremony and three rows of seats directly back of the rail will be reserved for their use and for Mr. Campbell's personal friends.

GIVEN A RECEPTION.

The members of the Delta Sigma club tendered a reception to Dr. and Mrs. Henry Lawrence at their home on Rawson road Friday evening and passed a pleasant evening. Mrs. Lawrence before her recent marriage was Lillian Sutherburg, a member of the club. Her husband is a professor at Dartmouth college. Refreshments were served during the evening and a musical program was given.

Quincy 4th July Association

The Annual Meeting of the Quincy 4th of July Association will be held at the Quincy Board of Trade rooms on Tuesday evening Jan. 12th, 1915 at 8 o'clock.

ARTHUR W. STETSON, Clerk.
Dec. 23t

Quincy Pianoforte Schools PUPILS' RECITAL

Will be held in Colonial Hall, City Square, Quincy, on Wednesday Evening, Jan. 6, 1915, at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained at the School Office, 1419 Hancock Street. Jan 1-4t

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INAUGURATE CAMPBELL

COUNCIL OF 1915 IS ORGANIZED

Joseph L. Whiton Is Unanimously Reelected President

City Clerk Administers Oath of Office to Mr. Campbell and New Councilmen

The twenty-seventh year of the city government of Quincy was inaugurated at 12 o'clock noon today in the presence of an audience that completely filled the council chamber. Three rows of seats for Mayor Campbell's personal friends were reserved just outside of the railing while in the front row of the gallery were the young women clerks employed in City Hall. In addition there were a number of other women. Extra chairs had been placed in the body of the chamber and there these were all taken and even then there were many who were obliged to stand during the ceremonies.

The desk of the president of the council and platform adjoining were covered with handsome bouquets of flowers sent by admiring friends of Mayor Campbell.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes which adorned the platform were the following:

Large basket of roses from the directors of the Fidelity Trust Co., of Boston.

Basket of Killarney roses from the Boston office of Mayor Campbell.

A handsome pink azalea from I. M. Taylor.

A horse shoe of daisies, carnations and roses from Col H. L. Kincaide.

Bouquet of roses from the women clerks at City Hall.

Basket of roses from the Campbell family.

In addition to these there was a handsome bouquet of roses from President Whiton and Women clerks at City Hall.

Councilman Yule was also given a bouquet from Quincy Point friends.

The ceremonies differed but little from other years. A few minutes before the hour of noon the councilmen-elect took seats at the desks inside the inclosure, while most of the department officials were present in the seats regularly provided for them. A minute before the hour of noon the inauguration party entered the council chamber by the rear entrance. The party was led by the city messenger, who has performed the same function for every mayor the city has had. Following him came the mayor-elect with Acting Mayor Joseph L. Whiton, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, chaplain of the day, and City Clerk Emery L. Crane.

The city clerk presided until after the council had organized. The ceremony opened with a brief prayer by Rev. Dr. Sneath after which the city clerk administered the oath of office to Chester I. Campbell. The city clerk then called the roll of the council elect and requested them to stand while the oath of office was administered. Then turning to Mayor Campbell he said: "Ladies and gentlemen, His Honor the Mayor."

Loud applause greeted his introduction and when this had subsided the Mayor stepped forward and delivered his inaugural address which will be found printed in full in today's issue of the Ledger. His reading of the address was several times interrupted with applause and applause again greeted him as he concluded.

Without further delay the city clerk announced that members, as names were called would announce their preference for president. The result was the unanimous election of President Whiton. The oath of office was administered and the city clerk stepped to the desk of the clerk of the council. In accepting the office of President of the council, Mr. Whiton who but a few minutes before had laid down the reins of office as mayor spoke briefly. He said:

"I want to thank you, gentlemen, for the honor you have just conferred upon me. It will be my one aim and desire to preside impartially to all. To be fair and just in my rulings, having always foremost in my mind the interest of our city.

"I feel that with the experience I have had for the past three months it will not be out of place for me to express my views about matters in general that will confront you during the year, and which will be of assistance to our new mayor.

"With proper legislation we can be of great assistance to a material reduction in our tax rate another year, that is in 1916. Remember our only means of raising money is by borrowing, by issuing notes and bonds. All these loans must be met by taxation, and I assure you gentlemen, that performing the duty of collecting taxes is a very unpleasant one.

"There will be matters come up for improvement which will doubtless be necessary, we must progress a little, but on luxuries we certainly must hesitate. It will always be well to remember the expression, "You cannot have your cake and eat it too.

"Remember we legislate, the mayor executes."

The organization of the City Council was then completed as follows:

Clerk of Council and Committees, George T. Magee.

City Messenger, Harry W. Tirrell.

City Auditor, Henry O. Fairbanks.

Loud applause greeted the election of each of these officers. The clerk of the council was sworn in and the council was then ready to proceed.

The first business was the drawing for seats. The usual custom of allowing members of the preceding council to retain their old seats was carried out. The drawing was then completed by the clerk and city messenger.

The regular order of business was then taken up the first being communications from city officers. Under this head communications were received from the mayor appointing the following constables, weighers of coal.

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MAYOR CAMPBELL.

ARRESTS THIEF IN JEWELRY STORE

Officer Doran Aims Revolver at Man Through Window

Robber Was Prepared to Decamp With $1200 Worth of Jewelry

The wholesale larceny of jewelry valued at $1200 from the store of T. L. Williams at 1475 Hancock street, was nipped in the bud at 8.30 Sunday evening by patrolman Daniel Doran who discovered an Italian in the store and forced him at pistol point to climb out through the window he entered and submit to arrest.

Patrolman Doran's attention was attracted by the entire absence of lights in the store and in making an examinatton of the premises he found several broken panes of glass in a Tirrell court window. As he peered into the heavy darkness a chance ray from a street light threw its shafts of yellow across the counters of the store just as the burglar peered around the corner.

Officer and thief looked into each other's faces for just an instant for patrolman Doran lost no time in whipping out his revolver, and commanding the crouching figure to straighten up and come out the way it got in. An attempt on the part of the man to parley at the window brought the retort, "come out or I'll go in."

"Throw up your hands," said the officer as the man emerged. The latter quickly raised his left hand while his right stole around to his pocket where was a 32 calibre revolver with four cartridges snugly filling its chambers.

The officer grabbed him by the arm, spun his prisoner around and then unarmed him while one of the score of men, women and children who gathered while the arrest was being made went to the telephone to summon the patrol.

"We have just sent the wagon" said Sergeant Bishop, "John Hall just telephoned that the bell of the burglar alarm had sounded in his stable. The extra men made a search of the store but found no one there.

When booked at police headquarters the prisoner said his name was Servio Allio, that he had no home and slept Saturday night at a lodging house at 251 Commercial street Boston.

In his pockets were 11 sets of rosary beads, nine gold chains, six gold bracelets, three gold lockets, and three sets of gold studs, the whole worth about $200. In addition he also had 91 pennies taken at the store.

In a box near the window, ready to

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SCHOOL BUILDING MUST OBEY LAW

Chief Billings Orders Changes at Willard and Coddington

Chief Billings of the fire department has notified the school department that the Coddington and Willard must be made to comply with the law. At the Coddington building the chief has discovered that the water is shut off from the stand pipe in the building that runs from the basement to the top floor. This stand pipe has outlets in every room, with a line of hose attached. Two years ago the pipe froze in one of the upper rooms and burst, flooding the entire building so that school sessions were obliged to be omitted for several days until the building dried up.

The chief has discovered that the water has been shut off from the pipe ever since. He also found on investigation that the hose had been uncoupled from the pipe on the upper floor and that on the other floors it was useless as there was no water in the pipes.

At the Willard building the Chief found that while the water was turned into the stand pipe all right the hose was rotten and useless. The hose is the same that has been in use ever since the building was first occupied nearly twenty-five years ago. The chief has ordered that new hose be supplied.

Chief Billings said this morning that Commissioner Brown had ordered new hose placed in the Willard school building. In speaking of the condition at the Coddington building he said that the superintendent and chairman of the school committee had informed him that it was equipped with hand extinguishers and that it had been passed by the state inspector However he still believes that the water should be turned on in the pipes.

MAYOR OUTLINES GENERAL POLICY

Record Audience Listen to Vigorous Inaugural Address

Police Need Better Discipline and Fire Department is Deficient

Gentlemen of the City Council and Citizens of Quincy:

In assuming the duties of Mayor of this historic city, I do so with a feeling that I accept at your hands a great responsibility; one that carries with it many serious problems. It is my purpose to administer the affairs of the municipality in a just, efficient, economical, businesslike, constructive manner, and in this work, I trust that I will have your co-operation and that of every public spirited citizen.

Economy, efficiency and co-operation should be the key note of the administration of the affairs of our City, otherwise our efforts will be futile. We should use the same skill and care in the affairs of the municipality that we would in our own private business. If we desire to bring a greater measure of happiness and prosperity to the people of our city, we should make our government strictly nonpartisan. While I was elected on a partisan ticket, yet I have made it clear that politics should have no part in the business administration of the affairs of our City Government. It is obvious to me that to conduct an efficient, economical business administration we must eliminate politics.

ASKS CO-OPERATION.

It will be my purpose at all times to keep in mind that it is essential to co-operate with you, gentlemen of the Council, in the adoption of bills for the benefit of the municipality or in the rejection of such bills as may be detrimental to the interests of the city at large. With this in mind, I solicit your hearty co-operation. In turn you members of the Council should remember that co-operation among the members of your own body and with the Mayor will tend towards a better understanding and good government. The Members of the Council should view the affairs of our city in the same light that they would the interests of a great private corporation, in which they were financially interested and of which they were directors. The city funds are intrusted to them and they should weigh carefully every measure that calls for great expenditures. You members of the Council should not commit yourselves to any act that will not result in the greatest good to the city as a whole rather than to some particular section. The heads of departments and other employees of the city should strive to bring their particular cog in our municipal machine in perfect harmony with the policy of the administration, and should see to it that their work be carried on in a business-like manner. Once we have our forces co-operating we will reap rewards.

Our city is growing and at this time we should make plans for the future. By the wisdom of the Legislature I am vested with authority to create new Boards that will prepare us for the problems of even fifty years hence. It is my purpose to appoint to these commissions public spirited citizens who are willing to make the sacrifice, and who will plan a constructive policy anticipating our rapid growth. These Commissions should be sufficiently powerful to prevent the adoption of any legislation that would be a detriment to the beauty of our city or in any way endanger the health of generations to come.

We should be careful in assuming new burdens for the present. It would be more business like to protect our investments than to allow them to go to rack and ruin because of a lack of funds. If you members of the Council contem-

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THE MAYOR'S INAUGURAL.

"Experience join'd with common sense,
To mortals is a providence."

To one who heard the mayor's inaugural address this noon, or reads it in another column of this paper, it is believed the quotation from "The Spleen," a poem by an obscure 18th century Quaker poet, will appear appropriate. It was eminently a common-sense speech from a man with sound business experience.

The mayor did not make the mistake of promising too much. He disclaimed intimate knowledge of the details of the various administrative departments. Rather he outlined in broad, general terms his policy, a policy, which, if followed, should do much toward making Quincy the city it ought to be. That he could not succeed in this policy without co-operation, he intimated at the beginning of his address. Of this the Ledger has spoken before: an intelligent working together by the citizens is essential to the welfare of any community.

The second point which Mayor Campbell made was the need of economy in the expenditure of the peoples money, not parsimony but business-like economy. No business man surely would quarrel with his statement that "it would be more business-like to protect our investments than to allow them to go to rack and ruin because of a lack of funds." An instance of the neglect of this doctrine which will occur to all is the lamentable condition of our principal streets, and Mayor Campbell in referring to them said: "Streets where thousands of dollars have been expended have been going to ruin." The streets, the mayor promises, will receive immediate attention. For this promise we should be very thankful. It is not far from the truth to say that a city is known by its streets and if this is so Quincy surely occupies no enviable position. If we wish to attract new-comers to our city we must have telling advertisements which all strangers may read and the streets of Quincy today do not constitute a desirable advertisement.

An oversight of the future construction of our streets will be in the control of a Board of Survey, a new board of three authorized by the legislature. Speaking of the act the mayor said: "This act is aimed to prevent the unwise development of territory to the detriment of the city as a whole. The power of accepting and laying out streets or ways is still vested with the City Council, but it can only do so with the approval of the Board of Survey first being obtained in the manner provided in the act." Any device which will secure an intelligent planning of our city streets is to be favored. The value of this board will depend in large part upon the character and ability of the men appointed to it.

Another board which can do much good is the City Planning Board, about which his honor makes some comments. The aim of this board, as defined by the mayor, "is to promote health, safety, convenience and beauty in the city, thereby conserving human energy and life." We have needed in Quincy a force of this character. It is to be regretted that such a force did not appear to exist in the city government as now constituted.

The attitude of the mayor upon the vexing problem of assessments was awaited, perhaps, with the greatest eagerness. What he said was very little but that little was to the point. Upon the work of the present board of assessors he made no comment. We want and must have fair and equal valuations in the assessment of property," declared his honor emphatically, "and in order to get it we should have experts who are qualified to fix fair market valuations on lands, buildings, machinery etc." It was the mayor's opinion that the assessors should be paid salaries sufficient to enable them to give full time to the work. There is no question that the office of assessor has been an underpaid one with a resulting detriment to the city. There is no department much more important than the department which sets the valuation of property and yet the board of assessors has been too little in the public notice unless pocket-books are tapped so vigorously as to bring such a general protest as was seen the past year. It is an important department and should be treated as such.

The Fire and Police departments come in for a word of sharp censure. In the opinion of the mayor the former is deficient in equipment and he recommends, we think wisely, swift motorization. There is a romantic glamour hovering about the galloping fire horses but the experience of other cities has shown that motor driven apparatus is more efficient. That better discipline is needed in the Police department must be admitted by all who are familiar with the situation. It is no one mans fault that this is so, but a general toning up would be highly desirable.

Upon the question of the term of office for the mayor his honor has a few words to say. He believes that one year is too short a time for successful organization along business lines. This is a question upon which something may be said on both sides. The electorate does not always know the precise character of the man it places in the executive chair and for some men even a year is far too long a term. If Mr. Campbell lives up to his platform as set forth today he will have no difficulty in retaining his office. At all events the question should be a matter for thoughtful reflection by all the citizens.

In the main the Ledger heartily endorses the principles stated by Mayor Campbell. It will watch their working out with careful scrutiny. It has faith in Mayor Campbell and it will be quick to note in its columns the progress of his work. It does not expect always to agree with him and when it does not it will not hesitate to say so. The Ledger will endeavor in every way within its power to co-operate with the city government, inaugurated so auspiciously today, in making Quincy live up to its historical traditions.

FAMILY SCARES AWAY BURGLAR

Entered Kitchen at Home of Mrs. H. E. Hardwick

A burglar entered the house of Mrs. Henry E. Hardwick on Revere road about eight o'clock Sunday evening but was scared away before he was able to do any looting. Although the family rushed to the kitchen when they heard him strike against a partly open door they were unable to get sight of him as he escaped.

An investigation showed that the key, usually left outside the rear door by the maid, had disappeared. The house has been "spotted" during the past week, according to the family who have found foot tracks in the snow around the windows.

All the family were sitting before a fireplace with no lights turned on when they heard the noise. Immediately on reaching the kitchen the lights were switched on, illuminating the entire house.

The Hardwick diamond and other valuable rings and trinkets were in their usual place and were not disturbed.

Seven years ago a similar effort was frustrated by a parrot in the cellar creating such a disturbance that the family was awakened and the intruder scared away.

The house is wired with a burglar alarm but the connections are not set until ten o'clock. The matter has been reported to the police.

RETIRED ON PENSION.

Calvin T. Dyer Served the City For Many Years.

One of the last official acts of Mayor Whiton Saturday was to issue orders retiring Calvin T. Dyer, a foreman in the street department on a pension of $9 per week. Mr. Dyer is a veteran of the civil war and has been employed in the street department for many years. At one of the late sessions of the Council of 1914 an order was passed authorizing his retirement on a salary of one half his average compensation for the past two years. Mayor Whiton completed the retirement of Mr. Dyer Saturday.

JANITORS MEET.

The Quincy Public School Janitors association held its annual dinner at United States hotel, Boston, Saturday and attended the theatre.

The officers of Quincy Chapter Order of the Eastern Star will be installed this evening.

QUINCY HIGH TO BE IN NEW LEAGUE

Five high schools are planning the organization of an interscholastic league and the following are expected to make up the circuit: Brockton, Rockland, Quincy Weymouth and Milton. It will probably be known as the South Shore High Scchool league and will start base ball and later extend to football and basket ball.

John W. Cosgrove of Medford, in charge of athletics at Weymouth High has been elected chairman of the committee of organization. Other members are Arthur E. Staff of Brockton, formerly of Quincy, "Reggie" Nash of Weymouth, coach of Milton and former captain of Brown University; Frank L. Mansur of Quincy and Thomas Pickett of Rockland.

BOXER IS WEDDED.

Gus Lenny Marries Miss Ethel McDonald.

Augustus B. Lahive, known in boxing circles as "Gus Lenny" and Miss Ethel McDonald of South Quincy have been married since Dec. 31 but it just became generally known today. The ceremony was performed in South Boston by Rev. William A. Ryan and after it the couple left on a honeymoon.

The groom is well known throughout the country as the fastest of the light men. He started his 11th season as a boxer a few months ago. He is a book binder by trade. His bride is a popular South Quincy young lady. They will live in South Boston.

COUNTY PRESIDENT TO INSTALL.

James L. White of Walpole, county president of the Hibernian divisions of Norfolk County will conduct the installation of the officers of Division 5, in its hall on Franklin street on the evening of Jan. 13. John J. Donahne, who will be installed for the second term is the youngest Hibernian in the state to hold that office. He was unopposed for re-election.

WOMAN IS THOUGHT VICTIM OF POISON

Husband Is Detained Pending Report of State Chemist

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—Oscar J. Comery is being detained here pending an investigation of the sudden death of his wife, whose body was exhumed from Pine Grove cemetery and sent for examination to the state chemist.

Indications of poison in the stomach led the police to believe that the woman's death was caused by the administration of an overdose of some powerful acid.

Mrs. Comery was 25 years old. According to statements made to the police, Mrs. Comery was taken suddenly ill and died ten minutes after the doctor arrived.

The physician was told that she had eaten a hearty meal the night before and was led to believe that acute indigestion was the cause of death.

NEW VICEROY OF IRELAND

Baron Wimborne Named to Succeed the Marquis of Aberdeen

London, Jan. 4.—Baron Wimborne, who last summmer took to the United States the victorious British polo team, has been appointed lord lieutenant of Ireland, in succession to the Marquis of Aberdeen.

The change in the lord lieutenancy will be welcomed in social and sporting circles of Ireland, for while Lord and Lady Aberdeen devoted much of their time to charitable work, it is expected the new occupant and his wife will revive the social glories of Dublin castle and give their patronage to racing and other sports.

PRESIDENT IN PRISON

Revolutionists Assume Control of the Capital of Paraguay

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 4.—A revolutionary movement has taken place in Paraguay and President Scherer has been imprisoned, according to advices received here. Colonel Escobar, until recently minister of war in the Scherer cabinet, is at the head of the revolt.

Asuncion is under the control of the revolutionists, it is stated.

Scherer was arrested by artillery officers and is being held in the barracks at Asuncion.

Executors Must "Make Good"

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Jan. 4.—By a decision of Surrogate Ostrander, the three executors of the estate of Philip Donohue, late of Waterford, will have to restore to the estate $4000 which was invested in a private bank and lost when the bank failed.

"Keep to the right" signs were placed at important intersecting streets in City Square this morning.

POLICE SEIZE LIQUOR.

Cornelia Palma Receives Summons To Court.

The premises of Cornelia Palma at 1 Willard street was again visited Sunday afternoon by the police, who seized 12 bottles of beer and a barrel of wine. The officers report that they found Mrs. Teresa Palma serving two men with beer and that the little daughter of one of the men was trying to get him to go home with her. Mrs. Palma was summoned to appear before the district court.

The premises of the Palmas have been visited by the police a number of times. Last August they made a raid and seized a quantity of liquor and the husband was fined $75 a few days later in court for violation of the liquor law. He was given time to raise his money but inside of two weeks he was again before the court for violating the liquor law. This second case was continued but later when called Palma did not appear.

A week ago he returned to Quincy and was arrested on a default warrant and is now working out his fine at Dedham jail.

SAVES WIFE FROM AWFUL DEATH

E. B. Warren Responds to Scream for Help

The alarm from Box 12 at 11.33 Sunday morning was for a lively blaze in the cottage of E. B. Warren at 170 Palmer street, and came near resulting in the death of Mrs. Warren The cottage is sheathed on the inside with card board and the fire evidently started from a blanket that was being dried out back of the kitchen stove.

Mr. Warren was standing on the veranda of the house when he heard his wife, who is an invalid and unable to help herself, scream. Rushing in he found the interior of the cottage ablaze. With great difficulty he managed to carry her out through the smoke and flame to a neighbors house. He then ran and sounded the alarm. Mrs. Warren was badly frightened but suffered no ill effects from her experience.

By the time the fire department arrived the interior of the cottage was blazing fiercely but fifteen minutes lively work had the fire out although all of the card board sheathing on the inside was burned off and studding somewhat charred. Chief Billings estimates the loss at $500. This is the second time this cottage has been on fire, the first time being about a year ago when it was badly gutted.

BOYS STEAL CANDY.

It was reported at Quincy Point Saturday morning by E. B. Andrus that someone had entered his house on Washington street Friday afternoon and stolen some candy. Mr. Andrus lives all alone and it is believed that the work was that of boys, who entered the building and carried off some candy which he kept in a store at one time.

OBSERVE 15th ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Burke who have been married fifteen years New Years eve observed the anniversary Saturday by giving a most delightful informal dansant at the King home on Adams street from four until seven o'clock. There was a continuous stream of callers during the hours of receiving. Dancing, a social hour, music and refreshments made up the entertainment.

Quincy 4th July Association

The Annual Meeting of the Quincy 4th of July Association will be held at the Quincy Board of Trade rooms on Tuesday evening Jan. 12th, 1915 at 8 o'clock.

ARTHUR W. STETSON, Clerk.

Dec. 23t

Quincy Pianoforte Schools PUPILS' RECITAL

Will be held in Colonial Hall, City Square, Quincy, on Wednesday Evening, Jan. 6, 1915, at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained at the School Office, 1419 Hancock Street. Jan 1-4t

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SCISSORS PASTE

The New York Tribune credits the report that Germany has already sacrificed more than a million of her soldiers, substantially one-fourth of her army. Other eminent authorities believe that calculating the losses on the best obtainable basis, the death rate for the first year in all the armies will not much exceed a million men. Without entering into details, it may be said in general that the losses of particular engagements, are always very greatly exaggerated. Nobody can possibly know how many are killed until a computation is made. The mind is shocked by the enormity of the slaughter, and the disposition is always to make the story not less tragic than the facts. It is exceedingly improbable that the German armies have lost a million men, or the major fraction of a million men. A million men is a vast host; it is almost inconceivable that a million men should lie dead on even so extended a field of battle as Europe now presents. If any such slaughter were possible it would easily be that exhaustion of men would bring the war to termination long before anybody now anticipates, when in point of fact practically nobody believes that exhaustion of men will bring the war to a termination at all, the exhaustion of horses, of motive power, of munitions of war, of gunpowder and last but not least exhaustion of money being of much more imminent concern. It is well to take all estimates of the losses in battle not officially given on a call of regiments with a great deal of allowance. The losses are terrible enough, but they do not constitute any such holocaust of men as many of the writers would have us believe.—Haverhill Gazette.

Mr. Barry has been talking about the sorrows of lieutenant governors. They have to keep one automobile, hire another, answer 7,000 letters a year, distribute sizable tips freely, always ride in parlor cars, eat at the best hotels, and he was solicited for gifts of $14,000 to charity in six weeks, etc. He can't even walk home, as too many people would make him stop and talk. Yet Governor Foss used very commonly to take the three mile tramp in from Jamaica Plain to the State House. And in spite of all these indignities, there is no lack of capable men to serve the state in this office. It will perhaps strike the average reader that Mr. Barry needs a little stiffer backbone. Just why a lieutenant governor must always ride in parlor cars is not clear. There are a great many excellent people who never ride in parlor cars. Mr. Barry is not quite such a national figure that he is universally known by sight. If he walked into the day coach to come out to Greenfield, it is possible that he might pass unrecognized, and take his ride in peace and seclusion. One suspects that possibly Mr. Barry enjoys the dignities of his office. While the experience is no doubt costly on this basis, he is perhaps getting his money's worth.—Greenfield Gazette.

With all the arrogance of the divine right of kings, Harvard drops various colleges from its football schedule for 1915. It is to be noticed that three of the colleges dropped gave Harvard a tough tussle last season, thereby disclosing perhaps, cause and effect.—Barre Times.

Col. Watterson says that our best national defense is our "geographical aloofness." Let a bill be introduced at once to increase our geographical aloofness and put it on a war footing.—Kansas City Journal.

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WANTS CLUBS TO CO-OPERATE

Mayor Campbell Addresses Makaria Fraternity

Promises To Give Quincy Business Like Administration

A plea for co-operation by the men's clubs of the city in his endeavor to give Quincy a good, clean business administration was made by Mayor Campbell in a short address before the Makaria Fraternity of Bethany church at its regular weekly meeting Sunday noon. His honor, who was then introduced to an audience for the last time as Mayor-elect Campbell, made no mention of political affairs until nearly the close of his talk.

In opening he spoke of a sermon which he had heard last summer while at his camp on Lake Winnipecaukee. The preacher took for his subject "Safety First," and pointed out the necessity, if safety in a structure was to be attained, whether a building or a human life, of the right sort of a foundation. Upon this theme Mr. Campbell enlarged, giving an inspiring and interesting address.

In concluding he remarked that the occasion was a good one to make a campaign speech but that the need for it had passed. Continuing he said:

"We are going to try to give a good, clean administration. I don't mean that there has been anything crooked in past administrations. I don't believe there has been dishonesty, but there has been inefficiency. One of the chief causes of inefficiency has been the failure to back up department heads. We are going to back up officials as long as they are right and when they are not right we are not going to back them.

"I have been fortunate in that there are no strings attached to me and I can assure you that there will be few attached during the coming year. I've got enough Scotch in me,—I mean, of course, Scotch blood,—to stand up and fight when I know a thing is right.

"We need the co-operation of just such organizations as yours. I don't think you realize that if organizations of this character should agree on a program of civic progress they could get about everything they wanted. I hope that sometime in the near future associations such as this will take up the study of the work of the city government, and to them I pledge my support. Have speakers and study the problems which arise so that when the young man desires to enter civic life he will be well posted. There will be no question then of there being good government in Quincy.

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PUBLISHES EARLY EDITION TODAY

Ledger on Sale When Crowd Leaves City Hall

The Ledger has been congratulated from many quarters upon its progressiveness in publishing a special inaugural edition at one o'clock today. Newsboys with huge bundles of papers took up their station in front of city hall as the crowd began to file out. The papers contained the full text of the Mayor's address and the report of the organization of the council.

CORNISH SINGERS ENTERTAIN CITY

The Cornish Singers are arranging to celebrate next Christmas eve with the same spirit and enthusiasm as this year when they visited different sections of the city and sang carols. All are English born and in carrying out the practice give relatives and friends an idea as to how the season is observed in Cornwall. On Christmas Eve they visited the home of Fred Barnicoat, where they were royally entertained. Several other homes were also made happy and joyous on this same evening by their presence.

On Christmas night they visited the home of Thomas Parsons and Richard Bishop. The party were given the heartiest of welcomes at both these homes.

On Tuesday evening Dec. 29, they spent an hour or so at the home of H. J. Rendle, from there adjourned by special request to the home of Walter Deacon. Selections on the piano, violin and cornet were rendered in addition to those of the carol party.

New Year's Day Percy Rundle extended an invitation to the party and a very delightful social hour was spent. At the midnight hour all rose to sing "Auld Lang Syne." A large gathering of friends were present to receive the party at the home of Charles Swarth. John Harlen rendered "Tipperary" which delighted the party very much. Other solos were sung by Thomas Newcombe, H. J. Rendle and M. R. Besanko.

Those that composed the carol party were: Sopranos, Herbert Collins J. Harlen, J. Pasco, T. Parsons, R. Besanko; altos A. Rendle and J. Moyle; tenors, William Warmington and H. Warmington; basses, R. T. Veale, and C. Vanner Instrumental, baritone air, H. J. Rendle, cornet-alto Percy Rundle; flutes-tenor Eddie Walter; harmonica, bass, T. Newcombe.

CHURCH NOTES TUESDAY.

Unusual Demands of Inauguration Compel Omission Today.

Church notes are omitted today because of the unusual demand made upon space and time by the inauguration exercises. They will be printed in full in Tuesday's Ledger.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the Quincy Post Office for the week ending January 2, 1915.

Walter Balcke, Gmky Cpwnkolckouy L. Kedine, Mrs. Antera Lukkarinen, Manager (Box 309), A. J. Murray, Florence E. Nagle, A. E. Olsen, Edward P. Powers, C. E. Suckles, Miss Frances Watson.

DISTRICT COURT.

Frank Sullivan was sentenced to one month in the house of the correction for drunkenness at Quincy. William H. Smith was fined $15 for the same offence.

John Verichuk was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for attempted felonious assault on Maderga Sitoveouvi.

FORE RIVER PLAYS FOR CUP.

The Fore River and New Bedford teams will play off their National Cup game at New Bedford on Jan. 16. The game will be third round of the National tournament and the first time a local league team has gone so far in that important series.

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MAYOR OUTLINES GENERAL POLICY

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ECONOMY THE WATCHWORD.

plate ordering additional improvements calling for the expenditure of great sums of money you should bear in mind that work already commenced should be first finished. This year above all others Economy should be your watchword. We are, for instance, confronted with a serious problem in the matter of streets and ways, as the highway mileage of our city is so out of proportion to our population and revenues. Streets where thousands of dollars have been expended have been going to ruin. Should we not, therefore, see to it that the vast amount of money already expended on our thoroughfares be protected before appropriations are made for new roads. Our main trunk roads should have constant attention and be kept in the best possible condition, and thus prevent the diverting of traffic to the minor residence streets. In any consideration of the streets of our city they should be sharply differentiated, according to their use, into main thoroughfares and minor streets, though there should, of course, be intermediate types. The principal highways should be wide and direct, in order to accommodate heavy traffic so well that it will keep away from the minor streets. These highways should be planned far in advance of building, in order to assure through connection. The result in saving in land, construction and up-keep, due to the concentration of travel will be very great, while the minor residence streets will be kept free from the noise and dust of heavy traffic.

DEPLORABLE CONDITION OF STREETS.

While the deplorable condition of our streets should and will receive immediate attention, yet the future development of our highways has been wisely planned for, by an act of past legislature which authorizes the Mayor to appoint a Board of Survey, made up of three citizens. This act is aimed to prevent the unwise development of territory to the detriment of the City as a whole, and provides that if any person or corporation desires to lay out any street in the city of Quincy he shall, before beginning construction, submit to the Board of Survey plans and profiles of such streets, and shall prepare them so as to show the method of drainage of the contiguous territory. The power of accepting and laying out streets or ways is still vested with the City Council, but it can only do so with the approval of the Board of Survey first being obtained in the manner provided in the act. This act will also prevent land speculators from indiscriminate laying out of streets through undeveloped sections for the sole purpose of land sales, for if any individual or corporation lays out streets and ways without the approval of the Board of Survey the public authorities are prohibited by this act from doing any work in the same. The result will be that the individual will be forced to obtain the approval of the Board of Survey before developing his land.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

In line with the task of giving proper direction to the future growth and development of Quincy the Mayor is directed by a legislative act (Chapter 494, 1913) to appoint a City Planning Board. It is a labor fraught with the gravest responsibility, and most far reaching consequences. It will be the duty of this Board to make a careful study of the resources, possibilities, and needs of the City, and to make plans for the development of the municipality with special reference to the future. Quincy with its natural resources and its natural beauty will surely grow by leaps and bounds in the near future. Thousands of families will in the near future come to this city for an attractive place to live. Many diversified commercial institutions will be attracted here by the natural advantages that the city offers. In the next twenty years Quincy will probably show greater growth than any city adjacent to Boston. We should profit by the experience of others. In the plan of a city the underlying framework is its means of communication—by water, rail, and highway. To this end the railroads must be studied with reference to the increasing problems of transportation of passengers and freight. We should plan now for proper transportation for our great granite and other industries and also our increasing commercial activities. There is no reason why unsightly, unhealthy spots should disfigure our municipality. It costs more to keep them than to get rid of them, or to plan in advance against their presence. The specific aim of the city planning board is to promote health, safety, convenience and beauty in the city, thereby conserving human energy and life. Such planning concerns itself with all the physical aspects of the city—its streets, railroads, waterways, public services, its administrative, educational, recreative property; and the development of private property. It treats them as component parts of an organic whole, so that each may dovetail into the next. The economies resulting from such planning will repay the costs many times over in its items of immediate application. It will also take effective steps to eradicate many of the most unpleasant features of our city. A carefully devised city plan, made far in advance showing when and how improvements ought to be made, fitting them in properly with other improvements made and to be made would not only secure uniformity, but actually involve a smaller outlay. The work of the planning board will be of vital importance to our future citizens. The future like the past, will witness the expenditure of vast sums of money on both public and private improvements. Great savings can be made by pursuing a comprehensive and systematic plan.

NEED EXPERT ASSESSORS.

We want and must have fair and equal valuations in the assessment of property, and in order to get it we should have experts who are qualified to fix fair market valuation on lands, buildings, machinery, etc. The selection of a competent board of Assessors is a hard one, inasmuch as men who are best qualified for the position would not be attracted because the fixed compensation is not sufficient. Personally, I believe that the members of this board are underpaid. I believe that in the end it would be a great economy if the salary of the members of the Board of Assessors was increased to such an amount as would enable the Mayor to select a Board that would devote all of its time to this work. Necessary provision should also be made for expert opinion upon values of such property as machinery, etc., of which the Board of Assessors has no technical knowledge. This would put a stop to inaccurate estimates. It would take too long to enter into the complete details as to the duties, liabilities and penalties, etc., of the Board at this time, but it is a fact that after the Board is appointed they automatically become directly responsible to the Tax Commissioner of the Commonwealth. The Board has always been a much abused one, and the criticism heaped upon it has not always been just.

FIRE DEPARTMENT DEFICIENT.

No department in the city is so deficient from the standpoint of equipment as our Fire department. There is great need of modern apparatus, and I recommend that the department be motorized as rapidly as possible. It is impossible to get any degree of efficiency from horse-drawn vehicles because of the great distances that have to be travelled. Municipal experts all agree that not only is the motor driven apparatus more efficient because of its great speed in reaching a fire zone, but also because of the economy in up-keep. The fire alarm system of our city is antiquated and practically no improvements have been made upon this system in the past 17 years. We are still using the storage battery system which was one of the first methods used for fire alarms. It has the old wooden type of board which has been condemned by the National Board of Fire Underwriters. This apparatus is installed in the Central Fire Station and is not only exposed to damage by fire from the building but from high tension currents leading to a wooden switchboard and wooden mountings of the repeater and cutout switches. It is absolutely necessary for the safety of our homes and industries that the fire alarm circuits have immediate attention, for owing to the old type of boxes and the overloading of the circuits we are in danger of inaccuracies in the alarms that might cause great loss of life and property. We should build a fireproof room adjoining the Central Fire Station and install a modern automatic repeater and charging board and other apparatus to bring the equipment to a high standard. A fire in the Central Fire Station at this time would put out of commission our entire alarm system.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

The revenues of the Water department have shown considerable increase of late. This is due in a great measure to the activity of the collection department stimulated by our esteemed retiring Chief Executive. The investigations of leaks in the water supply are receiving attention and by the continuance of these activities I feel safe in stating that the water department will show a decided improvement during 1915.

POLICE NEED DISCIPLINE.

The Police department has been severely criticised. While in some cases, no doubt, without foundation, yet better discipline must be maintained in this department. Courtesy must be extended and calls from citizens must have immediate attention. We must have promptness and efficiency.

APPROVES UNIFORM PURCHASING.

I heartily approve of the action of the retiring Council in reference to uniform system of purchasing. This step is a most important one and points at once a method of economy which I feel the council will have in mind throughout the coming year. I see no reason why there cannot be a saving by this method which calls for orders passing through the hands of one person to be checked by the Auditor against the appropriation of the department for which the goods are intended. This will prevent any department head from unknowingly exceeding his appropriation. It is intended that each department will have full knowledge of their expenditures. It also gives the city a chance to buy on a business basis instead of having contracts placed "quietly and friendly."

ONE YEAR TERM TOO SHORT.

City government experts throughout the country are fast realizing that the one year term for the office of Mayor does not give the Chief Executive sufficient time to bring to a successful issue an efficient, harmonious municipal organization working along economical business lines. This coupled with the agitation throughout the country for a more compact legislative body should have the attention of our citizens.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

While the school department and its board do not come under the jurisdiction of the Chief Executive, yet he can do much to encourage these worthy gentlemen in the vital work they are carrying on. It is my purpose to co-operate with them in every manner possible, and in their behalf I solicit the co-operation of the City Council. In this respect the women of our city have taken the lead in co-operating with the School Board, as evidenced by the recent vote of the Quincy Women's Club which has donated a sum of money to establish a School Nurse in our city. This was done as a memorial in observance of its Tenth anniversary. I make note of this with a great deal of pleasure. It shows that the civic pride and public spirit of our women is awakened.

JULY FOURTH PAGEANT.

When the Declaration of Independence was signed John Adams said "This fourth day of [illegible]76, will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forevermore." Quincy, the home of John Adams, ought to certainly adopt the spirit, and in the main, the letter of his utterance. With a wealth of historical material in our city, it seems to me quite time we should fall in line with other cities in providing a July 4th Celebration along the line of Pageantry. The chief difficulty this year is financial. Such a celebration could receive little aid from the City, but I have been encouraged to believe that the different organizations of our city will heartily co-operate in a July 4th Pageant this year, and that private contributions would be sufficient to meet the expense.

WILL STUDY DEPARTMENTS.

Purposely I have refrained from presenting figures or estimates of the various departments. Official figures are always obtainable at the Auditor's office, and I feel that in attempting to place them before you at this time would only serve to duplicate the reports of the officials. The matters which I have touched upon are only too obvious to us all, and should receive more exhaustive study than I have been able to give them thus far. Each department of our city, however, will be fully and carefully considered and such remedy as seems best will be applied, in order to bring them to the highest standard of efficiency. It will be my constant effort to strive for better government, and this will mean greater prosperity and happiness to us all.

In conclusion, I would say that in assuming this office it is with the most cordial desire to unite such powers as are vested in the Executive, with those most active and influential organizations now proving of so much value in the advancement of our city. The Board of Trade; Women's Clubs; Parent Teachers Associations in various wards are all proving powerful instruments in the upbuilding of our historic city—and to them and to you—Gentlemen, I pledge my most hearty co-operation.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Tuesday fair with somewhat rising temperature.

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Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.26
Length of day	9.13
Moon rises	9.03
High water, A. M.	1.45
High water, P. M.	2.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 7 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	28 degrees
Jan. 4. 1914,	33 degrees
Jan. 4, 1913,	58 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

BRIEFS

St. Ambrose Court M. C. O. F. will hold an installation tonight in St. Joseph's hall.

Richard Ash of Copeland street resumed his studies at Tufts Medical school, Boston today after a two weeks vacation.

Joseph A. Curry, manager of Hussey's Department store, Roxbury, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Michael Curry of Ashland street.

The St Mary's C. T. A. & M. B. society will hold its regular meeting tonight. Important business is expected to come before the meeting it being the first one of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Winlock were given a pleasant surprise by a number of their friends, Friday evening at their new home on Billings road.

Bennett J. O'Brien of Revere street and John J. Joyce of Hall place left Sunday to resume their studies at St. John's Seminary, Brighton, after spending the holiday with their respective folks.

Mrs. Mary Ryan of Common street, who is ill with pneumonia was removed to the Quincy City Hospital Saturday. She is reported as resting comfortably.

Ave Maria council, Knights of Columbus, will hold its Ladies Night in St. Joseph's hall Wednesday night. A fine program has been arranged by the committee consisting of Charles Buckley Edward Monahan, Martin O'Toole and Charles Reardon.

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MAKARIA MAKES GOOD BEGINING

Opens Basketball Season With Two Victories

Both Makaria teams were the winners in the basket ball games at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night, thus auspiciously inaugurating their season. The first team beat the Wanderers 35 to 14, and the second the Red Men, 22 to 17.

The shooting of Glover, Smith and Jenkins of the Makaria first quintette was excellent while the Chapman brothers starred for the Wanderers.

The games in detail:

MAKARIA 1st		WANDERERS
Glover, rf		lb, L. Chapman
Andrews, lf		rb, R. Kenn Dineen
Smith, c		c, Arthur
Jenkins, rb		lf, H. Chapman
Eaton, lb		rf, M. Chapman

Score Makarias 35, Wanderers 14. Goals from floor Jenkins 3, Smith 4, Glover 5, Andrews 4, H. Chapman 2, M. Chapman, Arthur 2, Dineen.

Goals from fouls Jenkins 2, Glover 1. Referee Melville. Umpire Pratt. Scorer Sprague. Timer Dineen. Time 20 min. halves. Attendance 150.

The second game.

MAKARIA 2nd		RED MEN
Morris, rf		lb, Martin Stronach
Thomas, lf		rb, Shirley
Foss, c		c, Summers Martin
Morrison, rb		lf, Larkin
Chill, lb		rf, Veale

Score Makaria 2d 22, Redmen 17. Goals from floor Morrison 2, Morris 4, Thomas 4, Veale 1, Larkin 2, Summers 2, Martin 3.

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MACHING GALLERY STILL IN LEAD

The Machine Gallery team of the Fore River league retains a most comfortable lead and Smith is still high average man. O'Lindy is still holder of the individual records.

	Won	Lost
Machine Gallery	51	9
Y. Department	44	12
E. Department	36	24
N. Department	32	24
Treasurers Office	20	16
B. Department	29	31
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D. Department	28	32
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M. Floor	21	39
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Smith 100, Tirrell 99, O'Lindy 97, Westland 94, Kateon 93, Carlson 93, Djerf 93, White 92, Mahoney 92, Ryan 91, Stone 90 Galvin 90.

High single string O'Lindy 153.
High three string O'Lindy 360.
High team single M. Gallery 505.
High Team 3 string M. Gallery 1442

SPORTING COMMENT

Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, opens its bowling league at the Wardwell alleys this evening. There will be four teams and the schedule closes next spring.

Geo. Bliss of pipefitters quintette of the Fore River league is now a proud parent. Mrs. Bliss having given birth to a daughter the day before Christmas.

The single and married men of Ave Maria council will soon meet in a series of special bowling matches.

The New England soccer referees discussed a uniform set of soccer rules at Charlestown Sunday afternoon. The meeting was the first of a series to boom soccer.

The Manchester Light Blues have protested their recent soccer game against Brockton. Their claim is that the ground rules were not lived up to.

George Finlay, last year captain of football at Williston seminary at Northampton is visiting his father, W. L. Finlay of Greenleaf street. Mr. Finlay, on his return will join the basket ball squad.

Edward "Bull Moose" Brown leaves today for Syracuse University to commence a four years course. Brown is the best known of the local athletes because of his prowess. He is the fastest amateur all round young man to the south of Boston.

ARREST THIEF

(Continued from Page One.)

be taken away, he had packed a quantity of watches, diamond rings, bracelets and other jewelry, worth about $1000. Other jewelry valued at about $400 had been removed from their original place but had not been packed.

Allio admitted he had served time in states prison. He said he had been arrested while climbing out of a Boston store with bread and cheese seven years ago and had been sentenced to an indefinite term in States prison. He cafe about seven o'clock Sunday evening when he was given the supper he asked for. Others in the restau- was paroled after a year.

He said he came to Quincy about nine o'clock Sunday morning and spent the day looking over the city. He was first noticed in the Thompson rant saw his pocket bulge and thought he was carrying a bottle instead of a revolver.

A short time after Allio walked down Hancock street to Tirrell court where he broke the window in the Williams store. Throwing the catch he raised the window, causing the alarm bell to ring in the Hall stable, climbed in and turned out the light in the rear of the store.

Although it was at first thought that the bell sounded because wires were crossed employees phoned John Hall and he notified the station.

While this routine was being observed patrolman Doran had discovered and was arresting his man and also becoming eligible for the reward of $100 offered by the insurance company which insures against burglary.

Allio claims to have been out of work for eight months. When asked to explain how he had $2.30 in his possession said a countryman had loaned him three dollars Saturday.

Allio was arraigned on two complaints before Judge Avery this morning. One complaint charged him with breaking and entering and the other with carrying a loaded revolver. On the former complaint he was held in $2000 for the grand jury and on the second complaint he was sentenced to one year in the house of correction.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The high school hockey team played a practice game Saturday afternoon on the Cunningham rink against the State Street Trust team and won by the score of 4—3 Robertson, captain of the school boys, was the star of the game. He made two of the four points. Farrell, Fuller and Johnstone, all former high school stars, played on the visiting team.

Miss Dorothy Hammons of Cambridge spent the week end with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Clements of Boulevard street.

Frank O'Heron, former captain of the High school foot ball team, returned to Penn. State University today after enjoying a short vacation.

The class which graduated from High School last June held a reunion Saturday evening in the Westminster Hotel. Palfrey Mither, president of the class, was the toastmaster.

Miss Ruth Mooers of Bates road entertained a few of her friends Saturday evening.

The three basketball teams of Cunningham Gym won their games Saturday evening. The first and second teams played the Boston Y. M. C. A. first and second and the third team played the Roxbury Five. The score of the first team was 33—8 in Milton's favor. The game was rather one sided due to the excellent playing of "Dan" Duggan and "Nic" Carder.

At the First Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor preached on: "The New Path for the New Year." The Sunday school met at 12 M with 121 present. The C. E. society meeting was led by the new president Miss Edith C. Johnson. The subject was: "Who Is on the Lord's Side." In the evening the pastor preached on: "The Most Important Thing in the World."

At the East Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. John M. Trout, preached on: "The Place of Experiment in the Year's Program." A communion service was held immediately following the morning service and a reception of new members. The pastor preached a brief address in the evening on: "Making up the Year's Budget."

BUYS SLOOP ALTAIR.

Allen C. Jones has purchased the sloop Altair, formerly owned by Edward W. Monahan. Last fall the yacht was "junked" and the lead stripped from the keel. The hull has been towed to the Baker basin at the Point where an engine will be installed and the interior renewed. The Altair will be the tender next season to Mr. Jones champion 31-rater, Nutmeg III.

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ARRESTED SECOND TIME

Grassadonia Charged With Being Accessory to Albertson Murder

Wakefield, Mass., Jan. 4.—Luigi Grassadonia, 41 years old, was arrested last night, charged with being an accessory to the murder of Morris A. Albertson, a pewelry salesman, whose mutilated body was found buried in the cellar of a shanty in the rear of 34 Columbia street.

This makes the second time Grassadonia has been arrested on the charge of being accessory to the death of Albertson.

When the body was discovered Grassadonia was immediately arrested, but after being put through the third degree was allowed to go. The police now assert he is the man who persuaded Albertson to leave Lawrence and come to Wakefield under the promise that he would be able to sell some jewelry.

IMMUNITY PLEAS DENIED DIRECTORS

Three Indicted New Haven Men Must Stand Trial

New York, Jan. 4.—The federal district court overruled the pleas for immunity interposed by John L. Billard, James S. Elton and William Skinner to indictments charging them, as directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company, with violation of the Sherman law.

Elton, Skinner and Billard claimed they were entitled to immunity because of testimony given by them before the interstate commerce commission prior to the return of the indictments.

The court's decision means they will now be called upon to plead to the indictments which include eighteen other directors or former directors of the road.

LEFT TO DIE IN FIRE

Aged Invalid Rescued by Neighbors After Being Seriously Assaulted

Tilton, N. H., Jan. 4.—After Mrs. George Dean, an aged invalid, had been rescued from her burning home, she told the officers who investigated the cause of the fire that she severely beaten at the time it started.

Mrs. Dean has no family and has been cared for by an attendant named Stewart for several years. She smelled smoke and was wheeling her invalid chair to the telephone to summon help, she said, when she was seized by the hair, thrown to the floor and pummelled about the head and body.

An examination by physicians showed that she was suffering from contusions. It is feared she will not recover from the shock. She was unconscious when neighbors removed her from the house, and relapsed into a semi-conscious condition after she had told her story many hours later.

The officers have begun a search for the attendant with a view to questioning him.

Old Supreme Court Officer Dead

Washington, Jan. 4.—Mapor John M. Wright, for twenty-seven years marshal of the United States supreme court, died at his home here. He was 73 years old and a veteran of the Civil war.

Three Men Break Jail

Auburn, Me., Jan. 4.—Cleophas Valleen, Alton Viguo and Thuer Gezo escaped from the jail here, where they were held to await the action of the grand jury on charges of larceny.

Bank Robbed by Masked Bandit

Neelyville, Mo., Jan. 4.—After locking the cashier, W. A. Walker, in the vault, a masked bandit robbed the bank of Neelyville of $4000 cash and escaped.

Newspapers Raise Price

San Francisco, Jan. 4.—Two of the afternoon papers published here and two published in Oakland advanced their price from 1 to 2 cents a copy.

BOSTON & ALBANY RAILROAD (N. Y. C. R. R. CO., Lessee) Passenger Traffic Department, Boston, Mass., January 4, 1915. The following is a list of baggage, suburban delivery bundles, and parcel room articles, remaining unclaimed in the hands of the Boston & Albany Railroad, now at its station in Worcester, under checks as below, and same will be sold at public auction after a period of six months, if uncalled for: Trunks—Local checks, 105344, 386578, 264816, 738678, 355417, 902178, 516409, 392977, 902179, 145354, 944072, 348318, 460658, 273990, 856766, 487988, 46787, 65480, 673871, 157684; Excess 99555; NYC 526366, 526365; NYNH&H 28447, 502347; B&OSW 48190; Pinkham's Express 3718; Worcester Claim 15693, 13394; B&M 35825; Farnsworth Claim 20053; Allen Bros. 24; Without checks 4. Boxes—B&M 504415; Local 125818; Without checks 3. Bundles, canvas bags and bales— Local 292648, 49553, 19987, 292653, 24457, 478989, 478990, 649543, 879435, 879434; NYNH&H 274065, 517020, 868526; NYC 925152; N. E. Nav. Co. 309222; D. & H. 228518; Without check 1. Baby Carriages, Go-carts—Excess 86677, 64043; NYC Excess 516936; Without Checks 2. Dress Suit Cases, Grips, Valises—Local 584740, 36419, 669497, 148650, 394168, 237689, 809030, 92134, 419891, 471594, 581143, 726504, 869689, 173818, 159690, 289017, 18695, 199428, 515226, 687717, 225077, 492672, 65876, 708814, 604587, 441131, 276463, 179942, 120310, 869688, 132262, 456330, 76487, 904440, 782784, 623105, 271663, 94709, 325685, 47961, 30637, 139271, 327048, 471532, 542162, 471532, 685992, 512662, 594958, 865795, 840486, 241875, 352891, 614952, 295459, 636776, 348316, 279268, 731263; NYC 911728, 521984, 110346; COD 39452; NYNH&H 307367, 459745, 909439, 433562; Rutland R. R. 684991; C. V. Ry. 49777, 17518, 17519; Michigan Central 555894; C. R. I. & P. 4663; Penn. RR 665143. Without checks 64: Springfield Parcel Room Checks, Dress Suit Cases, Bags, Bundles, Paper Packages, etc—139387, 73399, 92593, 28459, 424992, 427114, 105980, 306712, 91210, 93136, 332566 429953, 322721, 139657, 129400, 91525, 300239, 86193, 83470, 131829, 52609, 268046, 311581, 318846, 290795, 329459, 460918, 130296, 184393, 165076, 63348, 310334, 51566, 189733, 90923, 423225, 137621, 269678, 435933, 136149, 63347, 421578, 447631, 131938, 62913, 185168, 71042, 328761, 294207, 378910, 253819, 57189, 460917, 102400, 67439, 494724, 474347, 494722, 479666, 501858, 494721, 494723, 468751, 467722, 474345, 492153, 483387, 480387, 506032, 482756, 504311, 502913; Umbrellas 472225, 478101, 472226, 484958, 476565, 485347, 473227, 494744, 492365, 490971, 493267, 506013, 500590, 503526, 115435, 65031, 76631, 52995, 160022, 58082, 87535, 291212, 51146, 144384, 323748, 126930, 60762, 137997, 116121, 66099, 85608, 118132, 55069, 99562, 100770, 464030, 65485, 48572, 114952, 62453, 93622, 42211, 86641, 34335, 85877, 92426, 93663, 88309, 322990, 332064, 343730, 330848, 93322, 137903, 180813, 39954, 170044, 433068, 435450, 433067, 433240, 78388, 180469, 344700, 160990, 318198, 78216, 133990, 93165, 77821, 115462, 449936, 114089, 342569, 128696, 85017, 44559, 289071, 93998, 160096; 180001, 49892, 37062, 310947, 119249, 156523. Pittsfield Parcel Room Checks, Dress Suit Cases, Bags, Paper Bundles, etc.—209390, 61220, 351052, 353519, 213859, 205689, 457061, 196864, 354858, 364543, 364544, 266286. Umbrellas 355100, 205565, 366050, 366229, 352083, 200326, 11019, 212955, 359900, 351322, 206773, 33445, 190422, 210335, 351151. Trinity Place Parcel Room Checks, Paper Bundles, Umbrellas, etc—167, 223091, 227629, 224905, 222281, 224478, 49124, 217766, 222976, 224673, 221428, 220944, 50859, 220496, 220795, 217736. Huntington Ave. Parcel Room Checks, Dress Suit Cases, Paper Bundles, Umbrellas—19096, 18909, 227066, 238708, 18424, 220127, 227641, 18465, 89153, 19026, 19192. South Framingham Parcel Checks, Dress Suit Cases and Paper Bundles—8348, 8544, 910, 8269. Palmer Parcel Checks, Dress Suit Cases and Umbrellas—512086, 1080, 512928, 29949. Chatham Parcel Check—3996. Suburban Parcel Delivery Checks—120410, 1401, 2293, 49494, 17150, 3158, 18601, 2070, 2290, 2705, 1483, 2718, 24296, 2292, 28529, 2727, 3248, 13447, 6596, 5029, 2726, 24299, 40927, 32058, 2715, 1263, 5, 49813, 11085, 3215, 6013, 1. Miscellaneous Packages—Local 259701, 275246, 203069, 233979 (Bicycle.) Without check 1 (Spot Light.) W. A. BARROWS, General Passenger Agent.
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Whereas, George H. Brown the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the fifteenth account of his trust under said will. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Dec. 28 Jan. 4-11

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Bany late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Maynard C. King of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 2-4-11

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Jeanne B. Hill late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Christine B. Hill has presented to said Court an application for a distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, among the next of kin of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said distribution should not be made according to said application. And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To all persons interested in the estate of Lydia L. Morton late of Quincy in said County, deceased

Whereas, Thomas E. Bixby executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

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HOLY NAME SOCIETIES IN UNION SERVICES

More Than 1000 Attend Meeting at St. Mary's Church

One of the most impressive religious observances of the city took place Sunday when more than 1,000 members of the Holy Name societies of St. Mary's, St. John's and Sacred Heart churches attended communion at the morning masses and in the afternoon joined in a union service at St. Mary's church.

The large gathering, greater in numbers than that of last year's St. John's service, completely taxed the West Quincy edifice. Extra seats were provided but even they proved insufficient and many were obliged to stand in the rear of the church and at the end of the four aisles.

A solemn high vespers, closing with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament was celebrated by priests of the Quincy parishes. Fr. Michael J. Owen, recently transferred from St. Bridget's parish at Lexington, to St. John's of this city, preached the sermon, taking as his text: "Blessed be the name of Jesus."

Fr. Thomas R. McCoy of St. Mary's parish, director of the largest society south of Boston and who, while at the Cathedral planned the remarkable Holy Name parades, was celebrant. Fr. John P. Cuffe, dean of the Catholic priests of Quincy, was deacon, Fr. Walter A. Quinlan, curate at St. John's church, was sub deacon and Fr. William J. Duffy, curate at St. Mary's church, was master of ceremonies.

The musical portion of the services was rendered by an augmented choir under the direction of Joseph V. Morrisette with Mrs. M. M. Reardon organist and Jaul Z. Morrisette as violinist. The soloists were Miss Celina Belliveau, Miss Nora Reardon, Joseph Daley, Peter and Joseph Morrisette.

The services were opened by all singing the hymn to the Holy Name, composed by His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell, and during the services they sang, "O Salutaris," "Tantum Ergo," closing with "Te Deum."

The 650 members of St. Marys parish met in St. Joseph's hall and a few minutes before the time appointed for the service marched into the church. There were 200 members of the St. John's branch and 175 of the Sacred Heart present. Theye made the trip by electric.

Father Owen's sermon was short. He opened with "Blessed is the Name of Jesus for that name is the shining ray of salvation for the world." In speaking of the present unsettled conditions in European countries he said they could be best explained by the fact that the people in those countries were forgetting that through the name of Jesus, could and should their troubles be settled.

The Catholic church teaches obedience to constituted authority is one of the fundamental principles of a man because every properly constituted authority draws its powers and responsibility from God and that even in this country there are civil and internal dissensions that arise because men fail to realize that through Jesus Christ their problems can be settled.

He closed with an exhortation that all members of the society should realize that only through God and through proper reverence and adoration for the holy name of Jesus could their worldly affairs be properly adjudicated.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR BASKET BALL

High School Team Rounds into Form

The outlook for a very successful season in basketball at the High school is very bright.

Although but two of last year's veterans were in school at the beginning of the practice, the coaches have succeeded in building up a team that looks as though it might do even better than the team of last year. Captain Crocker has been moved up to a forward position and he and "Bob" Davis and "Wet" Brown will take care of that end of the floor.

Hamlin is rounding into shape and is expected to play a much better game than last year. He and "Lottie" Beaton form a pair of backs that are going to be very hard to score on. Beaton is new at the game but has an eye for the ball and is very fast. In the Alumni game "Billie" Manning was able to secure but one basket against this pair and on the same evening scored six goals at Holbrook. Crosscup is just at present the best scoring man on the team and his position at center is assured. Thomas Barstow will take the utility roll.

This year there is to be second team games at all of the League contests. Each team in the league will bring a second team so in fact there is a Second Team League composed of the same schools as the first teams. The Q. H. S. second team will be made up of the following men: Captain Morrison, Welsford and Baker, forwards, Favreau center and Rasmussen and Prout backs. These boys are all good and will make any second team travel to beat them.

The rules under which the league games are played are the same as those governing all amateur contests except that any player who commits four fouls during a game is thereby disqualified. Coady and Crowley will do the refereeing this year.

Wellesley High school State Champions of last year will meet the local team in the High school gym Wednesday at 3.15 P. M.

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SCOTT MISSION IS FRUITLESS

Maytorena Won't Agree to Stop Firing Over the Border

NEW CRISIS ARISES IN MEXICO

President May Make Exception to "Watchful Waiting" and Order United States Troops to Enforce Demand—American Property to Be Protected at Any Cost

Washington, Jan. 4.—Another crisis in the Mexican situation is near at hand. On the heels of repeated reports telling of growing disorder throughout the republic to the south came the admission from government sources that the administration's program for the solution of international difficulties at Naco, Ariz., where the belligerents have been firing across the border, had not met with any definite success so far.

It is understood that General Maytorena, a Villa supporter, has remained steadfast in his refusal to sign an agreement with General Hill, his opponent, to withdraw their troops from the border zone, despite the representations of General Scott that the United States government might be compelled to exert force to protect American interests if compliance with his suggestions were not forthcoming.

There are grounds for believing President Wilson will make an exception to his "watchful waiting" policy in the case of Naco, and authorize stern measures to prevent further firing into United States territory. Scott is understood to have expressed himself ready to use force in dealing with the situation whenever he is directed to do so.

Hill, commanding the constitutionalist forces, has signified his willingness to sign the agreement suggested by Scott, but his opponent has thus far refrained from committing himself, despite the reported instructions sent him from Villa. The negotiations between the two belligerents through the instrumentality of Scott have been under way for two weeks now, and it is said the American authorities are fast losing their patience.

It is now probable that both factions of the Mexican dispute will soon be informed that the firing of any more bullets across the border will be construed as a signal for the United States troops to take a hand in the situation and protect American property by such steps as may be necessary.

Following the receipt of a dispatch from Scott on the Naco situation the subjoined brief statement was issued from the White House:

"There is a pitch between Generals Hill (constitutionalist) and Maytorena (Villista) about signing an agreement to withdraw their troops from the border, and our government is trying to adjust the difficulty."

Cable advices from the south are that the Carranza forces have been driven from Tepic, the capital of the state of that name, after three days of fighting; that conditions at Sinaloa, where Villa leaders have the upper hand, are fast becoming chaotic, and that general disorder prevails in practically every section of the country.

TO ATTEND BURNS ANNIVERSARY

Three Hundred of Quincy's Scotchmen Plan to Observe Occasion.

Upward of 300 Quincy residents are to attend the sixty-first annual celebration of the Burns anniversary to be conducted by the Boston Caledonian club in the Mechanics Building, Boston, on Friday evening, Jan. 22. It will consist of a concert and ball. Songs of the world-famed Scottish poet will be sung by artists from the United States, Scotland and Canada.

Mme. Evelyn Scotney, the coloratura-soprano of the Boston Opera Company, takes an important part in the program. Besides her operatic achievements Mme. Scotney has been successful as an interpreter of Scottish songs. Other vocalists and a quartet of Highland dancers are to furnish numbers.

Dressed in the kilts members of the Highland Dress Association are to provide music on their bagpipes and drums. Combie's orchestra has also been engaged for the occasion. Dancing will be held until an early morning hour.

Persons from all parts of the state and outside of Massachusetts are to attend. Although essentially a Scottish affair the gathering will be attended by representatives of national organizations and hundreds of native-Americans.

SAFE IN UNITED STATES

Iturbide, Whose Life Zapata Declared Forfeited, Crosses the Line

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 4.—Eduardo Iturbide, the most wanted man in Mexico, crossed to the American side. His life is declared forfeited by Emiliano Zapata, because as governor of the federal district under Huerta he had condemned several Zapatistas.

Iturbide was forced to escape from the capital on a train which carried Leon Canosta, the special representative of the state department, to the border at Juarez.

FLEES WITH HIS BRIDE

Army Paymaster's Clerk Is Charged With Being an Absconder

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 4.—Sergeant John A. Howard of the Second cavalry, U. S. A., and paymaster's clerk at Fort Ethan Allen, is missing from that post and the authorities are making a wide search for him. He is accused of forging a check for $3560.40 and of stealing $790 in cash.

On the night before his disappearance he got married in Burlington and his bride joined him in the flight. He was in the second term of his third enlistment.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Two days after the death of his wife, John A. McIlvene, 48, of Brockton, Mass., died of grief.

A residuary bequest of $50,000 for establishment of a chair of gynecology at the Harvard medical school is contained in the will of William Baker of Waltham, Mass.

Harry Skelly, 30, was killed by stepping in front of a train at Saugus, Mass.

Construction of the placements for coast defense batteries at Fort Arthur, Los Angeles harbor, has been begun by the United States government.

CITY COUNCIL

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Under motions, orders, etc., the usual first meeting orders were offered. These included orders authorizing the Mayor to sign deeds and leases of the Adams Temple and School Fund, authorizing the clerk to have the calendars and rules of the council printed, authorizing the Mayor to have the annual reports of the department officials printed and authorizing Mayor to have his inaugural address printed.

Also an order authorizing the treasurer to borrow the sum of $500,000 in anticipation of taxes, for current expenses. This order was referred to a special committee.

An auctioneers license was also granted to Charles E. Decker and hearings ordered for Jan. 18, on applications for licenses to keep and sell gasoline.

Councilman Prescott offered an order amending the rules of the council so as to cut the number of standing committees to four. This he proposed to accomplish by consolidating the old committees. Referred to a special committee.

Councilman Prescott also moved to amend the rules so as to provide that in case of the absence of the president the meeting should be called to order by the "senior" instead of the "oldest" member as at present. Rejected.

Councilman Prescott offered an order requesting certain information of the commissioner relative to the amount of water metered and sold. Adopted.

Rule 1 was suspended and it was voted when the council adjourn it be until next Monday evening.

HOLDS THIRD MEETING.

The third meeting of the young women's auction bridge club was held Saturday afternoon with Miss Elizabeth Atwood of Putnam street extention. Just before the refreshments Miss Atwood presented the highest scorer, Mrs. Fred G. Howe of Butler road with a pretty hand-embroidered blue linen bag. The next meeting will be held with Miss Louise Abercrombie of Elm street, Braintree.

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Whereas, Thomas E. Bixby the administrator d. b. n. n. p. a. of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.
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Rep. Edward J. Sandberg has filed two petitions before the legislature of interest to the city.

One provides for an increase of the limit of the annual city appropriation for the Quincy City Hospital from $5000 to $10,000.

The other amends the city charter and makes possible the immediate succession of the president of the city council to the office of mayor on the death of the executive, amending the section which now requires a new election if a mayor dies three months before the expiration of his term.

That petition also provides for a new election if a councilman refuses to serve or dies before the organization of the council and gives that body permission to fill vacancies in its body when they occur.

FATHER CAN'T PROVE IDENTITY

"Miss" Mary E. Stitt was the dignified title by which a dainty little blue-eyed, auburn-haired girl of 8 years—travelling alone from England to New York—was known and loved by passengers on the steamship Arabic.

All the way over she had prattled about her father, whose home is in Quincy, Mass. "There's daddy, now," she cried, and clapped her hands as the big boat was warped into her dock here today.

Mr. Stitt rushed up the gangway as quickly as it was adjusted and then started back with his daughter.

An immigration official shoved Mr. Stitt back, saying, "You can't take her until you produce proof of parentage."

Miss" Stitt will be taken to Ellis Island and kept there until her father proves his relationship. Mrs. Hird, nurse on the Arabic, attended to the child's wants today and did much to comfort her.

DIES IN MILTON.

John L. Walsh, a former resident of West Quincy, died Saturday at his home at 13 Miller's lane, Milton Lower Mills. Mr. Walsh formerly lived on Grove street and was well known in this city. He leaves his wife, Annie Walsh, and six children.

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"See Niagara first" was the unformulated maxim of those earlier days—the writer himself, as a boy, heard a briskly patriotic lady refuse a trip abroad solely on the plea that she had never seen Niagara Falls.

There was something almost sacramental in the trip. Marriage, indeed, was scarcely legal or binding unless the visit to the altar was immediately supplemented by a trip to Niagara.

Those were the days when the honeymoon was "what it used to be." Over Niagara's gorge and rushing waters it hung benignantly, always at its full. And in the corridors of the falls hotels the miserable unmarried forever bruised their feet upon hymeneal rice.

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GRITTING THE TEETH.

Pressure the Operation Exerts and the Damage It May Do.

"Probably you don't know that there is a pressure of 250 pounds to the square inch on the teeth when the average citizen grits his molars together at a ball game or because rent day comes so often," said a dentist. "The pressure may be less or it may be greater, but 250 pounds is the average.

"And think of the damage that may be done. One of my customers cracked off a porcelain tooth in his sleep one night when he crunched his teeth together, probably dreaming about a business deal. What did he do? He came around the next day and told me I was an all around no good dentist and that the tooth which I had put in a short time before was a fake.

"I told him all about the 250 pounds pressure and that probably no artificial tooth would stand such a strain. But I don't think he believed a word of it, because he went away angry, and I have not seen him since. I had figured out that that particular tooth was a rather artistic piece of work too."—New York Sun.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

An installation of the officers of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent association will be held this evening.

Miss Edna Thomas of Norfolk Downs will entertain the Onliate club this evening.

Miss Helen Martin formerly of West Quincy, after a week end visit in West Quincy, has gone to Cambridge for a month's stay.

Mrs. Isabel Souther will entertain the past presidents of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps 103 on Tuesday afternoon.

The Chickatawbut Social club will hold its regular meeting Friday evening at the home of Kimball Roberts on Crescent street.

William Heartley formerly of the Imperial Bell Ringer's concert company was the soloist at the evening service in First United Presbyterian church.

Kendall and Jack Doble gave a small dancing party at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble on South street, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Eggleton who recently returned from Seattle, Wash., where Mr. Eggleton looked after the interests of The Electric Boat Co., are to make their home at 70 Chestnut street.

American Art is to be subject of an illustrated lecture to be given by Martha P. Shannon at the Tuesday afternoon meeting in Wollaston Unitarian church of the Wollaston Woman's club.

J. Lawrence Martin of Bondsville, and George Stewart of Wesleyan University Middletown, Conn., who have been spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs . Alex D. Stewart of Cross street returned today.

Benjamin Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Johnson of Merrymount road returned to Munson Academy at Munson, Mass., today to resume his studies. Mr. Johnson entered this fall and participated in football as a member of the second team. He is a candidate for basket ball.

FIRST ALARM IN 1915.

Spontaneous Combustion Causes Early Sunday Morning Blaze.

The first alarm of fire of the new year was sounded from Box 52 at 12.50 Sunday morning. It was for a fire among some rubbish in the cellar of the house of Michael F. King at 193 Arlington street. The family were awakened by the smoke which filled the house. The family managed to grope their way through the smoke to the door and sound an alarm from Box 52. When the firemen arrived they found that the blaze was in a box of rubbish in the cellar and apparently had started from spontaneous combustion. Though the smoke made the house untenable, the fire loss was slight. A line of hose was laid and taken into the cellar where the blaze was quickly extinguished.

MRS. MARY B. DAME.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Dame, an aged nurse of this city whose death followed a short illness from pneumonia, was held Sunday afternoon at the undertaking rooms of John Hall.

Rev. C. C. Tilley of the Calvary Baptist church officiated at the services and they were attended by relatives and friends from all parts of New England. The body was taken to Forest Hills for cremation.

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DEATHS

WALSH—In Milton, Jan. 2, John L Walsh formerly of West Quincy.

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ENTERTAINS AT GARAGE PARTY.

Fifty Out of Town Friends Guests of Miss Esther Dasha.

Miss Esther Dasha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dasha of Adams street, entertained 50 of her out of town friends at a garage party Saturday evening. The garage was decorated with Christmas colors, potted plants and ferns. The affair was an informal one. Dancing was enjoyed and frappe was served.

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PAPERS ADVANCE PRICE.

One-Cent Experiment Results in Return to Two-Cent Basis for all But One Paper.

After more than a year of experimentation two of the afternoon papers published in San Francisco have advanced their prices from one to two cents a copy.

Their managers state that while war news has increased their circulation, business conditions have not permitted an advance in the advertising rates, and as the price of white paper has gone up, this increase has been a loss and not a gain.

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MAYOR PRAISES OFFICER DORAN

Letter of Commendation Read to Police at Roll Call

Mayor Campbell's first official act Monday afternoon was to write a letter to the police department commending Officer Daniel H. Doran for his arrest of the armed burglar at the store of T. L. Williams, Sunday night. His letter which was read at roll call Monday night was as follows:

Acting Chief of Police,
Dear Sir:

I note with a great deal of satisfaction the efficient work performed by Patrolman Daniel H. Doran in the arrest of an armed burglar at the jewelry store of T. L. Williams last night.

Will you kindly read this letter of commendation at roll call tonight.

Respectfully,
CHESTER I. CAMPBELL,
Mayor.

MRS. MARY RYAN.

Mrs. Mary Ryan, a respected and well known resident of West Quincy died suddenly this morning at the Quincy City Hospital where she was a pneumonia patient since Saturday.

Mrs. Ryan was the widow of the late John H. Ryan, and leaves three sons, John, Richard and Henry Ryan. Her funeral, which will take place from her home at 113 Common street Thursday morning, will be attended by delegations from Aux. 23, A. O. H., and St. Ambrose court, M. C. O. F., organizations with which she was affiliated. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Marys church at nine o'clock.

ATTEND SERVICES AT MILTON.

A number of West Quincy residents were among those who attended the funeral of John L. Walsh, who formerly lived on Grove street, this city, which was held from his home at Millers lane, Milton Lower Mills this morning.

Fr. Charles P. Heaney sung the high mass of requiem celebrated at St. Gregory's church, Dorchester Lower Mills. The body was brought to West Quincy for burial in St. Mary's cemetery.

JUNIOR FRIDAY CLUB.

The subject for study at the Monday meeting of the Junior Friday club, which met at the home of Miss Georgiana C. Lane, was Bolivia, with special reference to the important cities, the prehistoric people, the races which developed from them, Lake Titicaco and the modern city of LeTav. A social half hour followed the meeting during which refreshments were served.

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GILMAN TO BE ONE OF SPEAKERS

St. Mary's Temperance Society Holds Meeting

The committee in charge of the annual banquet of the St. Mary's C. T. A. & M. R. society to be held Jan. 21, has secured as the principal speaker of the evening John E. Gilman. Past Commander in Chief of the G. A. R. Mr. Gilman is a talented speaker and will give the experiences of a private in the ranks. He lost his arm in the Battle of Gettysburg. John J. Attridge former president of the Boston city council, whose ability as an after dinner speaker is well known. Both speakers have been heard in the city before having spoken at the No-License rally in St. Mary's hall last November. There will also be other talent present and the committee hope to outdo all past banquets of the society. The committee in charge is composed of Lawrence Donavon, chairman, Harry Kennedy, John Sheahan, Edward Joyce, Dennis Manning, Leo Garity and John Flaherty.

The society will hold a testimonial dance in St. Mary's hall on Friday evening, January 15. The committee in charge has secured good talent and plenty of it. Wilson's orchestra will furnish the music for dancing from 8 to 1. The commitee reports a good sale of tickets and everything points to the success both socially and financially of the affair. Lawrence Donavon is chairman of the committee and is being assisted by the following: Harold Kennedy, Edward Joyce, Dennis Manning, Leo Garity, John Flaherty, Thomas Buckley and John Sheahan.

In the absence of president Thomas F. O'Brien, School Committeeman Joseph F. McPherson presided. At the meeting Monday evening John Derringer and Joseph Gray of Atlantic were admitted to membership.

RIVADAVIA NEARS HOME PORT

Barbadoes Islands.—Jan. 5. The Argentine dreadnought Rivadavia, in port since Dec. 31, sailed today on the second lap of her homeward trip. The ship was coaled and Capt. Monea reported the trip from New York had been without incident.

The Rivadavia left Quincy in November and after being put in shape at the New York Navy Yard sailed for Buenos Aires Dec. 23. She was sighted by the crew of the U. S. S. Marrietta, and Lieut. Evans of this city, an officer on board, reported all was well. The ship will make the journey down the South American coast in easy stages and should arrive about Jan. 25.

WORK WILL NOT BEGIN TILL APRIL

The keels for the two torpedo boat destroyers, the contracts for which were awarded to the Fore River Shipyard by Secretary of the Navy Daniels a few weeks ago, will not be laid until sometime in April, according to officials of the company.

THIRTY-EIGHT FILE APPLICATIONS

Machine Gun Squad Progresses Swimmingly

The formation of the machine gun company in Quincy may be completed sooner than anticipated for not only have 38 filed applications but young men now members of militia companies in and about Boston are intending to ask to be transferred to the local combination.

Two of the machine guns have been shipped and should be delivered here Wednesday night or early Thursday morning. One will be unpacked immediately and placed on exhibition in the window of the Kincaide store and the other will be used for demonstration purposes in Union hall.

On Monday evening Lieut. Downes met most of the applicants and several others in Union hall and explained the requirements of the company. He was accompanied by his son, Sergt. Downes Both will be at Union hall tonight until about 9.45.

Several members of the Sons of Veterans attended the session.

Adj. Gen. Cole who gave Col. Warren F. Sweetser of the 6th Infantry permission to form the company in Quincy is pleased with the welcome it has received and as soon as the full quota is recruited the lease of Alpha and Union halls as headquarters will be signed.

Several communications for Lieut. Downes have been addressed in care of the Ledger and are now in his hands. Five have filed applications through this office and application blanks are awaiting that action by others.

PLAN FOR REUNION.

Members of St. John's Parish Appoint Committees at Meeting.

Many members of St. Johns parish gathered in the basement of St. Johns church Monday evening to discuss plans for the proposed reunion to take place in February and Music hall was unanimously chosen for the affair.

Fr. M. J. Owens, the pastor, presided and Fr. Walter A. Quinlan, curate of the parish, was secretary. All present took part in the discussion of the program and several committees were elected. Michael T. Sullivan was elected floor director and Edward J. Parker and John W. McAnarney were elected assistant directors. Other committees elected were:

Soliciting and supper—Mrs. Joseph D. Griffin, chairman, Mrs. M. E. Cook Mrs. Edward Curtin and others to be appointed.

Souvenir program—Daniel Driscoll, Leo Elcock, Lawrence W. Lyons, Timothy J. Collins, A. M. Driscoll, John J. Deasey, Peter M Sullivan, R. E. Foye, John T. Lynch.

Reception—Daniel Driscoll, Timothy Sullivan, William Cunniff, Michael Sweeney, Robert E. Foye, Charles C. Hearn, Edward J. Murphy, M. E. Cook, Joseph Griffin, A. A. Murphy, Otto O'Leary, Timothy J. Carey, J. J. McAnarney, Dr. D. B. Reardon, John McDonald, Dr. George M. Sheahan, William J. Parker, Edward J. Fegan, Henry McGrath.

Decorating committee: Miss Nellie Desmond.

Ticket committee, Daniel Donovan.

Ticket takers, Edward J. Lennon, Murdock Morrison.

The evening program will include a concert from eight to nine o'clock, dancing from nine to two o'clock, and a supper. Another meeting will take place in the church basement next Monday evening.

Father Owen said he was pleased with the attendance and was assured of co-operation from all parts of the parish. He took the opportunity of personally meeting those present.

Quincy 4th July Association

The Annual Meeting of the Quincy 4th of July Association will be held at the Quincy Board of Trade rooms on Tuesday evening Jan. 12th, 1915 at 8 o'clock.

ARTHUR W. STETSON, Clerk.

Dec. 23t

EASTERN STAR INSTALLATION

Members of Other Masonic Bodies Attend

The officers of Quincy chapter, Order of Eastern Star were installed in Colonial hall Monday evening in the presence of members of other chapters and of the masonic fraternity.

The installation was under the direction of Past Grand Matron Mrs. Lucy G. B. Colby and she was assisted Parish church and Winfield S. Van Ornum, Past Matron Mrs. Martha J. Perkins and Past Matron, Mrs. Margaret D. Knight of Somerville.

H. Everett Crane, worshipful master of Rural lodge A. F. & A. M., Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson of the First Parish church and Winifred S. Van Ornum were the speakers. Jewels were presented to retiring worthy matron Mrs. Margaret E. Gammons and Past Patron H G. Crocker, the presentation to the former being made by Past Matron Mrs. Henry F. Files and to the latter by Past Patron George H. Field.

Bouquets were presented the installing officers, refreshments were served and the music of the evening was by the Temple quartette. Nearly 300 were present.

The officers installed, including the elective and appointive positions, were as follows:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Edith S. Crocker.

Worthy Patron—Elihu T. Spear.

Assistant Matron—Katherine T. MacDonald.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Selima C. Thompson.

Treasurer—Mrs. Lora E. Holt.

Conductress—Mrs. Eva R. Cobb.

Ass't. Conductress—Mrs. Emilie A. Nash.

Refreshment committee—Henry P Furnald.

Decorating committee—Past Patron, William Patterson.

Reception committee—Past Patron George A. Field.

Past Matron,—Cora M. Remick, Past Matron, Myra E. Lester; Past Matron Alice W. Rolfe.

Ushers—Past Patrons—George A. Smith, E. Linnell Higgins and Edward Damon, and Messrs. Cassey, Hart Cobb, Gilliat and Tarbox.

Trustees—George H. Veale, H. G Crocker, Jonathan Swingle.

Financial committee—Mrs. Crocker, Elihu T. Spear, Mrs. Katherine T. MacDonald.

Auditing committee—Mrs. Margaret E. Gammons, Charles E. Gilliat, William E. Tarbox.

INSTALL OFFICERS.

Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association Holds Meeting.

A meeting of the Quincy Branch of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Society was held Monday evening in Protection hall. The following were installed officers for the year 1915.

Pres., Mrs. Cath. Walsh, 1st. Vice Pres., Miss Eliz. F. Mahoney, 2nd Vice Pres. Miss Rose Cunniff, Recorder, Miss Mary McCormick, Fin. Sec., Mrs. Mary McKay, Tres., Miss Marion Cunniff, Guard, Mrs. Minnie Dennehy, Marshall, Mrs. Margaret Manning, Trustees, Mrs. Sarah Cunniff and Mrs. Mac Donald.

At the close of the meeting vocal solos were rendered by Miss Catherine Brown and piano selections by Miss Marion Cunniff and Miss Brown. Light refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed by all.

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FIVE FORMER MAYORS ATTEND BIG INAUGURATION BANQUET

Past Executives Give Mayor Campbell Some Good Advice On Running City

All is Harmony and Merriment Among Those at Festive Board

It was a notable party that gathered about the festive board at the New American house Boston, Monday evening at the annual inauguration banquet. In addition to Mayor Campbell, there were many city officials of the present and past, including all but two of the living ex-mayors. It was the desire of the committee if possible to have a reunion of all of the living ex-mayors at this year's gathering and all but ex-Mayor Charles F. Adams 2d and ex-Mayor Eugene R. Stone were present. Ex-Mayor Stone planned to attend but was called out of town at the last minute and ex-Mayor Adams was detained by a business engagement. The ex-mayors present included Henry C. Fairbanks who held office during the years 1891, 1892 and 1893; Russell A. Sears who held office in



MAYOR CAMPBELL.

1898, John O. Hall who held office in 1900 and 1901; Charles M. Bryant Mayor of 1902, 1903 and 1904 and Joseph L. Whiton who was mayor for the last three months of 1914.

JOHN FIELD OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

These dignitaries with Councilman Ross, chairman of the banquet committee, occupied seats at the head table with John D. Mackay, chairman of the School Committee, and John Q. A. Field, a member of the Selectmen of the town of Quincy, in 1872, 1874, 1875 and 1876 and a member of the city council in 1896 and 1897. It was Mr. Field's 80th birthday, and he celebrated by attending the gathering. When he was called upon to speak, the chairman mentioned the above facts and the party arose as one man and gave him a great reception. Seated



JOSEPH L. WHITON.

about the other tables which were arranged in the form of a horse shoe, an emblem of good luck, were Quincy's representatives of Beacon hill of the present year as well as of some of the other years, and the other guests.

Provost's orchestra furnished music during the banquet and as many of the airs were familiar the party joined in



SENATOR LANGELIER.

the chorus. There was an informal reception at 6 o'clock and half an hour later, led by City Messenger Harry W. Tirrell, who has just entered upon his twenty-seventh term in that office, the party marched to the dining room to the music of "See the conquering Hero comes."

The dinner was one of unusual excellence, well cooked and well served, and following it came speech making. The speaking was frequently interrupted by Councilman Craig, who read alleged telegrams from various parties. Of course these telegrams were in the nature of jokes and they served their purpose.



EDWARD J. SANDBERG

Charles A. Ross in opening said the speakers were not to be confined to any particular subject. He spoke of the absent brethren, two of whom had passed away, Ralph W. Hobbs and John L. Miller.

"Last fall," said Mr. Ross, "citizens witnessed one of the most spectacular campaigns they ever saw. An opponent said then he did not like the name of Campbell and later John D. Mackay told of what the Campbells had done. A few years ago I thought there was one too many of that name on earth so I married her."

Mayor Campbell received an ovation as he arose to speak.

MAYOR CAMPBELL SPEAKS.

Mr. Campbell, after the applause subsided said: "Honored past and future mayors, present, past and future councilmen," and then after a slight pause, "gentlemen. (laughter,) I don't quite understand why I should first expect that it be that I am a baby, on the chair, but gentlemen I can assure you I am not a twilight sleep baby. I arrived in the regular way."

"I arrived at City Hall with the aid of many supporters and the bag pipes which no doubt helped along the cause to a considerable extent."

Mayor Campbell said he would touch on a number of matters at City Hall. "I had my little say today," he said, "and shall endeavor to have them through the year, occasionally but in such manner as not to antagonize for I believe we can accomplish what we hope to if we have good spirit about us."

In speaking on political campaigns he said he had nothing on Harry Tirrell who was reelected unanimously city messenger.

"It would seem unjust on my part to assume the office without saying in all sincerity that our acting mayor the past few months has done a wonderful amount of work since he has been in office. He has done work which required a stiff back bone and he did it because he knew it was his



CHARLES A. ROSS.

duty to do it and for the citizens of the city.

"All should be grateful to him for that. I assure you, retiring Mayor Whiton, and I tell you gentlemen I appreciate the opening of the doors along some lines which seem to have been impossible to open the past few years and I will be materially assisted by it.

CITY NEEDS COMMON SENSE.

President Whiton was introduced as one who had jumped into the harness at a time when the city needed a strong man in the office of Mayor. His long experience in the legislative branch of the city ably fitted him for the position to take up the reins and he had performed his work well.

President Whiton said that he was a little afraid that some exceptions might be taken to what had been said about him. A year ago Councilman Bailey said we must have co-operation. He believed we were going to have co-operation this year, that we have a mayor who will co-operate, who will look into matters and find out what is right before he steps. "It is high time that the City of Quincy awoke to common sense. Every thinking man knows it is our duty to act fairly and squarely without partiality, and that is what I tried to do. No one who had any just claim why their property should not be sold, failed to be considered."

He said that he was glad that he was out of office and back on his old job. It had been a hardship for him as it was the busy season in his private business but he had tried to do his duty. Speaking in a jovial manner he said one of the members of the city council had tried to cheat him

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WINTER ATHLETICS.

The 20th century man seems to grow a little more athletic every year. In former times when the ball grounds closed up for the fall, the sports had to hibernate with the ground-hog.

Today the interest in such winter games as basket-ball and bowling approaches the summer fervor of baseball. The physical culture people who first thought out the complicated strategy and structure of basket ball may have thought it was going to be a polite and parlor means for gentle muscular training. If so, it has passed beyond that stage. The openings for "rough-house" are always present. It would take as many referees as there are men to keep the slugger where he belongs, in this swift kaleidoscopic scramble. Spectators become intensely biassed by sympathies, unable to see straight, or to report accurately. If there is real war, the other fellow always struck the first blow.

Bowling is a godsend to older men who are too sluggish for basket ball. To the serious minded it may seem trivial, just rolling big balls at little sticks evening after evening. But the long columns of strings and strikes and spares recorded by the newspapers shows that the game has its own weird fascination.

The elusive ball slips deftly through the thick array of pins, removing but one or two, while the others leer at you derisively. Angrily the bowler gives the ball a fatal twist, and it rolls helplessly to the side. The whole game seems a war between human skill and the perversity of inanimate things.

Much of the time that used to be spent peacefully under the evening lamp now goes into these two games. Perhaps it undermines home life, but men who have played baseball and tennis and golf all summer are not going to sit down with kings and jacks and two-spots as they did in less muscular times.

Mayor Campbell proved that he is quick to recognize good work by sending to the police department a letter in commendation of the work of Patrolman Daniel Doran. This letter, which expresses the mayor's appreciation of the officer's arrest of the jewelry store robber, was read at roll call Monday night.

Patrolman Doran deserves commendation. He proved that he was "On the job," and is entitled to the $100 reward offered by the Jewelers Association.

The Ledger, as has been stated before, welcomes communications from its readers. It only requires that they shall be upon topics of general interest, shall avoid personalities, and shall not be of undue length.

As a rule a column is much too long and usually we should not print a communication of that length. To this rule an exception is made today, because the letter from Mr. Cowe, is an intelligent treatment of an important subject. The letter deserves to be read in full.

THINGS THAT NEVER DIE.

The pure, the bright, the beautiful
That stirred our hearts in youth,
The impulses to wordless prayer,
The streams of love and truth:
The longing after something lost,
The spirit's yearning cry,
The striving after better hopes—
These things can never die.

The timid hand stretched forth to aid
A brother in his need;
A kindly word in grief's dark hour
That proves a friend indeed;
The plea for mercy softly breathed,
When justice threatens high,
The sorrow of a contrite heart—
These things shall never die.

Let nothing pass, for every hand
Must find some work to do;
Lose not a chance to waken love—
Be firm and just and true;
So shall a light that cannot fade
Beam on thee from on high,
And angel voices say to thee—
"These things shall never die."
—Charles Dickens.

SMALL ARMY IS ASSAILED

Gardner Names Weak Spots In Our National Defense

MILITIA NOT IN PROPER TRIM

Combined With Regulars There Would Only Be Enough to Garrison City Like Paris—Says Most Serious Deficiency Is Lack of Ammunition—"Unpalatable Evidence" Is Scorned

Washington, Jan. 5.—Mastering a long array of figures, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts charged upon the house military committee at the belated hearing given him. He complained that this body refused to grant him the witnesses he desired and had not undertaken a comprehensive investigation of national security.

Picturing America's army resources graphically, he declared that the whole army—militia, regulars and all —would only garrison Paris, or, in other words, would fill only a single line of trenches fourteen miles long.

The militia, he contended, is not in proper trim for war. He quoted the former chief of staff as showing that out of 120,000 national guardsmen, 28,000 failed to attend annual inspection, 31,000 absented themselves from annual encampment and 44,000 never appeared on the rifle range.

America, he added, has only 634 complete modern guns and howitzers, whereas Russia, in a single battle with Japan, had 1204 guns against 922. The United States guns, he figured, are sufficient only to equip a "modest little army of 127,000."

But the most serious deficiency in army preparedness, Gardner contended, is shortage of ammunition. He quoted Secretary Garrison as expecting 58,000 rounds by July 1, and argued that in a single battle of the Japanese war half of this amount was shot away.

"In other words," he said, "eight field guns can shoot away ammunition as fast as Uncle Sam can make it."

He told the committee they scorned General Wotherspoon's suggestion of need for 800,000 men, because they would not "listen to unpalatable evidence."

In conclusion, he pointed out that Germany's equipment includes 16 and 12½-inch howitzers and 8-inch mortars, and England's 9½-inch howitzers, while the United States' biggest movable gun is the 6-inch howitzer, of which there are only thirty-two.

Gardner accused the committee of summarily closing its hearings so he could not call witnesses from the war department. He flatly accused President Wilson of putting the "soft pedal" on officers, and he claimed the whole subject reverberated with the "twanging of party strings."

His charges brought violent retort from Representative Howard. He challenged Gardner's charge against Wilson. At times three or four members were talking together in heated tones.

Chairman Hay stated that he had not called Gardner's witnesses because they had all testified previously.

"Nobody was listening when these experts were here previously," Gardner suggested. "Now the country is awake. Let's hear from them."

"How have you investigated? What have you done, I should like to know?" said Gardner. Why, you summoned General Crozier, who has been chief of the ordnance department for thirteen years, and you extracted from him the admission that his own work was most commendable. It is true that you put to him a few questions as to his recommendations for artillery and ammunition, but you didn't put the right questions. You did not drive home the questions which I would have driven home if I had not been muzzled.

"Why didn't you follow up the question of heavy field guns when you had General Crozier on the stand? Why didn't you ask him to point out why Germany uses 11-inch guns to batter their trenches if 3-inch guns, to scatter shrapnel, are all that is needed?

"You know, Mr. Chairman, that the biggest movable gun in the United States army is the 6-inch howitzer, and we only have thirty-two of these completed. Yet the Germans have 16-inch howitzers and 12½-inch howitzers and 8-inch mortars, and the English have 9½-inch howitzers. What big guns the French may have I do not know."

WALSH NOT WORRIED

Has Tart Reply For Those Who Criticised the Removal of Brown

Boston, Jan. 5.—Governor Walsh, replying to criticisms made at a meeting of the Boston Central Labor union of his removal from office of E. G. Brown, supervisor of small loans, said:

"I have no objection if the unions want to do that. That's their business. If they want rules laid down for this business under which a man who borrows $100 must at the end of two and a half years pay another $100, that's their right."

Full Time For Seventeen Thousand

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 5.—Seventeen thousand operatives went to work on full time in the Amoskeag mills here.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

SCHOOL HOURS FOR CHILDREN.

Editor, the Ledger:

Dear Sir, In Saturday evening's issue of the Daily Ledger we read with much interest J. A. Boone's letter referring to the Rev. Wm. B. Ayers' suggestion that the school hours for children should be changed.

Although much in sympathy with any changes or reforms in our public school arrangements which would benefit the pupils and incidentally the general public, I do not see what benefit it would be to the child to have its day's studies jammed into one long session instead of two short sessions.

Experience has, in every department of labor proven that long sessions of work jades and enervates while relaxation revives and stimulates and we hold this is much more true in the child than in the grown up person.

We also hold, and we think it can be demonstrated to the satisfaction of any one, that four short trips, for no one can say one fourth of a mile is a long trip, are, instead of tiring and exhausting, actually invigorating and strengthening.

"The physical exertion and diverting interests" are to the child the conditions which give it zest and energy.

It is natural for the child to be on the move. Take note of the kitten and the young dog, or any young animal for that matter. Restrictions which would hold the child for four and a half hours at its studies would we believe be decidedly injurious to its health and general development.

Two short sessions a day should, in the nature of things be much more conducive to the child's growth and mental development and discipline too, than one long irksome strain at studies.

The aim in training and fitting the child for the work of the world should be the perfect balancing of efforts and purposes.

We should not expect of the child much continued concentration. It has neither the strength nor the understanding.

The teacher who can in half an hour explain and thoroughly arouse the young pupil's understanding so it can grasp the question, will do more in advancing the child in its school work than would the long tiring grinds of the Chinese system.

Long sessions of mental work in the young like long spells of physical work stunts both mind and body.

The whole trend of modern science relative to economy of physical force and maximum of accomplishment has been to prove that the best results are attained where the maximum of interest and power are maintained and we hazard the opinion that this could not be done by one long session of study and the balance of the day at play. And we further dare to say that two sessions a day do considerable for the discipline of the child which is not the least of the benefits derived from school attendance.

There is another side of this question of one or two sessions of school.

The Rev. Wm. B. Ayers suggested that school hours should commence at 8 A. M.

Perhaps the Rev. Ayers never knew what it means to be the mother of half a dozen children, getting up in the morning preparing her husband's breakfast so he can get to work by seven or eight o'clock. In the home where there are a number of children of school age the mother finds that with her morning work she has all she can do to get the children out for school, all spick and span as she wishes them to be, by nine o'clock. And Mr. Ayers may not know that where there are a number of children of school age in a family the afternoon session is the only time the mother can do her shopping and other visiting work. Were the children at home she could not safely leave them in the house alone. "Safety first," sir.

I doubt not but the teacher who is no longer a child would prefer that her days work could be done between the hours of 8 A. M. and high noon but I doubt if it would in the long run be a good thing for her.

Mr. Editor, this question of schools, teaching etc is a big one and with your permission on some early date I should like to return to it. There is much from the working man's view point which is not, we think, very well understood.

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WANTS TO SEE HER HUSBAND

Woman Forsook Him For the Love of Lawyer Rogers

SECOND CHILD PASSES AWAY

Little Boy's Death Followed by Partial Untangling of Tragic Mystery Which Resulted In Her Poisoning Her Two Little Ones and Self—Now Expresses Desire to Live

New York, Jan. 5.—Little John Rogers, the 2-year-old boy whose mother gave him poison at the same time she poisoned his 8-months-old sister and herself in their home in the Bronx, died in Lebanon hospital. The mother is still alive, but in a serious condition.

A dying wish to see the husband she forsook for love of Lorlys E. Rogers has been expressed by Mrs. "Rogers."

In compliance with that pathetically spoken prayer of the slowly sinking victim of a strange and tragic love tangle, a search is being conducted for her former husband, Arthur M. Walters, who is said to have been divorced, to have remarried and to have been living, when last heard of by friends, in Newark, N. J. Efforts to find him there have proven unsuccessful.

The whole life story of Ida Sniffen, first the legal wife of Walters and then the common law wife of Rogers, appears to have been uncovered, and yet further revelations, District Attorney Martin of the Bronx believes, may come from a mysterious unnamed man who over the telephone promised him "important information."

Blood transfusion may be resorted to in a desperate attempt to check the progress of the mercury Mrs. Walters-Rogers took.

It is reported by Rogers' friends that if a sacrifice of blood is made in behalf of the dying woman it will be made by the man for whom she gave up husband and lawful home and for love of whom she killed her two children and tried to die herself.

Now that Lorida, the 8 months old girl, and 2-year-old John are both dead of poison administered by their mother, Mrs. Walters-Rogers is reported to be eager, if possible, to save the live of her unborn babe and to live herself for its sake.

At Lebanon hospital, Mrs. Walters-Rogers' condition is reported to be "unchanged." Should her life be saved she probably would have to stand trial for the death of Lorida and John.

A striking statement made by persons who were neighbors of Arthur and Ida Walters before the woman left her husband for Rogers, is that she helped to select the furniture for the Riverside Drive apartment, to which the lawyer took his bride, the former Miss Caroline Giddings, after his marriage in Chicago.

Another striking statement from the same source is that Mrs. Caroline Rogers was taken by her husband to visit the Walterses and that she joined in Rogers' invitation to the Walterses to sojourn at the Rogers country place in New Jersey for the benefit of Mrs. Walters' health.

The woman in Lebanon hospital, it has been ascertained, was Ida Sniffen, daughter of a horseman. The girl was highly educated, traveled in Europe and studied art. She was a member of the Washington square artists' colony when Arthur Walters met her and she became his wife.

After his marriage to Miss Sniffen he and she went to live in St. Marks' place. Later they lived in Edgewater, N. J., and in Yonkers. They finally settled at 201 West Eighty-fourth street. It was there that Rogers came into their lives.

He was a friend of both husband and wife. Walters was a "bookish" man, had an excellent library and spent most of his spare time browsing over the volumes from his shelves. He stayed at home and read, neighbors say, while Rogers and Mrs. Walters went to the theatre.

In 1909, after the Walters had spent more than a year in the Eighty-fourth street home, Mrs. Anna R. Rogers obtained her divorce in Reno, and then Rogers' engagement to Miss Caroline Giddings was announced. Because of her artistic tastes and education, Mrs. Walters helped Rogers select the furnishings for the home to which he later brought his bride.

After Rogers and Miss Giddings were married he and she are both said to have visited the Walterses and to have played cards at their home. The new Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Walters are reported to have been friendly.

THE WHITMORE KILLING

War Veteran Hamm Held Without Bail on Murder Charge

Bangor, Me., Jan. 5.—Charles H. Hamm, the Hudson Civil war veteran, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Marcia Whitmore at Hudson, was given a preliminary hearing in the municipal court.

One witness, the victim's brother, testified to seeing Hamm fire the fatal shot and an officer testified that Hamm admitted the shooting when arrested.

He was bound over without bail for the February criminal term of court.

INCORPORATE G. A. R. AID.

The continuance and permanancy of Paul J. Revere Post 88 G. A. R. as an organization with headquarters in Quincy was assured when the nine incorporators nominated at the mass meeting held in the City Council chamber Wednesday evening last, met in Mayor Whiton's office and signed the articles of agreement and certificate of organization prepared by Edward J. Fegan, and adopted a set of By-Laws and elected officers.

The nine incorporators are Joseph L. Whiton, Walter E. Piper, Eugene R. Stone, John L. Hamilton, Edward J. Fegan, Charles W. Dill, William R. French, Frank M. Chubbuck and John H. Ash, all of whom were elected Directors of the Association.

The following officers were unanimously elected:—President, Joseph L. Whiton; Vice-President, Edward J. Fegan; Secretary and Treasurer, Walter E. Piper.

It is proposed to hold a monster mass meeting in the Council Chamber the last Saturday of this month for enrollment in membership in this association, which already promises to be a popular organization in the city, dedicated as it is to the welfare and comfort of the few surviving veterans of our city.

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John R. Arnold to Catrin Finn, Franklin street.

Annie G. Connell to James Ferena.

Lizzie F. Hall to Maria E. Nelson, Commercial street.

Orrin W. Hollis to Thomas MacEachern, Union street.

Genie P. Merrill et al to Thomas F. Finnegan.

C. Gad Robinson to Lilla M. Lanzendorfer, Wilson avenue.

Lois E. Turner to Charles B. McHannan et ux, Sherbrooke avenue.

UNION SERVICES.

Week of Prayer, Union Services beginning Tuesday evening Jan 5th. 7.45 in Wollaston Congregational church Topic: "Prayer for our Churches." Leader: Rev. Mr. Walther. Wednesday evening 7.45 in the Methodist church. Topic: "Prayer for the Nations: Our own and Others." Leader: Rev. Dr. Sneath. Thursday evening 7.45 in the Baptist church. Topic: "Prayer for the Unconverted." Leader, Rev. Mr. Bailey.

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HEATING PROBLEM.

Real winter is on; also your winter "unders," to say nothing about the drafts to the heater. Which last are the very things of which we mean to write.

Do you know how to warm a house in cold weather? It doesn't matter whether you have a hard coal base burner, hard coal furnace, or depend upon a steam radiator in an apartment house, this question applies to you:

Do you know how to warm the house when everything needful is right at hand, ready and waiting?

To begin with, you depend upon the atmosphere of the room to hold the heat. Dry air as a holder of heat is more wasteful than a milk pail with a nail hole in the bottom. And on a sharp, wintry day it is impossible to bring the room to a temperature of 70, depending upon natural conditions without waste of fuel and the drying out of the air beyond toleration of the lungs and air passages of the human body.

Place an open vessel of water somewhere in position to start evaporation. Let the water boil if it will; it won't harm the furniture half as much as a lack of it will.

But you have steam heat, you say. Then, unless there be a valve leaking steam into the room you have next to the dryest heat known to modern house conditions. That always dryest heat is hot water heat, for it is impossible for any moisture to escape from radiators or pipes. Put a vessel of water on the radiator.

But, you say, the radiator is cold. Well, if there be any steam at all on make the steam radiator colder. Flare open the window nearest it if can be. Turn an electric fan upon it if you can. Condense the steam already in the radiator and more and warmer steam will crowd up and you and the janitor may be spared a row.

You have a hard coal base burner? But have you a damper in the stovepipe. If you haven't—no matter what anybody tells us—let out the fire and get one in before nightfall. Don't try to use any kind of heater ever foundered in a foundry without this damper in the stovepipe; then keep as careful eye upon it as upon anything else about the heater.

Burning hard coal you have an ash sifter. Fire it over into the alley and then get busy and fire the heater instead. You don't save coal by sifting it out from the ashes; save your coal by burning every grain of it.

But how, you ask. Listen—don't you know it requires just as much judgment and knowledge to fire the family heater as it does to fire a locomotive? The principles are just the same.

Take the coming cold winter night as an example of preparation. At bedtime the house is warm and cozy. Looking into the firebox of heater or furnace you discover why it is so. The whole mass is of live embers, radiating light and heat. Don't be afraid to bank the firebox full of coal to the muzzle. It won't waste if drafts and dampers be set right. Hold down this fire with cold coal, and when you open the draft in the morning the fuel will be just enough warmed to give you a quick return. Whether day or night, see how few times you need to feed in coal. For every time you throw in a blanket of cold coal you are checking the flow of heat.

You have been warned against allowing the ashpit to fill up for the reason that it will burn out your grates?

Listen—don't let any ashes accumulate there for the better reason that the ashpit is a secondary heater in itself. Why? Because the hottest strata of coals lie just above the grates and the downward radiation into the ashpit makes a sub-basement heater of it.

These are a few of the high spots on making winter comfort indoors. Kick at the coal bills—you'll have plenty of company at the job. But don't forget to make a stationary fireman of yourself.—C. S. Monitor.

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Among Our Churches

FIRST PARISH.

"Until the month of August, 1914," said Mr. Hudson in his sermon Sunday morning, "The feeling had been growing among different classes of people that the peaceful progress of civilization was practically secured by the growth of the world's material interests. The interchange of commerce among the different people of the civilized world had brought the nations into such close and intimate relations, that enlightened selfishness seemed sufficient to insure not only peace, but a growing spirit of "Reciprocity" such as is expressed in the Golden Rule.

It was the lesson of the larger self. Commerce was teaching us that we were all members one of another. Nation would no longer war against nation for the very obvious reason that it wouldn't pay. It was admitted that this was not a very exalted motive but at least it was powerful, and in line with the materialistic tendencies of the time.

As confidence in this materialistic philosophy of human conduct increased, the influence of the churches declined. They seemed to many people to be no longer a vital factor in modern life. At the same time the advance of scientific thought had discredited the old theology, which added still further to the neglect of the churches.

Then last August came the deluge. Selfishness, however enlightened, was shown to be still selfishness. It ministered to hate rather than love and when the test came it was insufficient as a guide to human conduct. Materialism as a safeguard to civilization failed and the new materialistic philosophy suffered collapse.

Today we stand face to face with the important fact that the only power in Christiandom strong enough to safeguard the progress of civilization is the religion of Jesus Christ. The world's greatest need is the revitalizing of Christian churches. And that need presents especially an opportunity and a duty to liberal Christians who are in intellectual sympathy with the scientific temper of the time. Mr. Hudson emphasized this duty as applying in an especial way to the people of the First Parish in Quincy for the reason that the thing which is most needed is a revival of the Faith of the Fathers.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

The morning service was inspiring. The attendance was large. Eleven at this time united with the church. Mr. Willmott took as the text of his New Year sermon, "He will be our guide." While no one can come to this time of the year without a sigh of regret at the same time there must arise feelings of encouragement in the year that is gone. There may have been failure now and then but it is not all failure.

We cannot emphasize too much the dependence of all upon each and beneath our pride is consciousness of dependence upon God.

The soul needs in the midst of all activities a centre of rest. Life to many people is busyness and restlessness. They are like certain birds that live in the vicinity of the Golden Horn and the Bosphorus that are never known to alight but are always in motion, and for this reason are called Lost Souls.

God has again and again revealed himself in history but that is not enough. The question for us is, is there any power to help us now? The answer is "I will give you rest." If you have this no matter how poor you are you are rich and without it no matter how rich you are you are poor.

Sunday evening the pastor spoke on: "In our own Prisons." On Tuesday evening Unity Circle of King's Daughters will meet in the chapel. A jungle party will be given by the intermediate King's Daughters. An all day meeting of the Bethany Women's Union will be held Wednesday. The members will sew and there will be a business meeting and addresses. The Junior Christian Endeavor will meet Thursday afternoon. The regular mid-week prayer meeting will be held Thursday evening. Bethany Castle, Knights of King Arthur, will meet Friday evening. On Friday, Feb. 12, there will be a reading, illustrated by characters, of Channing's "Polly Ann."

The Christian Endeavor started the new year with a largely attended meeting in which a great many took part. The pastor was the leader and the topic was "Who is on the Lord's side?" The roll was called by Miss Alice Parker the secretary.

Flowing the meeting there was a short adjourned business meeting of the society.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. P. S. Neldon preached at the morning service on the text, "I pray for them," words taken from that great prayer of intercession uttered by our Lord in those last closing days of his life on earth.

Jesus, looking down through the days and years ahead, probably knew the things that would come into the lives of His people, just as he knows today the temptations that may come into our lives in the coming week.

The pastor received 19 into full membership.

At the evening service the pastor preached the second in the series of sermons based on the way we look, the subject being "Looking Forward."

An interesting league service was led by the pastor on the thought "The Promise of a Redeemer."

The Ladies Aid will hold its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. C. S. Jose, Crescent street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Fowler Chapter of the Methodist Brotherhood will hold an open night Wednesday evening to which all are invited. Rev. Mr. Willmott of Bethany Congregational church will be the speaker.

Friday evening Dillon Bronson, D. D., will conduct the fourth quarterly conference at the parsonage at 7.30 sharp.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

The Sunday service with its scripture lesson prayer and sermon was appropriate to the first Sunday of the New Year. The Girls' Choir rendered most pleasingly Costa's anthem "Thou shalt love the Lord." The pastor took for his text the words, "We Know in part," and most appropriately selected Henry W. Longfellow's Psalm of Life for the sermon-hymn. He said:

"We walk by faith, not by sight. We know only in part. It is a good thing that we know so little about the future. If there were a choice offered between knowing nothing or knowing all of the future, every thoughtful person would choose the former.

God gives us strength to do each day's duties. Life comes to us one day at a time. We shall be estimated not by what we have, not even by what we have done, but by what we are. Real progress lies not so much in the improvement of things, but in the development of manhood. We are here to develop character. This is not an inheritance that can be transmitted or a possession that can be conveyed to us, but a prize, an achievement to be won. A man is not a ready-made product put into the world by the creator. He has to work out his own salvation. The greatest gift that he can make to God and his fellowmen is himself at his best. Let us receive this new year as a gift from God. Let us earnestly strive to become the men, the women God wants us to be, that his kingdom may come and his will be done on earth.

The first sociable for this season is to be held in the vestry Friday, with Mrs. W. K. Taylor as chairman. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock to be followed by an entertainment. All the members and friends of the church are cordially invited.

The treasurer of the Ladies Aid Alliance reports the net proceeds from the recent Alliance Fair as $676.20.

The Rev. William L. Sullivan of New York will preach in King's Chapel at 12 o'clock noon Friday.

The Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters met with Mrs. E. B. Bowker, 313 Highland avenue Monday evening.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, at 6.30 o'clock.

A series of special services with sermon by prominent out of town clergymen will be held Sunday evenings during Lent.

The annual business meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian society will be held Monday evening, Jan. 25 in the vestry.

People passing the Wollaston Unitarian church appreciate the words of cheer and hope and faith which they receive from the "Way-side Preacher" on their way to work.

The committee in charge of the Sunday school Christmas service and party gratefully acknowledge the receipts of the largest collection taken for the benefit of the Sunday school for many years. They also give hearty thanks for the generous contribution of articles from scholars and parents for distribution among the needy. Both money and other gifts have carried the spirit of cheer and good will to many who otherwise might not have either.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

The subject of Dr. Sneath's New Year's sermon, delivered to a large audience, was "A Happy 1915." He gave the old Jewish greeting, "May you be written down in God's book for a Happy New Year." The text was taken from John 6: 12, "Gather up the fragments that nothing be lost." Dr. Sneath gave the following suggestions to make 1915 a happy year.

"1. Enter upon it with an unwavering confidence in God.

"2. Gather up the fragments of time, service, happiness, character, that nothing be lost. The truest satisfaction comes from gathering up the broken parts and using them wisely.

"3. To make the year a happy one there must be the generous spirit. Manifest that spirit and it will react and make you happy.

If we go into the New Year with an unwavering faith in God; then gather up the fragments of time, service, happiness, character; and then give to others, it is bound to be a happy 1915."

The Communion Service followed the sermon.

A new class of young women with Dr. Sneath as teacher started Sunday. Thirteen were present. It is hoped that that number will be doubled next Sunday.

The Sunday school is rejoicing in the fact that it has raised $200, its first year's pledge for the new parish house. A large contribution from Mr West's class of young men, raised the contribution to that amount.

The Little Lights will meet with Mrs. Murray Monday at 3.45 P. M.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, W. B. M., will meet with Mrs. Lincoln, 109 Lincoln avenue, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Dickerson will give the current news from mission fields, and Mrs. Hutchins take charge of the chapter on "The Child at Play and at Work"

At 10.30 A. M. Thursday there will be in Pilgrim Hall, Boston, a New Year's Meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Association.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Union services will be held this week as follows:

Tuesday evening, at 7.45, Congregational Church. Topic: "Prayer for our Churches." Leader, Rev. Mr. Walther.

Wednesday evening, 7. 45, Methodist church. Topic: "Prayer for the Nations; Our Own and Others." Leader Rev. Dr. Sneath.

Thursday evening, at 7.45, Baptist Church. Topic: "Prayer for the Unconverted." Leader, Rev. Mr. Bailey.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST.

There was a large audience at the morning service. The pastor Rev. Joseph Walther, gave an interesting and helpful New Year's sermon from the subject, "The Divine Element In Human Lives."

The journey of the Children of Israel from Egypt to Canaan has always been regarded as a fine type of the Christian journey through this world and through the years. This is not strange in view of the fact that there is so much suggestive in it.

As they journeyed through the wilderness on their way to Canaan and met the varying experiences, victory, defeat, joy, sorrow, holiness sin, so we as Christians all have these spiritual complaints in our lives.

But there is one phase of the journey that has never been fully emphasized and that is the divine element of it. For instance as we study history of the children of Israel we are surprised to see what God did for them. In their bondage they cried unto God and God heard their groanings and saw them and took knowledge of their troubles. God delivered and protected them out of the hands of the Egyptians and from other nations.

God also disturbed his people, they were too contented with their present condition and God called them to reach higher heights.

God prospered and disciplined his people and brought them to the desired and promised land; the land of Canaan. As God led the children of Israel through their Pilgrimage, so he will lead his Children today.

There were several who received the hand of fellowship at the morning service. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper followed the morning service, after which the Sunday school assembled in the various class rooms for the study of the Bible. The Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30 was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Walther, subject: "A Story of the boy Jesus." Leader, George Goodspeed.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 was in charge of the pastor. Subject "Who is on the Lord's side?" At the evening service the pastor preached from the subject: "Our Attitude Toward the Past and Future. The choir sang morning and evening.

Monday morning at 10.45, Rev. Dr. George E. Horr, president of Newton Theological Institution will speak before the Boston Conference of Baptist Ministers, in Chipman hall, Tremont Temple, on "Scholarship and the Ministry." Everyone invited.

Tuesday evening at 7.45 Union week of Prayer Service in Wollaston Congregational church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead. Subject: "Prayer for Our Churches."

Wednesday, beginning at 10.00 A. M. an all-day sewing meeting for the benefit of the Quincy City Hospital will be held in our chapel. Our women are urged to attend.

Wednesday afternoon at 3.00 the Annual Thank Offering Meeting of the Social and Benevolent Society will be held in the Chapel. It is hoped that a large number will be present.

Wednesday evening at 7.15 Union Week of Prayer Service in the Wollaston Methodist church. Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., will lead. Subject "Prayer for the Nations—Our Own and Others."

Thursday evening at 7.45, Union Week of Prayer Service in our church. Rev. George M. Bailey will lead. Subject: "Prayer for the Unconverted."

Friday beginning at 10.00 A. M. and closing at 1.00 P. M. the Federation of Women's Boards of Foreign Missions, will observe Day of Prayer in the Chapel of the Old South church, Boylston street, Boston. Mrs. Harry W. Peabody, Miss Kate G. Lawson and others will guide the meeting. Our women invited to attend. Program on Bulletin Board in Chapel.

PARK AND DOWNS CHURCH

The morning service Sunday was devoted to the communion service. A number of new members were received into the full fellowship of the church. The pastor, Rev. Wm. B. Ayers, in a few, well chosen words gave some helpful advice not only to the new members, but to the church.

The evening sermon was a continuation of the lectures on "Great Religious Lessons from the War." The minister said that the first duty of christianity was to seek to learn the cause of this wide spread evil. Because if its a disagreeable sight is no sufficient reason why we should ignore it. The chief interest of religion is man. It seeks the well being of all people.

The purpose of religion is to banish from the earth that which makes men sad, sinful and desolate. What could be more completely the work of religion than to try to find a way out when half the population of the world are pledged to hate and kill. It is absurd for us to talk about converting the unlettered heathen while such conditions prevail.

The first great cause of this war was a widespread suspicion. A lack of faith in one another and in God. No nation trusted its fellow nation. No nation trusted God to keep it out of this. Wrong ideas... that is what caused the war.

And yet people say it makes no difference what a person believes. A great many of us are going into the New Year with that delusion. If we examine our minds carefully some of us will see that if we go on and live according to the ideas which we now possess we will come to sin, sadness and destruction. If this is to be a successful year with us in the matter of character and happiness then the first thing to do is to set right our ideas; with reference to the truths that stand related to character and to man's responsibility to God.

With reference to all the great truths of the Bible a man must believe right or woe will be his lot. May God lead us, at this New Year season into a firm belief in the laws of righteousness which He has established and in the power of Christ to take away the sin of the world.

The vested choir under the new leadership of Mr. Brackett rendered some fine music, while the trombone solo by C. A. Richardson accompanied by Miss Emily Bjorkman, organist, was exceptionally pleasing.

Friday night, Jan. 15th, Men's Forum: Mr. Liggett of United Drug Co., will be one of the speakers.

SPIRITUALIST CHURCH.

Services were opened at 3.00 P. M. Sunday with song service. Bible reading and prayer followed by an eloquent discourse by Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough on the "Life of Christ," after which those present formed into a circle when each one received an Astrologic life reading. Evening services opened at 7.30 Dr. Clough's subject being "Temperance and Religion." His remarks were well received and much appreciated by the audience present. Many messages were given and well received. At the home of Mrs. S. V. Odiorne, 8 Mechanic street a Circle meeting will be held Tuesday evening at 8.00 and Thursday evening at 8.00 a developing class will be open.

NORTH WEYMOUTH

Russell Bailey and family have recently moved into their new home on Standish road. Charles Bailey and Miss Olga Bailey will make their home with them.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the K. C. B. C. will hold their annual election at the home of Mrs. John Wolfe, Birchbrow avenue, Friday evening.

Mrs. Johanna Burke is expected home the latter part of the week from St. Margaret's hospital, where she recently underwent a surgical operation.

Miss Helen Quaintance spent the week end with Miss Agnes Baldwin.

Miss May Coleman of Bridge street, who is in training at St. Margaret's hospital recently received her cap.

Mrs. Ida Farrington entertained the God of the Order committee of D. of V. at her home on Sea street, Monday.

Edward Peckham of Bridge street is seriously ill at the Quincy Hospital, with a severe attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Thomas, nee Miss Lena Leslie, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Keene.

Mrs. Myles P. Keene was inducted into office in S. of V. Auxiliary No. 31 Friday.

SICK WITH SCARLET FEVER

Four Year Old Boy Plays in Hard Luck.

Hard luck seems to follow John, the 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Hall place. Last week he fell on the stove and was badly burned about the face and hands and Monday was taken down with scarlet fever. He is reported a little better this morning.

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Catty.

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ADAMS CHAPTER AIDS G. A. R.

Votes to Send $10 to Aid Veterans of Paul Revere Post

The regular monthly meeting of the Adams Chapter, D. R. was held at the birthplace of John Adams, Monday afternoon. Before the cheerful open fire in the sunny parlor afternoon tea was served and a social hour enjoyed. At the business meeting the regent presented the needs of Post 88 G. A. R. to the attention of the chapter and it was voted to send $10.00 from the treasury to the treasurer of the Post 88 G. A. R. association to be expended for the veterans

Following the annual custom the members contributed gifts to the "mystery box" from which they were later distributed

The Adams Chapter D R was organized June 27, 1905 at the home of Miss Annie L. Prescott and the members will celebrate the 20th anniversary the first Monday in February when they will be entertained by Mrs. Walter E. Piper and Miss Harriet B. Pierce at the residence of Miss Pierce, 242 Granite street, Quincy.

OBSERVES 73rd BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. E. A. Glover passed her 73rd birthday quietly in her home at Adams Block Monday being remembered with many birthday greetings and a beautiful bouquet from her two great grand sons Floyd Perkins and Roy Carlton Macdonald.

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A. Person, 92 Granite St.
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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Fair and warmer with fresh south to southwest winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.27
Length of day	9.14
Moon rises	10.13
High water, A. M.	2.00
High water, P. M.	2.45
Days increase	0 hrs. 8 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	28 degrees
Jan. 5, 1914,	33 degrees
Jan. 5, 1913,	48 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

BOSTON PIN TOURNAMENT.

Ladies of the Cochato Club, Bowled Monday Evening.

Twenty-four of the ladies of the Cochato Club, Braintree, have started a Boston pin tournament and Monday evening the three alleys are reserved for them. Teams one, two and three bowled the latter team making a total of 1265, winning each string and scoring eight points. Team one made 3 1-2 points and team two a half point. Teams one and two were tied on the first string. Team four will bowl next Monday evening with teams two and three. The scores were as follows:

TEAM ONE.

Mrs. Andrews	79	78	88	245
Mrs. Wetherbee	67	75	69	211
Mrs. Patten	70	70	70	210
Mrs. Olin	80	73	61	214
Miss Crocker	61	70	75	206
Mrs. Hollis	34	42	57	133
	391	408	420	1219

TEAM TWO.

Mrs. Keating	76	77	78	231
Miss Abercrombie	71	70	75	216
Mrs. Woodsum	73	73	73	219
Mrs. Clapp	54	57	64	175
Miss M. Kneeland	63	63	77	203
Miss Rogers	54	51	49	154
	391	391	416	1198

TEAM THREE.

Mrs. Connell	80	80	80	240
Mrs. Wilder	77	81	87	245
Miss Perry	76	68	75	220
Miss Hatchard	69	65	72	206
Mrs. Lawley	55	55	55	165
Mrs. Prescott	61	59	69	189
	418	409	438	1265

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CITY COUNCIL BANQUET

(Continued from Page One.)

out of his job, but he only got one vote. Then continuing he said he did not believe in parliamentary law. If a man is sincere there is no use using parliamentary tactics. He believed in letting every man have his say. He wanted to thank all for the co-operation they had given him during the past few months. He had tried to do his duty. He would like to be mayor for a term of years, five at least, but not at the present salary. We ought to change our charter so as to make it an inducement to take office, he declared.

MR. BRYANT GIVES ADVICE.

Hon. C. M. Bryant said if a man of Mr. Campbell's ability can be obtained and is fool enough to take the job for the money, always vote for him. The



CHARLES M. BRYANT.

speaker said he knew the trials of the office. "None had the trials I did in my administration. One year we had to find some way to keep people warm as well as fed. I don't believe we have ever elected a man who has the knowledge, cooperation training, and system as the man inaugurated today. He has particular training in organization, in getting things going and making them go and Quincy this year will be heard from.

"Gentlemen of the council, you must keep your wheels on the track, whether they be depressed or elevated, and remember our charter distinguishes between the executive and legislative ends of the city government. I hope the members of the council will not attempt to log roll. See your mayor on measures and if he doesn't convince you he is right vote the way you feel.

"I was glad to know the mayor believes in motorizing the fire department and in taking away some of the antiquities that have existed and always will until the wards become more thickly settled.

"I noticed with pleasure that he has given his view on the assessors department. That board is my particular Spanish fly blister. I hope the mayor will secure some apparatus to convey these three men around so they will see all of the property, so they will have some time when they get back to city hall to use their judgment in equalizing valuations.

"I told an assessor today that in filling the office he did not use any judgment at all.

"A personal examination of all situations is the duty of a councilman. Don't vote unless you know what the measure is for. Gentlemen, I was glad to see the gentleman from Ward Four, (Councilman Smith) elected. I thank you."

The toastmaster then referred to the long service of City Messenger Tirrell who responded briefly.

JOHN O. HALL.

Ex-Mayor John O. Hall said that for years he had been intimately connected with the city government both as mayor and as city auditor. He also spoke briefly of the first year of the city government, when the late Herbert M. Federhen was the President of the council and the year following when Mr. Fairbanks was president, also of the first inauguration banquet



JOHN O. HALL.

when the late Charles H. Porter was inaugurated as the first mayor. Mr. Fairbanks knows of the many battles royal that were fought in the council during those early years, and the trouble of Mayor Whiton fades into insignificance when compared with the trouble Mayor Fairbanks had.

The speaker said he did not feel that Mayor Campbell was in for much trouble. "There is a great deal of satisfaction that goes with the office. No matter how long the service, it is an honor to have been mayor over a city of 36,000 people. We believe in the honesty and ability of Mayor Campbell and if he should happen to go out of office in a year he will have the satisfaction of having done what he thought right. I am glad to see so well balanced a city council as we have this year and I hope that they will do all they can to uphold the mayor."

RUSSELL A. SEARS.

Hon. Russell A. Sears said it was good of the committee to give him the opportunity to be present. "Seventeen years ago when I was mayor seems a long time ago. I have one proud distinction. I think I am the only living ex-Mayor who gave the people all they wanted in one year."

The preceding speaker, (Mr. Bryant,) has a habit of getting things and in '98 when he started for something he got it and I was it.

"Have you ever thought of the possibilities of Quincy and how we are growing every day? Seventeen years ago we were provincial, today we are thriving, and in the next few years Quincy will make the largest gain in industrial strength and population of any of the suburban cities. This will call for efficient management. Mayor Campbell stands at the head of a great corporation. Within the last year corporations have been desecrated and scorned because of the revelation of frauds, that have been turned up and the corporations have been reaping rightfully what they



RUSSELL A. SEARS.

have sown. A new era has dawned and today open minded, honorable dealings are welcomed by the men at the head.

"One thing I would recommend is frankness in dealing with the people you represent, Mr. Campbell. Frankness with the council. We have no room today in the industrial and business field for competition is keen and we should develop these ideals which bring success to the city. We have no time for little things because everything that comes to the council is a large thing. It has a bearing on the success of the city.

"I have every evidence we have made no mistake in getting Mr. Campbell for the office of mayor. Instead of having a hard row to hoe, Mr. Campbell, I think you have come at the psychological time and I don't believe you will look back upon your term of office with regret."

CHAIRMAN OF SCHOOL BOARD.

John D. Mackay, chairman of the school committee, was introduced with a humorous reference to the selection of a lot for the Whrd Two school, but he declined the invitation to "thresh out old straw," and gave the council some interesting figures in an endeavor to prove that the schools were being run economically as well as efficiently. All the graduates of the Quincy High in 1914 who had taken college entrance examinations had passed, including six to Harvard and three to Tech.

"Judged and tried by other tests also," he said, "the schools are found to be doing more efficient work today than ever before, due to the zeal and ability of the Superintendent and his masters and teachers. No man who is well-informed as to conditions will deny the assertion. It ought to be your concern as much as ours to have the education of the children well provided for, although our responsibility is not the same.

The average cost of schooling per capita throughout Massachusetts cities is $40, but in Quincy it is only $31.50, and while it is true, as stated by another speaker, that you handed over $200,000, 'without a murmur', it is also true that we needed and used it all and it is true that you are expending a smaller proportion of your money for the schools year by year. From 28 cents a few years ago you have dropped to 19 cents on the dollar in 1914.

So far as the school committee is concerned, our relations with His Honor the Mayor and the Council of 1915 always will be the relations that ought to exist between gentlemen."



JOHN D. MACKAY.

Mr. Mackay said it augured well for the city that Democrats had joined with Republicans year after year in re-electing the same Clerk of Council, City Auditor, and Messenger. "It proves" he said "that the man who minds his business and minds it hard is likely to last and wear well, even in a political office in Quincy."

The speaker also paid a compliment to John Q. A. Field, who was present celebrating his 80th birthday. Those eighty years of hard work in various capacities had not lowered his head nor impaired his faculties. "He is as keen of mind tonight as any Yankee who had ever come down the Braintree pike and it is a tonic to meet him and hear from him.

"I hope he will be here five years from tonight when I relieve Mayor Campbell of his duties," he said, "the salary being too small for Mr. Whiton to accept."

HENRY O. FAIRBANKS.

Ex-Mayor Henry O. Fairbanks spoke briefly of the financial situation of the city. "It is very pleasant," he said, "to look back to those first years of the city and again to look about us and see the good fellowship that is here. We can gain experience by looking back, to those first years. Then we quibbled over giving the school committee $60,000 now we give them $200,000 without a murmur. Then we expended $9,400 for street lights and now $36,000 for police and now $42,000. We have reduced the debt $69,000 this year and today we have the largest borrowing capacity in the



HON. HENRY O. FAIRBANKS.

history of the city. Our ship is headed in the right direction and it will be but a few years before we will have paid the last $20,000 on our water debt. I can see no reason why the tax rate should not go down soon and remain at a fair figure." He thanked the city council for honoring him with re-election and assured them that his office was always ready to give any information.

Senator Langelier spoke briefly of the three surprises he had experienced during the evening. Two of them were that the two members of the committee had not taken advantage of the opportunity to have their names on the menu as a political boom and the other when ex-Mayor Bryant quoted the bible. "The City of Quincy is to be congratulated on having such a captain to take up the reins of the city," he concluded "and will make the city heard from."

OTHER SPEAKERS.

Councilman Griffin was introduced as the councilman of school lot fame and in reply he stated that he had always tried to do his duty and that he hoped that the city would appropriate money this year to build a new school building at Quincy Point and build a good one. "I hope that the school board will work with us and after they approve the plan we send to them will not change their minds," he said.

Representative Edward J. Sandberg stated that he was ready this year as in other years to work hard on Beacon hill for the interest of the city. He believed the city had a good city council this year and that it would work in harmony with the mayor.

Ex-Senator Leslie, who came up from Worcester to attend the banquet, spoke of his long residence in Quincy and since removing to Worcester he said he had followed closely what went on here. However Quincy is the best city in the state, he believed, and he knew that Mayor Campbell would advertise it as it had never been advertised before.

When John Q. A. Field was introduced the party arose as one man and cheered him to the echo. It was a reception such as is seldom accorded a speaker and he was visibly affected. He could not speak for a minute but when he did recover himself he thanked the party for their reception on this his eightieth birthday. He then spoke of some dangers which he saw ahead, which Quincy must guard against. One of these was the efforts being made by certain politicians to take Brookline out of the Norfolk county. If this was done it would mean that Quincy's share of the county tax would be greatly increased. "The county has been loosing territory



WILLIAM J. LESLIE.

right along and care should be taken, that Brookline is not taken from us," he declared.

"Another thing is the matter of building main thoroughfares. Quincy now has to pay its share for building county roads in other towns for which we get no benefit and when we build a main thoroughfare we have to pay the whole bill ourselves."

He then referred to the proposed paving on Hancock street between Granite and School streets. He said that it would be very hard for horses and that it would be more economical to pave in a manner similar to the other end of the street. "That paving will last twenty-five years, then you can take it up and turn it and it will last twenty-five years more, then you can use it for gutters for the next twenty-five years, so that you will get seventy-five years wear out of the pavements." Speaking of the assessors he said. "There should be at least four assessors, three to do the field work and one to remain in the office and look over the work of the field men."

Councilman John D. Smith was the last speaker. He said he felt proud of Quincy because of its history and the things the patriots of old had accomplished. "We should try to emulate them and work hard as they did for the things that are best for Quincy," he declared.

The banquet came to an end by all rising and singing America.

Those present outside the head table included:

John L. Hamilton.
Wm. L. Buckley.
Stephen B. Little.
Carl E. Carlson.
John R. Nelson.
Frederick J. Kessler.
Edward F. Parlee.
Chas. L. Gilliatt.
J. C. Fuller.
Wm. P. Thompson.
Chas. A. Hadlock.
Lora C. Merrill.
Wm. H. Taylor.
J. J. Kenley.
Daniel R. McKay.
Alfred N. LaBrecque.
E. C. Sargent.
Moses L. Brown.
Eugene R. Atwood.
John Curtis.
Warren S. Parker.
John C. Murray.
A. L. Litchfield.
George A. Bolster.
Daniel Scouter Jr.
Charles B. Yule.
A. L. Whitman.
Stanley F. Hall.
Walter A. Castner.
Edw. O. Woodward.
Harry W. Tirrell.
Sen. L. F. R. Langelier.
Ex. Sen. Wm. J. Leslie.
Emery L. Crane.
Thos. Griffin.
Herbert G. Beeman.
George T. Magee.
Frank F. Crane.
I. M. Whittemore.
Alfred H. Richards.
Rodney P. Gallagher.
E. P. Barrows.
Thos. J. McGrath.
Frank A. Ferguson.
Allan R. McDonald.
James E. Burke.
Walter H. Cobb.
John F. Scott.
Edw. J. Sandberg.
Dr. Philip Kelley.
Frank M. Curtis.
Rep. Chas. A. Ericson.
Fred F. Green.
Alfred E. Walker.
Frank F. Prescott.
George Gauthier.
Faxon Billings.
Jas. H. Slade
John D. Smith.
John J. O'Hara.
Chas. F. Barnicoat.
Robert J. Williams Jr.
Walter S. Pinkham.
Michael T. Sullivan.
Wm. Cashman.
Joseph A. Barry.

SPORTING COMMENT

Milton and Brockton High schools have been dated for the Quincy football season. Milton plays here on Nov. 5 and Quincy goes to the shoe city Nov. 12.

The moving spirits in the proposed southeastern Interscholastic league will meet here Thursday evening. Quincy, Milton, Rockland, Weymouth and Brockton will probably affiliate.

The Quincy High basket ball team opens its season in the local gym Wednesday with Wellesley as their opponents, and it will be a league game. The game will be at 3.45.

William Coady may be prevailed upon to referee the league games here this season. If not, probably Crowley will be on the court.

The ways of the A. A. A. U. are mysterious. The latest report is that Daniel and Sid Duggan have been suspended because they played with Cunningham gym the other night. The organization of course aims to promote amateur sport, but at the same time both these boys should be considered since they have sacrificed many golden opportunities to become "pros" simply to remain "simon pures."

And tonight, the amateur boxers of the city contest at Quincy Adams hall under the auspices of the Quincy A. A. The classes will be 110, 120 and 140 pounds.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Joel Sheppard & Sons, Inc., a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business at Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Anna L. Pray of said Quincy; the Trustees of the Quincy Loan Fund Association formerly doing business in said Quincy, or their successors in said trust; any heirs, devisees, or legal representatives of William Cushing, formerly of said Quincy, deceased, who have not released their interest in the Southeasterly portion of the land hereinafter described; Abby A. Davis, now or formerly of Hingham, in the County of Plymouth, and said Commonwealth, or her children; and any heirs, devisees, or legal representatives of James S. Higgins formerly of said Quincy; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Charles H. Wilson, of said Quincy, to register and confirm his title in the following described land;

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Washington Street fifty-nine and 80-100 (59.80) feet; southeasterly by land now or late of Joel Sheppard and Sons, Inc. fifty-seven and 40-100 (57.40) feet; Northeasterly by land now or late of Anna L. Pray, sixty-two and 77-100 (62.77) feet; and Northwesterly by land now or late of said Anna L. Pray fifty-seven and 19-100 (57.19) feet. Containing 3510 square feet of land.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of December in the year nineteen hundred and fourteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
(Seal)
3t Dec. 22, 29 Jan. 5.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Notice.
Fire Prevention Commission.

Notice is hereby given that the Fire Prevention Commissioner for the Metropolitan District, after due publication of notice and a public hearing, has established the following regulations governing the sale of gasoline or other volatile inflammable fluids to boats or vessels in the waters adjoining the Cities and Towns of the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District

1. No gasoline, or other volatile inflammable fluid which emits a vapor at a temperature below 100 degrees Fahrenheit when tested in the open air, shall hereafter be delivered to boats or vessels in the waters adjoining the Cities and Towns of the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District of Massachusetts, except from vessels duly licensed by the Fire Prevention Commissioner, and at the stations assigned to them in said waters.

2. The application for such a license shall contain,—

a. The name and address of the applicant.

b. The name and measurements of the vessel from which the sales are to be made.

c. The maximum amount of gasoline or other inflammable fluid to be kept in the vessel.

d. The location desired for the vessel.

3. Vessels licensed in the manner above set forth shall be subject to assignment of location by the Harbor Master. In anchoring them, two chains shall be used, one of which shall be attached to an eye-bolt in the bow of the vessel near the water line.

4. Gasoline, or any volatile inflammable fluid, kept for sale on such vessels, shall be stored in proper steel tanks. Such tanks shall not exceed in total capacity eleven hundred gallons, except by special permit from the Fire Prevention Commissioner; and each tank shall be ventilated by a one inch pipe running four feet above the deck and properly braced, capped with a gooseneck and covered with No. 30 mesh brass wire screen. If a tank be located on the deck, the ventilating pipe shall extend four feet above the tank.

5. Five barrels each of kerosene and lubricating oil may at any time be kept for sale on such vessels; and a larger amount of each fluid may be kept by special permit of the Fire Prevention Commissioner.

6. Each vessel duly licensed as above set forth shall be supplied with gasoline, or other volatile inflammable fluid, by supply boats from stations properly equipped for that purpose, —or in some other manner approved by the official granting the permit. The supply boats shall not enter docks nor make sales.

7. Gasoline or other inflammable fluid shall be delivered from a licensed vessel either by means of a direct pipe from the storage tank or by using covered retainers.

8. Every vessel used for the sale of gasoline or other volatile inflammable fluid shall have the name, which has been stated in the license, properly printed on each side of the bow; it shall have one flag only, which shall be red, three feet long and two feet wide bearing the word "Gasoline," or the name of the most inflammable liquid on sale in large letters on both sides. This flag shall be constantly displayed on an upright pole.

9. No artificial light, except an electric light, shall be allowed on a vessel that is used for keeping gasoline for sale, unless required by law. No smoking shall be allowed on such a vessel, and no torch, forge, fire, or flame without a special permit.

10. At all times there shall be kept on each licensed vessel a chemical fire extinguisher ,two fire pails filled with sand and provided with scoops and two pails with ropes attached thereto.

11. All permits granted under these regulations, and each licensed vessel, shall at all times be open to the inspection of the Fire Prevention Commissioner, or the members of the Police or Fire Department in the City or Town where the vessel is located.

12. Nothing in these regulations shall prevent any Yacht Club or Boat Club in said District, provided it is duly licensed and has the approval of the Head of the Fire department, from delivering gasoline or other inflammable liquids from a tank located on its pier or grounds direct to the tanks of vessels or boats belonging to its members, in such manner as the Fire Prevention Commissioner or the Head of the Fire Department where said Club is located shall approve.

13. The Fire Prevention Commissioner may, for cause, revoke any permit issued as above provided.

14. These regulations shall take effect February 1st, A. D., 1915.

Whoever violates these regulations is liable by Statute to a fine of not more than $50.

JOHN A. O'KEEFE,
Fire Prevention Commissioner for the Metropolitan District.
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AFTER NEARLY WEEK'S BATTLE

French Troops Capture Important Town of Steinbach

GREAT STRATEGIC POSITION

Victory Accomplished Only After Desperate House-to-House Struggle, In Which Losses Are Very Heavy—British Warships Bombard Capital of German East Africa, Inflicting Much Damage—Indications of Austrian Disaster In Galicia—Warlike Preparations of Greece and Italy Attract Attention

London, Jan. 5.—The capture of Steinbach by the French, who thereby gain an important strategic position, was the principal development in the fighting Monday. German forces are making strenuous efforts to recapture the town. The battle has been of the most furious character for nearly a week.

Steinbach is supposed to command the road to Mulhausen, the most important city of the upper end of the lost province of Alsace.

Although the fact was denied officially from Berlin, the French have held one-half of the village for several days, and both sides have been engaged in desperate house-to-house fighting to secure final control.

The French finally forced their way through the half of the place still occupied by the Germans, drove the enemy in confusion from the village and swept on until they had recaptured the German defensive positions to the west.

Every foot of ground was bitterly contested and the losses must have been severe on both sides. A separate battle raged around each house, and for several hours the advantage rested first with one side, then with the other.

It was the capture of the church in Steinbach that finally gave the victory to the French. This crucial position was taken from the Germans Sunday morning, but late Sunday night it was lost again.

Realizing that it must be captured and held strongly, a strong force of General Pau's infantrymen executed a brilliant charge through the darkness. At daybreak Monday the last German had been driven back, and a few hours later the remaining houses were in possession of the French.

British Shell German Port

Great Britain has again carried the war into Africa and has struck a blow at the heart of Germany's great possession on the Indian ocean coast.

Two British warships, the battleship Goliath and the light cruiser Fox, operating presumably from the naval base at Zanzibar, bombarded the port of Dar-es-Salaam, capital of German East Africa, inflicting considerable damage, disabling all the German vessels that had taken refuge in the harbor and taking fourteen Europeans and twenty native prisoners.

The official report, coming from Nairobi, British East Africa, and issued by the admiralty, says the British loss was one killed and twelve wounded, which indicates that the shore batteries engaged in a lively interchange of shots with the raiding warships.

The character of the vessels in the harbor is not stated in the brief report of the action, but it is not likely that any German warships were in this vicinity, all having been cleared from the Indian ocean with the sinking of the Emden in the Cocos islands.

Fight Still Raging In Galicia

The third day of the great battle in the Gorlice region in Galicia, where the Austrians are desperately trying to hold the Russians back on the Cracow road until German reinforcements can be poured in from the north, has evidently turned to the advantage of the czar's troops, although Petrograd does not yet claim victory.

A distinct Russian success is noted in the Russian staff statement, which, in claiming progress in the engagement, says more than 1000 Austrian prisoners have been taken, together with several cannon and machine guns.

On the other hand, the Austrian official statement, which was several hours later than that from Petrograd, indicates a disaster for the Austrian troops, which may mean that the battle is near its end.

This report, which is couched in "let-down-easy" language, says "our brave troops assured themselves, through getting possession of an important line of hills, of a favorable base for further operations." The report also adds, in exculpatory manner, that the battle was fought under the most severe weather conditions.

In southern Galicia, along the line of the Carpathian mountains, the rout of the Austrians continues. The Russians have followed up their victory at Vzzok pass by further engagements in which they took 1000 Austrian prisoners, besides several guns and quick-firers. In this fight an entire Austrian battalion, with eleven officers, surrendered.

Greece Summons Reservists

In Poland it is rather quiet, and the warlike preparations of Greece and Italy attract more attention than the events along the battle line.

AN INCIDENT OF WAR.

German Soldier Feeding Hungry Child In Belgium.



Photo by American Press Association.

Greece has summoned home all her reservists living in foreign countries for mobilization March 1, and Italy announces that a war loan of $200,000,000 has been fully subscribed.

The Bulgarian situation does not subside, and such parts of Europe as have leisure to talk are discussing a third Balkan war, in which Bulgaria will be pitted against Servia and Greece, with every prospect of Roumania mixing in.

POPE'S PLEA PREVAILS

Between 150,000 and 200,000 Disabled Soldiers to Be Liberated

Evidence of the influence which the Vatican now has with all the belligerent powers was forthcoming when it was announced that success has crowned Pope Benedict's effort to have crippled soldiers, incapacitated for further fighting, sent back to their homes.

Of the million and a half prisoners detained in the various camps of the belligerent nations, it is believed by the pope and his advisers that between 150,000 and 200,000 will be restored to their homes by this agreement.

The Germans have the largest number of severely crippled soldiers in the hands of the enemy, as many of the prisoners taken in the battles of the Aisne and the Marne were so severely wounded that they had to have arms and legs amputated.

REPLY ALMOST READY

England's Attitude on Ship Searching Will Soon Be Known

The British government's reply to the American note concerning contraband probably will be sent before the end of this week. An outline of the reply has been submitted to France, which is greatly interested because of the activity of French ships in searching Mediterranean cargoes.

Probably there will be a statement issued shortly, showing that Italy and England and the other allies have arrived at an understanding concerning contraband, satisfactory to all the countries affected.

Rubber cargoes held in English ports destined for American firms probably will be released shortly or purchased by Great Britain, which needs much rubber for the manufacture of tires, bed blankets and boots.

THE FORMIDABLE DISASTER

Berlin Announces That Warship Was Sunk by Submarine

An official announcement made public through the official press bureau at Berlin says:

A German submarine boat reports by wireless to the admiralty in Berlin that it has torpedoed and sunk in the English channel, off Plymouth, the British battleship Formidable.

The submarine was pursued by British destroyers, but escaped undamaged.

NEW YORK'S HOMELESS

Previous Records Broken When 2530 Are Provided With Shelter

New York, Jan. 5.—All previous records for the number of persons sheltered at the municipal lodging house were broken when 2530 homeless men, women and children were taken in, fed and given a warm place to sleep.

Of these thirty-six were women and five were children. The previous record was 2153.

Blameless For Girl's Death

Somerville, Mass., Jan. 5.—Philip D. Melanson, a truck driver, was acquitted on a manslaughter charge by Judge Wentworth. Charlotte T. Dugan, aged 9, coasted on a sled beneath the wheels of the vehicle Melanson was driving and was killed.

Troops Quit Coal Fields

Boulder, Colo., Jan. 5.—Federal troops stationed in northern Colorado coal fields received orders to leave the district today.

Chronic Moisture of Hands.

If you are troubled with moist hands rub them several times a day with just a little of the following mixture: Two ounces of eau de cologne and a quarter of an ounce of belladonna. Afterward sprinkle with talcum powder.

YEGG CAP BLOWS UP

Boston Policeman Gets Big Dose of Fragments of Copper

Boston, Jan. 5.—A few seconds after hundreds of pieces of a detonating cap had pierced his face, legs and hands, Inspector Lynch, the "yegg" expert of the Boston police department, calmly walked to the central office telephone, called his wife at their home, informed her that he was going to a hospital for treatment, then went there to have the copper, etc., dug out of him.

The cap exploded suddenly while he was illustrating to Inspector McKenna of the Waltham police how safe blowers used it and a battery.

After Lynch arrived at the hospital some of the copper was removed and then it was decided to keep him for a day or two to watch for blood poisoning. With that in mind, he telephoned his wife of the extent of his injuries and that he would not be home for a day or two. He is not in a serious condition.

OPPOSITION GETS BUSY

Republicans Line Up Against Government Ship Purchase Bill

Washington, Jan. 5.—With the filing in the senate of the minority report on the government ship purchase bill from the committee on commerce, Republicans laid the foundation of the determined opposition to the proposed legislation.

The bill has already been reported by the committee, and indications are that it will be the next big legislative task undertaken by the senate.

Although President Wilson has indicated a strong desire that consideration of the bill be expedited with all possible speed, it is certain the proposal that the government finance a shipping corporation and purchase, lease or charter ocean-going ships will be vigorously opposed.

WANTS "JANE" CLASS FOR CHICAGO BOYS

Mrs. Flagg Would Have Them Learn to Cook and Sew

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Ella F. Young, superintendent of schools, still believes boys should be taught sewing and cooking. A year ago she almost lost her position through teaching boys to sew. "Making Janes of them," was one of the charges brought against her. Then the boys' sewing classes were abolished.

Mrs. Young cherishes her hobby. At the Political Equality league she said in an address:

"I have long believed that boys ought to be taught to cook and sew the same as the girls. They should know the arts upon which the human race is built.

"The bakers have asked to have a course on Saturdays in one of the schools here. I am going to do all I can to give an opportunity to the boys to learn to cook and sew."

DELAY IS EXPENSIVE

Demurrage on the Harpalyce Amounts to About $500 a Day

Boston, Jan. 5. — Demurrage amounting to several thousand dollars may have to be paid by the delay in sailing of the relief ship Harpalyce from this port.

It is estimated that the charges will be about $500 a day, but, as the ship was chartered by the relief committee in London, details concerning the length of time allowed by the owners for loading are not known here.

The Harpalyce was originally expected to sail on Christmas, but now it is thought that she will not leave here before Thursday or Friday.

PRISON LIFE SUITS HIM

Man Who Spent Many Years Behind Bars Goes Back Again

Boston, Jan. 5.—James Kenney, 48, who, the police say, has spent twenty-nine years and eight months of his life in prison, was released from the house of correction Sunday only to be returned to that institution again yesterday.

This time Kenney will stay on Deer island for one year. Kenney walked into a department store and stole a coat valued at $20. Kenney, when being led to the prison van, declared he was perfectly willing to go back to the island for a long time.

Increase In Poultry Rates

Washington, Jan. 5.—Rating of poultry in carloads by western railroads as third instead of fourth-class freight, thus increasing the charges, was held by the interstate commerce commission to be justified.

Mob Lynches Two Negroes

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 5.—Two negroes, Ed and Will Smith, were taken from the Wetumpka jail and lynched by a mob. They had been accused of implication in the murder of a farmer.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Joseph Savage, 45, was struck by a train at Worcester, Mass., and instantly killed.

Cornelius F. Harrington was appointed city marshal of Salem, Mass., by Mayor O'Keefe.

Mrs. Julia M. Warren, police matron of Haverhill, Mass., has retired after fourteen years' service duty.

KILLS TWO PERSONS

Farmhand, Who Was Probably Insane, Then Takes His Own Life

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Charles Z. Wheaton, wife of a farmer, and William Lane, a farmhand, were shot and killed in the Wheaton farmhouse by J. D. London.

Then London went to the home of John Kilburn and, after admitting the double murder, blew out his brains. He is believed to have been insane.

The tragedy took place while Wheaton was taking some of his children to school. The younger children witnessed the crime. Charlotte, aged 4, was trying to lift her dead mother from the floor when the father returned.

Mrs. Wheaton was 38 and the mother of six children. Lane was 45. Not much is known about London. He came here from Maine several years ago.

BOTH DENY GUILT

Two Suspects In Albertson Murder Case Are Arraigned

Malden, Mass., Jan. 5.—Luigi Grassidonia and Felice Morello of Wakefield were arraigned in court here in connection with the murder of the Lawrence jeweler, Maurice Albertson, at Wakefield, two weeks ago.

Grassidonia was charged with murder, Morello being accused as an accessory. Both were held without bail for a hearing Jan. 11. The arrest of Grassidonia was the second time he has been taken into custody since the murder.

The continuance of the case was made by Judge Bruce at the request of the Middlesex county district attorney's office.

WERE BLAMED FOR LOSS OF $310,143

Directors of Looted Cambridge Bank Are Cleared

Boston, Jan. 5.—John L. Bates, receiver of the defunct National City bank of Cambridge, lost his suit against the directors of the bank, according to a finding filed in the United States district court by Master Harris.

Bates sought to hold the directors responsible for the actions of George W. Coleman, the bookkeeper, who embezzled the bank's funds, and is now doing time at Greenfield jail. The case will be carried on exceptions to the federal district court.

The suit was for $310,143.02, the total amount of the defalcations. The directors were Edwin Dresser, Sumner Dresser, David A. Barber, George E. Richardson and George W. Gale.

SMUGGLING OF BIBLES

Charged In Criminal and Civil Suits Against Bookseller

New York, Jan. 5.—Bibles, prayer books and hymn books to the value of $50,000 are alleged to have been fraudulently imported into the United States by Ferdinand Wildermann, president of C. Wildermann & Co., importers and booksellers of this city, in litigation begun in the criminal and civil branches of the federal court.

Wildermann was arraigned before United States Judge Pope on a charge of defrauding the government by means of false invoices and consular certificates dating back to 1910. C. Wildermann & Co. were made defendants in a civil suit for $50,000.

Wildermann entered a tentative plea of not guilty to the criminal charge and furnished $5000 bail.

TRAGEDY AT BIDDEFORD

Poolroom Proprietor Is Sought as Murderer of a Baker

Biddeford, Me., Jan. 5.—Napoleon Henry, a baker, was fatally shot while moving the contents of his shop to a store on Water street occupied by Youssen Hassan as a poolroom. Hassan disappeared, and is sought on a charge of murder.

The Water street store had been leased to Henry, but Hassan, unable to find a new location for his poolroom, continued to use it.

Henry appeared with his goods and shots followed, one of the bullets barel missing Wilfred Nevins, who was standing nearby. Henry, shot through the heart from behind, died on the way to a hospital.

SUFFERING IN MEXICO

Famine, Freezing and Disease Reported In a Hundred Places

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 5.—Starvation, such as disclosed at Monterey, Mex., by Consul General Hanna's appeal to the American Red Cross society, is causing suffering and death in a hundred other places in Mexico.

Harrowing tales of famine, freezing and disease reach the border daily, and applicants for relief overwhelm local charitable organizations which have attempted to afford relief.

Japan's Envoy to Fair

Tokio, Jan. 5.—The Japanese cabinet has designated Admiral Baron Shigeto Dewa as a special envoy to the Panama-Pacific exposition. He is one of Japan's distinguished naval officers.

AT THE THEATRE

A royal, good show delighted large audiences at the Auditorium theatre Monday. It will be repeated today.

The feature picture was, of course, this week's installment of "The Master Key" but "His Father's Son," a two part drama, was a close rival. A thrilling story of love, hate, greed, and jealousy is "The Master Key," an absorbing story skillfully pictured.

The Pathe Weekly was interesting and instructive. The pictures of Canadian winter sports were particularly striking. The comedy, "Cruel, Cruel World" was indeed a comedy and it kept the audience audibly smiling throughout.

RECOVERING FROM FALL.

Lorenzo Caravaglio, proprietor of the Puritan Spring Bottling company, who fell from a 40 foot ladder last week while at work on his ice pond is able to be up and around today.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Carrie H. Durgin late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Grace L. Durgin of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 5-14-19

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TO LET—Large heated, sunny, front room to man and wife or lady. 5-minutes to station and electrics. Apply 140 Glendale road. 1-6t

TO LET—Cosy tenements near shipyard in East Braintree, 4 rooms and bath $15, 5 rooms and toilet $15. For rent to small families of nice people. Apply 336 Granite street, Quincy. 1-tf

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TO LET—New lower flat of five rooms and bath, furnace heat and cemented cellar situated on Taft street. Apply 79 Elm street. 21-tf

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HIS HONOR PASSES BUSY FIRST DAY

Constant Stream of Callers Flows Into Mayor's Office

Mayor Campbell's first day in office was a busy one. His honor arrived at city hall bright and early this morning, even arriving before some of the officials, who report at 8 o'clock, had put in an appearance. Although he arrived early he had not been in the office many minutes before callers began to arrive. Some, of course, called to extend congratulations and others doubtless called to put in a good word for themselves in regard to some appointment or a word in favor of some friend.

Hardly had the first caller made his bow and retired than another took his place. Thus it was all of the morning. Some passed in through the door with expectant faces and some came out with a care worn look as though the particular project which they had broached to the mayor was not entirely certain.

He said he was much pleased with the way the inaugural went off Monday and that he was also pleased to see the spirit of unanimity that prevailed at the organization of the council. He further said that he should use his best efforts to work in harmony with the city council, which he believed had the best interests of the city at heart and that he saw no reason why he and the city council would not get along well together.

The mayor had nothing to give out in the way of appointments and gave no intimation as to whom he should select for the various offices which he will have to fill. During the campaign Mayor Campbell frequently stated that no official who was efficient need have any fears.

As the terms of the present officials expire on the first of February it is probable that he will follow the custom of mayors of other years and forward a list of his appointments to the city council at the meeting of Jan. 18. The Mayor is not obliged to notify the council of his appointments but it is always done as a matter of courtesy.

BUFFALOES HOLD INSTALLATION

Members Enjoy Banquet and Entertainment

Supreme President William Hart of the Benevolent Order of Buffaloes installed the officers of Quincy band, Companions of the Prairie, in Franklin hall, Monday night, at the regular meeting. Ten applications for membership were received.

The musical program included solos by George Davy, president of Herd No. 1, B. O. B., of Quincy, and Philip Savard, piano solos by Miss Clara Olsen and Miss Mildred Byron. A banquet was served. Speeches were made by the installing officer and Dr. John H. Ash. Those installed were:

Past President—Mrs. Katherine Cotter.

President—Mrs. Martha Davy.

Vice President—Miss Lucy Greenwood.

Recording Secretary—Miss Mildred Byron.

Treasurer—Miss Frances Kingdon.

Financial Secretary—Mrs. Margaret Stronach.

Chaplain—Mrs. Margaret Webster.

Marshal—Miss Helen McKenzie.

Inner Guard—Miss Eliza J. McKenzie.

Outer Guard—Mrs. Margaret Mundie.

Pianist—Miss Clara Olson.

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CLARK IS NEW ARCANUM HEAD

Plan for Banner Installation on Jan. 18

John Adams council, Royal Arcanum elected John A. Clarke, a prominent granite dealer of South Quincy, its regent Monday evening and completed arrangements for a banner installation on Jan. 18 in Clan MacGregor hall. The officers chosen were:

Regent—John A. Clarke.
Vice Regent—William T. Cummings.
Past Regent—James L. Birnie.
Orator—James Elcock.
Secretary—George W. Imlay.
Collecter—Angus Kerr.
Treasurer—Alexander M. Smart.
Chaplain—Robert McLean.
Guide—Herbert Lund.
Warden—Hugh McLean.
Trustees—Robert Dinnie, John Cappicoli.
Representative to grand council, —James L. Birnie.
Alternate representative — Robert McLean.

INSTALL NEW CHIEF RANGER

Mrs. Catherine Martin, who was chosen chief ranger of St. Ambrose court, M. C. O. F., to succeed Mrs. John O'Brien who resigned, was installed, with the other officers, in St. Joseph's hall, Monday evening.

The installation was under the direction of Miss Theresa M. Hayes, deputy high chief ranger, of Boston. She was accompanied by a suite. Past High Chief Ranger Cornelius M. Duggan was present and rendered several solos. Supper was served at the close of the exercises.

The officers installed were:

Chief Ranger—Mrs. Catherine Martin.

Vice Chief Ranger—Mrs. Mary O'Dowd.

Recording Secretary—Miss Elizabeth Farrell.

Financial Secretary—Miss Mary Pickering.

Treasurer—Mrs. Annie G. Watson.

Senior Conductress—Mrs. Ellen O'Connell.

Junior Conductress—Mrs. Bridget Saville.

Inside Sentinel—Mrs. Mary McDonnell.

Outside Sentinel—Mrs. Kelliher.

Trustees—Mrs. Ernest Bizzozero. Mrs. Eugene Shyne, Mrs Michael Reardon.

Physician—Dr. John H. Ash.

MISS MACFARLANE ENTERTAINS.

Saturday evening, Miss Maude Macfarlane entertained at her home on Merrymount road in honor of Miss Edna Lewis Smith whose engagement to George Gay of Norwood was recently announced. There was dancing during the evening followed by a dainty supper served on an appropriately decorated table. A number of Quincy friends were present who had the pleasure of meeting Miss Smith and Mr. Gay and congratulating them on their engagement.

Miss Ruth E. Jones of Weymouth, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones of Newcomb square, has returned home.

DEATHS

CHICK—Jan. 5, Annie M., widow of Orrin D., Chick, in her 60th year.

RYAN—In Quincy City Hospital, Jan. 5, Mary E., widow of the late John H. Ryan.

Funeral from her late residence, 113 Common street, Thursday, Jan. 7 at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

KIVIAT HOPES TO GET MILE RECORD

He Bested Meredith and Baker Recently.

LOWERS WORLD'S FIGURES.

Speedy New Yorker Covered 1,000 Yards on Track Measured According to New System at a Pace That Puts Him In a Class by Himself—Better Than Tom Halpin.

A. R. Kiviat, the speedy one mile national champion of the Irish-American Athletic club, New York, is going after the mile record this winter, and he hopes to establish a new figure for the distance. He now holds the indoor record for 1,000 yards, having won it in a sensational manner recently in Madison Square Garden, New York.

The event was the McAleenan trophy race, and Kiviat was expected to trail along at a respectful distance behind Ted Meredith of the Meadow Brook club, Philadelphia, and Homer Baker of the New York Athletic club.



Photo by American Press Association.

A. R. KIVIAT.

Kiviat paid no attention to the expectations, but came in four inches ahead of Meredith, with Baker third.

The track was laid out to conform to the new International Athletic federation rules—that is, it was measured twelve inches from the border instead of eighteen as heretofore.

Although he was thus forced to journey about sixteen feet farther than on a track measured under the old American system, the Irish-American track captain ran the 1,000 in 2 minutes 13 1-5 seconds, falling only a fifth of a second behind Tom Halpin's world's record figures.

This mark will go on the record books as the world's best mark, for it is the first time the event has been run on a federation measured track. The performance, too, was at least three-fifths of a second better than Halpin's.

Homer Baker might have had a better chance of winning had he exercised more judgment. Instead of keeping up with the pacemakers in the early circuits he seemed content to run last. He did not start moving up until the lap next to the final, and then most of his stamina was used in his effort to draw close to Kiviat, who led from start to finish.

At the beginning of the gun lap Baker was running three yards behind Kiviat, with Meredith ten yards back. The Philadelphia athlete did not start his spurt until 100 yards from the finish. Then he fairly ate up the intervening distance. He caught and passed Baker at the start of the stretch, then went after Kiviat. For a time it seemed he would pass the New Yorker at the tape, but Kiviat held out just long enough to earn the judges' award.

Australian Boy Billiardist.

Melbourne, Australia, has a billiard prodigy sixteen years old. He is Walter Lindrum, brother of Fred Lindrum, the Australian champion, who defeated Reece in two of three matches during the latter's recent visit to Australia. Walter Lindrum has been playing since he was ten years old. He is now said to be a worthy opponent of his brother.

Batting Fell Down.

That the batting of the National league for last season was far below the average of the last ten years is shown by the fact that only eleven players in the league succeeded in reaching the coveted .300 mark and three of these reached even figures.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The Atlantic Improvement society meets this evening.

Henry P. Kittredge left Monday for the south where he will spend the winter months.

Souvenir postal cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Tupper, who are now in Los Angeles, Cal.

The special committee of the city council to whom the order authorizing the city treasurer to borrow money on temporary notes in anticipation of taxes will meet Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Spooner of Revere road leave today for New York where they will remain for a week or more. They plan to attend the automobile show.

The regular meeting of the Quincy Young Women's club, scheduled for this evening, will not be held. A baby party will be held instead in high school hall.

Miss Edna Thomas of Norfolk Downs entertained the Onliate club at her home Monday afternoon.

CHIEF BURRELL TO GO SOUTH

At a meeting of the Quincy Police Relief association held Monday evening it was voted to send Chief Burrell down south for a few weeks to recuperate. His physician has ordered him to seek a warmer climate

MULLEN WINS PRESIDENCY.

Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers Elect.

Quincy local, Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' Union, elected in the Johnson building Monday night. There were contests for several of the officers. Those elected:

President—James Mullen.
Vice President—Henry Forsyth.
Secretary—Frank J. Cleary.
Treasurer—Bernard Burke.
Recording Secretary—Harry Douglas.
Sergeant-at-arms— Patrick Mackinaw.
Directors—Bernard Burke, H. Huston and James Mullen.

HOLDS REGULAR MEETING.

The Quincy Day Nursery met at the Quincy Women's Clubhouse Monday afternoon and announced the following donators during December: Mrs. E. M. Freeman, Mrs. Sampson, Mrs. Herbert Lawton, Miss Julia Underwood. Mrs. Herbert Barker, Mrs. Frank Crane. Mrs. Henry M. Faxon.

DISTRICT COURT.

Roger Connolly was sentenced to one month in the house of correction for drunkenness at Quincy Tuesday.



NOVEL EVENING GOWN.

Above is shown a novel evening gown, so simply constructed of one of the beautiful figured silver gauzes that even a novice in the dressmaking art could make it.

LIGHT PINFALL IN K. OF C. MATCH

The pinfall was light in the opening matches of the Quincy council, Knights of Columbus bowling league at the Wardwell alleys Monday night. None of the men tripled and the only man to get a century single was Powers. The teams of Paul Avery and James Cantfill took four points, Rus Sullivan's took three points, Ray Coyles one and Frank Avery and Thomas Fallon's failed to score.

CAPT. AVERY 4—CAPT. FALLON 0.

CAPT. AVERY.				
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Walsh	75	93	85	253
Brown	83	83	83	249
Murphy	83	79	87	249
Avery	90	81	92	263
	406	411	422	1239
CAPT. FALLON.				
F. Driscoll	71	92	87	250
Ford	78	80	81	239
Cain	83	70	84	237
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Fallon	81	75	79	235
	388	392	416	1196

CAPT CANTFILL 4—CAPT AVERY 0

CAPT CANTFILL.				
C. Brown	75	88	84	247
Reveney	76	89	80	245
MacDonnell	80	92	79	251
Heaney	72	70	96	238
Cantfill	75	87	84	246
	378	426	423	1227
CAPT. F. AVERY.				
White	55	55	88	198
Gallagher	70	69	74	213
Fallon	80	94	68	242
Bliss	90	82	76	248
Avery	74	91	68	233
	369	391	374	1134

CAPT. SULLIVAN 3—CAPT COYLE 1

CAPT. SULLIVAN.				
LaCroix	85	92	86	263
Myatt	57	83	75	215
Powers	100	69	92	261
Driscoll	82	83	90	255
R. Sullivan	87	81	91	259
	411	410	434	1253
CAPT. COYLE.				
Thomson	69	63	83	215
P. Sullivan	86	82	94	262
Tierney	81	94	76	251
Magee	86	97	86	269
Coyle	64	93	94	251
	386	429	433	1248

KEEP TO RIGHT SIGNS.

Four "Keep to the right" signs were placed in and about City square Monday in places where the travel is the heaviest and if heeded will do much to prevent accidents. The signs have been placed as follows: one near the fountain in City square, one at the junction of Washington and Coddington streets, one at the junction of Hancock and Depot street and the fourth on Hancock street at the head of Granite street.

William Hartley, formerly of the Imperial Bell Ringers Concert Co., was soloist Sunday evening at the First United Presbyterian church.

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Lake Thompson, Choice Maine	12 1/2c	"	1.25 doz
Westminster, good pack	10c	"	1.00 doz
PEAS			
Auto Sugar	15c	"	1.65 doz
Alex. Telephone	12 1/2c	"	1.40 doz
Summer Beauties	10c	"	1.10 doz
TOMATOES			
R. & R. very finest pack	15c	"	1.55 doz
Honest Pack from Braintree	12 1/2c	"	1.35 doz
Moon Brand a big value	10c	"	1.10 doz
BEANS			
Cut Green	12c	"	1.25 doz
Limas	15c	"	1.50 doz
Succatosh	15c	"	1.50 doz
Red Kidney	10c	"	1.10 doz
BEETS			
Matchless tiny blood red	15c	"	1.65 doz
Hatchet, Baby size, large can	18c	"	1.95 doz
SQUASH			
Choice Marrow	12 1/2c	"	1.40 doz
SPINACH			
Hatchet, clean and fine quality	13c	"	1.60 doz
SAUR KRAUT			
Veri-best, large can and good	10c	"	1.10 doz
ASPARAGUS			
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MUST SEND SCHOOL BUDGET TO MAYOR

City Solicitor Gives Opinion at Annual Meeting of School Committee

John D. Mackay Again Chairman and A. L. Barbour Again Superintendent

According to the ruling of City Solicitor Pinkham the school committee is required to send to the mayor on request its estimates of amounts needed to run the department for the current fiscal year, the same as other departments, but it may also if it sees fit send its budget to the city council.

The school committee asked the city solicitor for his opinion if that department came within the scope of Sec. 20, of chapter 719 of 1913. The school committee has claimed that it did not come within the scope of the law and that it could send its budget direct to the city council without notifying the mayor.

The chief trouble arose a year ago when, Mayor Miller, who had also sent a copy of the estimates, chopped off the sum of $2,000 from the amount estimated by the committee.

By the ruling which the city solicitor has made, which is given in full, the school committee when so requested by the mayor shall send its budget to him, who shall forthwith transmit it to the city council. The main question at issue, however, whether the mayor has authority to revise the figures before transmitting them to the city council, is not answered. In the opinion of the school committee, the mayor has no power to revise the figures but must forward them, as submitted, to the council. The opinion was received by the school committee Tuesday evening and was as follows:

Mr. John D. Mackay and members of the School Committee:

Gentlemen:—By a communication addressed to me by your committee under date of Dec. 30, 1914 I am requested to give you my opinion whether the School Committee is by virtue of Sec. 20, Chapter 719 of the acts of 1913, required to send its estimates to the mayor, or whether it is permitted, as heretofore, to send its transmitted to the city council.

Said Section 20, provides, that "It shall be the duty of the city officials, when so requested by the mayor, to submit to him forthwith in such detail as he may require, estimates for the next fiscal year of the expenses of their department, or offices under their charge, which estimate shall be transmotted to the city council.

I am of the opinion that the school committee is included in the designation "City officials" within the meaning of said section and therefore the school committee is required to send its estimates to the mayor when so requested by him.

Notwithstanding the requirement of said section, I am of the opinion that the school committee is permitted to send its budget to the City Council also as heretofore, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 235 of the acts of 1891.

Respectfully submitted,
Walter S. Pinkham,
City Solicitor.

The school committee took no action on the communication although it was discussed informally.

It was the annual meeting of the school committee and the chief business was that of organization. John D. Mackay who has been the efficient chairman of the board for several years declined a reelection and Dr. Edward H. Bushnell was elected, unanimously.

Dr. Bushnell however immediately declined to accept the honor. Mr. Mackay was then prevailed upon again to accept the office and was unanimously elected.

Albert L. Barbour was reelected as superintendent and as secretary of the board. The new law, which provides after a superintendent has served for three consecutive years, he shall be elected on tenure, was complied with and Supt. Barbour was so elected.

The only other business was the adoption of the school calendar as follows:

First term Jan. 4 Feb. 26.
Second term, March 8, to April 30.
Third term for elementary schools, May 10, to June 23.
Grammar graduation, June 23.
Third term for High school, May 10, to June 30.
High school graduation, June 30.
Fourth term Sept. 7, to Dec. 23.
New Year Jan. 3, 1916.
Holidays—Feb. 22, April 10, April 19, May 30, June 17, Oct. 12 and the remainder of the week from Wednesday noon next preceding Thanksgiving and Good Friday.

POWER SQUADRON ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Power squadron of the Quincy Yacht club was held Tuesday evening in the Mechanics building, Boston, and the following officers elected:

Commander—Charles W. Laing.
Lieut. Commander—W. S. Hibbard.
Secretary—E. W. Esterbrook.
Treasurer—George S. Morse.

The past year has been a very successful one and the local squadron is looking forward to greater success the coming year.



MUSIC HALL, 8—12 P. M., FRIDAY, JANUARY 15th

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YACHT CLUB HAS ANNUAL MEETING

Elects Joseph Carruthers Commodore

The annual meeting of the Town River yacht club was held Tuesday evening at the clubhouse, foot of Edison street, and the following officers elected:—

Commodore, Joseph Carruthers.
Vice Commodore, Allan MacGeachie
Secretary, W. C. Luther.
Treasurer, George H. Jaques.
Executive Committee, W. C. Caldwell for three years, C. W. Newcomb for two years and M. R. Holmes for one year.

COMMENDS MEN FOR HEROIC DEED

Mayor Writes Rescuers of Drowning Boy

This morning Mayor Campbell forwarded the following letter to Ernest, Stuart and Arthur D. Foster and to Rev. Stephen C. Lang commending them for their heroic work in rescuing a boy from drowning in the Town river, a few days ago:

Gentlemen:—I have learned with much interest of your heroic work recently in the rescuing of a boy from drowning in the Town River.

Perilous, self-sacrificing work of this character should have the highest commendation of the citizens, and I therefore ask you to accept the well wishes and esteem of not only the writer, but the citizens of Quincy.

Most respectfully yours,
Chester I. Campbell, Mayor.

JOHN GILBERT.

John Gilbert, a 75 year old Wollaston resident, died suddenly at dinner at his home at 124 Elm avenue, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Gilbert took his accustomed seat at the table at 5.30 o'clock in his usual way and an instant later fell forward in a state of utter collapse. Dr. Johnson was summoned and he said death was undoubtedly due to heart disease.

The deceased leaves his wife and one daughter. His body will be taken to Lynn Thursday for burial.

WOLLASTON COUPLE MARRIED.

Harry M. Brown Weds Mrs. E. L. M. Bates at Reading.

Wollaston residents will be interested to learn of the marriage of Harry Moulton Brown of 34 Berlin street and Elizabeth Lois Metherall Bates, both of Wollaston, which took place at Reading, Mass., on Dec. 31. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph E. Waterhouse and became known with the marriage return filed at the office of City Clerk Crane this morning.

DISTRICT COURT.

Bart Yergey was arraigned for assault on Frank Slavin at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 13.

Marcus L. Tirrell was arraigned for bastardy at Weymouth. Case continued until Feb. 6.

Sophia M. Orcutt and Atwood L. Ford of Weymouth were arraigned for violation of the pure food law by not having cold storage for their butter and eggs. They were each fined $25. costs.

Leo J. Walsh was fined $15 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Edward "Bull Moose" Brown leaves Friday for Syracuse University, where he entered as a student.

The Quincy Whist Club

Will run Whist Parties every Wednesday evening, commencing, Jan. 6. Union Hall, Alpha Hall block. Tickets 25 cents. Suitable souvenirs given

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BRENNAN TO HEAD J. A. BOYD CAMP

Spanish War Veterans Install In G. A. R. Hall

William Brennan, in charge of the Naval magazine at Hingham, was installed commander of John A. Boyd camp, United Spanish War Veterans in Grand Army hall Tuesday evening. Mr. Brennan is a former member of the United States and Chilean navies. He served on the cruiser New York, the flagship of Admiral Sampson, during the Spanish American war and in his day was champion swordsman of the navy. He is now quarterman at Hingham.

The installation was conducted by Past Commander P. J. Mullane assisted by Edward Flanagan, both of Charlestown. The officers installed:

Commander—William L. Brennan.
Senior Vice Commander—Harry Bailey.
Junior Vice Commander—Michael Gunderson.
Adjutant—Joseph McKenna.
Quartermaster—Frank Gammon.
Officer of the Day—John R. McGrath.
Chaplain—Thomas R. Gould.
Trustee, Three years—John S. Blagdon.

UNIFORM IS TOO SMALL

Arthur Hultman Applicant For Militia Squad

Lieut. Downes Tuesday night at Union hall met 43 applicants for membership in the Machine gun company to be formed here.

Among the applicants were Arthur Hultman, assistant court officer, who stands 6 ft. 7 in. and cannot be fitted with any of the uniforms included in the state issue.

HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

Election of Officers Precedes Social Hour.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Hall Place M. E. church was held Tuesday evening with Mrs. Charles Joss. The report of the officers for the year just closing showed the year to have been a most successful one.

The election of officers resulted as follows

President—Mrs. F. L. Badger.
Vice President—Mrs. Perry Neldon.
Secretary—Mrs. D. H. McNeil.
Treasurer—Mrs. Charles Wentzel.
Directors—Mrs. George Hawes.
Mrs. Charles S. Jose, Mrs. Alexander Stewart, Mrs. Robert Newcomb, Mrs. James McCormick, Mrs. William McCormick.

A social hour followed the business session during which the hostess served light refreshments.

SALE AGAIN POSTPONED.

Belief Is City of Boston Will Pay Taxes.

The tax collector's sale of the property of the City of Boston at Squantum, which was to have been held Tuesday, was again postponed until next Monday. It is probable that the sale will never be held as it is expected that the City of Boston will come to time and pay up.

BANK ELECTS DIRECTORS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mt. Wollaston National bank was held Tuesday afternoon and the following directors elected.

Henry M. Faxon, Frank S. Patch, C. Theodore Hardwick, Herbert F. Doble, Charles A. Howland, Arthur H. Alden, George H. Field, H. Everett Crane, Horace F. Spear.

The directors will meet for organization at a later date

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

HOME RULE FOR CITIES

Legislative Committee Makes Important Report

State House, Boston, January 5. City officials and others interested in city affairs, weary and footsore on account of countless journeys to the State House to attempt to obtain legislation relating to strictly local matters, are in prospect of relief.

The recess committee on city laws and charters, after a careful study of the problems presented to it, filed today with the clerk of the house a report containing some practical, common-sense suggestions for the improvement of Massachusetts' treatment of her cities.

Four model charters are outlined, and it is suggested that any city that so desires may accept any one of the four, without further reference to the legislature. The spectacle of a dignified city official coming to the legislature for permission to sell a little water to a neighboring town will soon be a relic of past ages.

The plan that meets with most general approbation is that providing for a mayor and city council of nine, elected at large for terms of two years.

"Home rule" for cities in all matters except those effecting financial policies is the slogan of the committee.

The recommendations of the committee are summarized as follows:

"1. Cities desiring to change their form of government, so far as it relates to the chief executive and the legislative branch, may do so, without recourse to the legislature, by accepting any one of the four plans submitted, as follows:—

"Plan A—A mayor and city council the latter consisting of nine members to be elected at large for terms of two years in each case. The mayor is given absolute power in appointments removals and veto.

"Plan B—A mayor and city council, the latter to be composed of not more than fifteen members, one to be elected from each ward of the city and the remaining members to be elected at large. The mayor is given the power of appointment, removal and veto subject to the approval of the city council.

"Plan C—The so-called commission form of government with five commissioners, one of whom shall be mayor, to be elected at large for terms of two years each.

"Plan D—The so-called "city manager" plan of government consisting of a mayor and four councilors, the city manager to be elected by the council.

"2 Cities which accept any one of the forms above described shall not make further change for a period of at least four years.

"3. The school committee in every city shall consist of six members, elected at large for three-year terms, with the mayor as chairman of the committee, ex-officio.

"4. Cities may be ordinance rearrange, consolidate, abolish or establish subsidiary departments, prescribe the duties and powers thereof and fix compensation and tenure of office of all officials not specifically provided for in legislation submitted herewith.

"5. Primary elections in cities are abolished.

"6. Nominations of all candidates shall be by petition with nothing but the name and address of candidates, either on the nomination paper or the ballot used at the city election.

"7. Voters may adopt ordinances through initiative and referendum.

"8. Publicity in making of contracts and purchase of supplies.

"9. City officials prohibited from participating in contracts with cities.

"10. Cities may adopt system of preferential voting in city elections.

"11. In the taking of land for municipal purposes, if the price proposed is twenty-five percent in excess of the valuation, land must be taken by eminent domain."

It is suggested that the mayor of every city should be chairman, ex-officio, of the school committee, since the mayor is held accountable to the

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LEVELLED PISTOL HALTS OFFICER

Hultman Fails to Capture Man Trying to Break Into His House

Police Find no Trace of Bold Marauder After He Left City Square

The levelling of a revolver at Arthur Hultman, assistant court officer, brought to a sudden stop his pursuit of the man discovered in an attempt to break into his home at 1372 Hancock street just before midnight, and resulted in the escape of the culprit

Hultman was in his darkened room on the street floor when he saw the man peering in the window. Rushing to the door he said "Did you want to see me?" The man made no answer and started to run. Hultman gave chase and shouted "Stop, or I'll shoot." The man suddenly turned and aimed the revolver at him. Hultman was unarmed and came to a stop for a second. The man started on again. Hultman followed at a distance, but lost sight of his quarry in City Square.

Patrolmen Olson and Doran, and Special Officer Fallon were called and all took up the search but were unsuccessful.

Hultman left City Square about 11.30 and on his way home noticed a stranger standing in the shadows of the home of Dr. D. B. Reardon. On his arrival he found his mother in an excited condition because two men who got out of an automobile about nine o'clock had been hanging around the house.

After an examination of the premises Hultman went to his room and turned out the light. He was preparing to retire when he discovered the man at the window.

The police are of the opinion that the spotting of the man prevented a burglary. Mrs. Hultman and the domestic at the home were much disturbed when the police arrived.

Working on a meagre description the police took up the hunt but were unable to find any trace of the man. It is thought he boarded a Neponset car which left City Square at that time.

PROSPERITY FOR CITY OF QUINCY

Business Men View Future Optimistically

Indications are plenty that business is picking up throughout the country. It is true in Quincy. Business men of the city express their belief in better times ahead.

Manager Kennedy of Joyce Bros. says that the business outlook for 1915 never looked brighter. The Christmas trade was remarkable considering the number of people out of work during the fall, he said. "Plenty of employment, plenty of business and plenty of prosperity for 1915 is assured," he declared.

George W. Jones says that although it is too early to make a positive statement as to the business outlook he feels reasonably sure the prospect never looked better.

Orent, Payson Co. says: "The business outlook is good for everybody, but we must try to get after it more."

The manager of Heffernan's Shoe store remarks that he doesn't see why they can't keep going ahead, as their business is steadily increasing. It is their opinion, too, that the prospects for bigger business were never better.

Druggist Murphy states that the outlook for 1915 is exceedingly good, and although the prices of a few drugs and imported perfumes have increased, he feels safe in predicting there will be a decrease.

Mr. Zoller of the Granite Shoe store spoke about 1915 as a good year for everybody, and said his business already had started to boom.

C. F. Pettengill said: "I think all through the country business will be much better, although quiet now. A good outlook for 1915 is assured."

Coughlin & Donovan say they feel safe in predicting that business this year will be bigger than ever, that with the opening of the Panama Canal a better merchant marine, and the trade this country secures through the European war, business should be good the country over.

OFFICER RECOVERS BULL DOG

Patrolman Dunn of Station 11, Dorchester, reached City Square at midnight and learned that his missing valuable French Bull dog had been found in city square by patrolman Olson and that the man who had it in his possession had been sent to police headquarters on a charge of drunkenness. The man when booked said he was Leo J. Walsh of Watson terrace, Quincy.

Walsh reached City Square about 11.30 and according to the officer had the dog in his possession. Sergt. Bishop phoned the name and address on the dog's collar to the Dorchester police but before they completed their investigation patrolman Dunn had recovered the dog. He said he would prefer a charge of larceny against Walsh.

Dunn came to Quincy after hearing in Neponset a man had carried a dog across the bridge. He said he was taking care of the dog for a prominent fancier and that the animal disappeared from his home on Percival street, Dorchester, Tuesday. He said the dog was valued at $200.

ROGER WOLCOTT COURT INSTALL

Cornelius Driscoll, D. G. C. R., installed the new officers of Court Roger Wolcott 188, Foresters of America, at Farnums hall, Tuesday evening. Andrew Perrie acted as herald. After the installation refreshments were served. This lodge has made a large increase in membership the past two months. The officers installed were:

William Martell, C. R., Thomas Trainor, V. C. R., William Hebert, F. S., Daniel Ford, Treas., Joseph Badot R. S., Walter Trask, S. W., Joseph Saundry, J. W., Izaac Quiss, S. B., Michael Mahoney, J. B., John Smith, Lecturer, Jeff De Coste, Trustee for 3 years.

WELL KNOWN IN QUINCY.

"James Vincent," Gate Tender here, Dies In Holyoke.

James Vincent Rognosky, formerly of this city, died at Holyoke on Dec. 28. The deceased was for nearly 20 years night gate tender at the Quincy Adams crossing. He was familiarly called "James Vincent" by many of the South Quincy residents. He left here about eight years ago to become grounds tender of a large manufactury at Holyoke.

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SHAKESPEARE AND STOCK.

Of the great plays of Shakespeare the two least known to the modern theatregoer are "Antony and Cleopatra" and "The Winter's Tale." Although by some critics these two are ranked the very greatest productions of the master dramatist, surpassing even "King Lear" and "Hamlet," yet the reasons for their comparative neglect are not difficult to discover.

Mr. Mantel, one of the greatest of today's interpreters of Shakespeare's characters, does not include them in the repertoire which he is now presenting at a Boston theatre. "Antony and Cleopatra" because of its multiple short scenes is not well adapted to the modern stage. "The Winter's Tale" could easily be produced, and indeed was produced by the New Theatre Co., of New York, during its tour in Boston some years ago, in a manner which will make it a red letter day in the memories of those who were so fortunate as to have seen it. But the New Theatre Co., was a stock company, not a star and his supporting company. There was no one star in the New Theatre Co., and there is no one conspicuously preeminent character in "The Winter's Tale."

Mr. Mantel or any other distinguished interpreter of Shakespeare would be at a loss to know what part to take in this drama. Shakespeare's works are today produced mostly by companies which derive their principal distinction from the ability of some one actor. They are altogether too seldom produced by well balanced companies of actors of nearly equal ability.

All of which suggests the observation that there is a real need today for the good stock company which has the courage to produce some of the really great dramatic masterpieces of the world.

THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENTS.

Who will constitute the mayor's appointments?

The answer to that question will be awaited with the greatest interest, and rightly so, for upon the character and ability of the men whom Mayor Campbell selects to make up his official family the welfare of the city will depend in large part during the coming year.

There are competent men at city hall today and they should retain their positions. Undoubtedly they will retain them because his honor, during the campaign, stated emphatically that no honest and competent official need fear for his office.

QUINCY IS FORTUNATE.

It is a cause for gratification that Joseph L. Whiton is again to occupy the presidency of the city council. He is a man of good sense, proved on many occasions, a man with the best interests of the city at heart. He can be depended upon to co-operate to the fullest extent with his honor and yet remember that first of all he is the head of the deliberative branch of the city government. Quincy has two efficient influences for good government the coming year, Mayor Campbell and ex-Mayor Whiton.

The N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R., is justified in economizing in every reasonable manner and we should all regret to see the road follow any other course. Is it necessary, however, for the door at the Quincy station to lack the rather essential knob which has been missing for nearly a week? This indicates negligence on the part of someone.

When Frank E. Burrell, chief of the police department, goes South to recover his shattered health he will carry with him the hope of the people of Quincy that he may soon return with his old time health and strength, ready to take up again the duties of the important office which he holds.

Have you read the Mayor's inaugural address? If you have not you have failed in your duty as a citizen of Quincy, if you have it will repay a rereading. Short, to the point, imbued with sound sense, it is a notable document.

It is to be noted with gratification that John D. Mackay will head the school committee for another year. Although compelled to make some personal sacrifice, in order to fill the office of chairman Mr. Mackay has agreed to do so.

TAKE ENTIRE ARMY CORPS

Russians Deliver Severe Blow to Turkish Forces

TWO COLUMNS ON THE RUN

Almost Surrounded by Czar's Troops, Who Hold Main Roads—Austrians Trapped In Snow-Filled Pass, While Their Pursuers Gain Possession of Important Territory—Weather Aids Russians In North Poland, Where German Offensive Is Making but Slow Progress—Operations of French In Upper Alsace of Much Interest

London, Jan. 6.—Two of the three Turkish columns which last week invaded the Russian Caucasus have met with disaster, and those not killed or captured are in disorderly retreat, pursued by the Russians.

The column which took Ardahan has been driven out of that town, according to the Petrograd official dispatches, and is almost completely surrounded by the Russians, who hold the main roads.

Another column, which crossed the frontier near Sari Kamysh, on the road to Kars, has suffered an even worse defeat, one of the two army corps which composed it being captured in its entirety.

The Russians also report another victory over the Austrians in the Uzsok pass of the Carpathians. Emperor Francis Joseph's army in this region is declared to be in full retreat in a mountain pass deep in snow, while a violent snowstorm rages and the Russian cavalry is attacking on the flank and rear.

By forcing this pass, the Russians gain control of some of the most valuable oil fields in the Austrian empire, and thus shut off another of the sources of fuel supplies of which the Austro-German armies are said to be so much in need.

This, however, has only been part of the Russian task. While forcing back the Turks and Austrians, the Russian troops are holding the line of the Mazurian lakes in East Prussia; are fighting strenuously to withstand the German offensive in North Poland; are advancing toward Cracow, and have crossed Bukowina, which is now virtually in their possesion.

In North Poland, where Russia is is confronted with the most serious task, the weather is proving a useful ally. The Germans, according to their own accounts, are making only slow progress with their offensive operations, while the Russians, an unofficial dispatch received from Berlin by way of Copenhagen says, are advancing toward Cracow and Southern Silesia.

Military men look for bigger events between the lower Vistula and the East Prussian frontier. The Russians are in possession of the greater part of the intervening territory and, unless engaged, would, when the river freezes, fall on the German flank to the south of the river.

It is, therefore, believed that the Germans are planning a movement from Thorn and East Prussia, which would prevent its possibility, and as the fighting would take place in the open it would afford a contrast to the trench warfare which prevails along the rest of the front.

Except at the two extreme wings on the Belgian coast and in Upper Alsace, where the allies have gained some ground, the fighting on the western front has been done by sappers, miners and artillery.

From the coast to the Swiss border the troops have been either engaged in shelling the opposite trenches or trying to sap and mine them; only at isolated points has the infantry been given its opportunity. A few hundred yards have been gained by the allies among the dunes of Flanders, despite the unfavorable weather.

Great interest attaches to the operations of the French in upper Alsace. The capture of Steinbach was accomplished after almost superhuman efforts, as the Germans had strongly entrenched themselves.

Now the French are attempting to force their way through to Cernay (Sennheim) the possesion of which would open the door to Mulhausen, which the French occupied for a short time at the beginning of the war.

One of the lessons which the war has taught Russia is that the port of Archangel, the only large seaport on the north coast of the Russian empire, and the most northerly point in the railway system of Europe, can be kept open, if not all winter, at least for the greater part of it, with the aid of ice breakers.

Archangel is generally frozen over for months, but it has been kept open thus far, and war supplies are being regularly shipped to Russia, while in return Russia sends out provisions.

ITALY IS PREPARING

Indications of Early Entrance Into European War Arena

The death on a French battlefield of Lieutenant Bruno Garibaldi has caused a revival of public sentiment throughout Italy in favor of war, this feeling being augmented by the belief that the Italian military preparations have now been perfected.

About 1,000,000 men will be under arms within the present month and another 1,000,000 men are being formed into a reserve, ready to be called out at a moment's notice.

All the Italian regiments of artillery have been provided with new cannon, which are considered by Italian military experts to be superior to the guns of Austria-Hungary and Germany. Special secret committees are being formed for the enlistment of volunteers.

UNDER MILITARY GUARD

Primate of Belgium Reported to Be Prisoner In Palace

A dispatch from Rosendaal says Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium and archbishop of Malines, has been arrested by the German authorities and held a prisoner in his own archiepiscopal palace at Malines under a military guard.

The report, which has not been confirmed, says the cardinal's arrest was the result of a pastoral letter issued by him and read in the churches throughout Belgium Sunday. In this letter the cardinal is said to have referred to the occupation of Belgium as follows:

"This power has no legal authority, and consequently you owe it in your heart neither allegiance nor obedience. The only legal authority in Belgium is that appertaining to our king, his government and the representatives of the nation."

SCISSORS AND PASTE

SENSIBLE YOUNG WOMAN.

The young Malden woman who conceived the idea of arming herself with a bag of red pepper against the assaults of thugs that are becoming so common was more than sensible. Alighting from a car in the evening she was assailed by two men, who seized her handbag wrenching it from her hold. Reaching for her red pepper, she threw it in their faces, when they dropped the bag with cries of pain and ran away. Reading of the many holdups that are occurring with so much frequency she had decided on a novel defense against the thieves which proved every effectual. It was better than a pistol, and the young woman who had prepared herself so wisely for an emergency was ready when it was presented. Her plan was so simple, so easily worked and so effective, it is not improbable that her example will find many imitators. It is a pity that no one was near to secure the thieves before they had recovered from the effects of the red pepper.—Lynn Item.

IRRESPONSIBLE MILITIA.

Walter Smith, the American who was killed by Canadian militia men at Fort Elie, seems to have been deliberately murdered after he had thrown up his hands, offered to row his boat ashore and had done everything possible to show that he was neither dangerous or desirous of escaping arrest. This incident only goes to show what is sure to happen when ill trained men are given a little authority and have fire arms put in their hands.—Taunton Herald News.

ARE JAILS USELESS?

If there are any official investigations due to be made in the state of Maine, one of them might well be to find the reason why prisoners show such facility and dexterity in leaving the jails before their time has expired. The flight of a trio of prisoners from the Androscoggin county jail at Lewiston last week, after their cell doors had become unlocked, is a notable illustration of a situation which cannot be at all satisfactory to the people who are most directly concerned. If prisons and their guards are not for the purpose of retaining those who are convicted of crime, or those who may be charged with crime pending trial, then the jail system might as well be abolished as a useless expense to the state.—Barre Times.

THAW NOT INSANE.

Harry K. Thaw will doubtless go back to New York and probably to the insane asylum. He has made a long and tireless fight for the privilege of remaining in New Hampshire. He has conducted himself in a manner to make many friends in every place where he has been confined. He has shown no evidence of being insane, at any time. We do not believe he ever was insane. He may have had a "brain storm" at the time he shot White, but about everyone now believes he was sane before and has been sane since.—Milford, N. H., Cabinet.

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WILL CERTIFY ALL CARGOES

America Takes the Initiative In Dispute With Britain

NOTICE IS GIVEN EXPORTERS

Not to Be Taken as Admission That There Was Ground For Annoying Interference With Our Commerce—Treasury Department to Guarantee That Manifests Are Correct

Washington, Jan. 6.—The United States, apparently, has effectively adjusted the difficulty in the matter of the delay of American shipping to European ports which called forth the note of protest to Great Britain.

This has been accomplished through the treasury department's device for certifying to the contents of all cargoes which leave American ports, the certificates to be countersigned by treasury department officials. At the same time Assistant Secretary Peters of the department is careful to explain that this is in no sense a surrender to England, which, he intimates, has become somewhat "hysterical" over the alleged falsification of manifests.

At any rate, without a movement on the part of the power to whom the protest was directed, and through the initiative of the power making the protest, the affair hag been settled. During the entire discussion Great Britain has made it quite plain that she is acting not for herself alone, but for the allies as a whole.

The issuance of a notice to exporters requesting them to provide vessels with accurate manifests, issued by Peters, with the approval of Secretary of State Bryan and Secretary of Commerce Redfield, is not to be taken as an admission by the United States government that Great Britain has much ground for her annoying interference with American commerce. On the contrary, it is intimated that England is manifesting a little "hysteria" over suspected cargoes and that it is doubtful if any cases can be cited where American exporters have deliberately falsified ship manifests.

The notice advises exporters to have their foreign shipping manifests complete and accurate and informs them that whenever shippers desire such aid in carrying on their foreign business the treasury department will furnish, upon application to the customs collector at any port, an officer to supervise the loading of cargo and to certify to the completeness and accuracy of the manifest.

It is suggested also as a further precaution that shippers accompany the ships manifested with an affidavit stating that the articles shipped are correctly shown by the manifests and that the packages contain nothing except that which is shown thereon.

Some ten days ago the customs division authorized the collector of Savannah to certify manifests as above, but he was expressely prohibited, as all custom collectors will be, from signifying whether or not the shipment was contraband or non-contraband.

This development is regarded as affording a solution of one of the points under dispute between Great Britain and the United States.

NOT QUITE ACCEPTABLE

Britain Will Not Waive Right to Search American Ships

London, Jan. 6.—The British government was informed of the decision of the Washington authorities to certify American cargoes as to their exact contents before they leave American ports. It is felt here that this action will assist appreciably in solving the difficulties which led to the presentation of the note from Washington concerning British interference with American shipping.

American shipping will not go unmolested, however, even though the contents of the cargoes are certified by treasury officials, according to unofficial information that emanated from the British foreign office.

Great Britain's view of the case, as expressed by these reports, is that whatever the United States does in the way of certifying cargoes will not justify waiving the right of search. The attitude of the United States is looked upon favorably, but if England contemplates any great concessions, the fact has been successfully concealed.

Holland and the Scandinavian countries have negotiations under way with England regarding the shipping question, and it is reported that they are making their lists of contraband articles conform with London's ideas of the question.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

His mind failing under the pressure of overstudy, Lewis W. Martin, 15, of Somerville, Mass., committed suicide by shooting.

Comptroller of the Currency Williams issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business Dec. 31, 1914.

Miss Mary E. Jack, an 18-year-old student at the Pawtucket, R. I., high school, died from a self-inflicted bullet wound.

Fire destroyed the Commercial block at Palmer, Mass. The loss is $40,000.

SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

NOT FOR HIM.

Mike—Do yees believe in the recall of the judges, Pat?

Pat—That I do not. The last time I was up before his honor he sez: "I recall that face. Sixty days." I'm agin the recall of judges.—Life.

MISSED THE HICCUP.

Golfer—Confound you, boy; you made me miss that putt!

Caddie—I didn't do nothin', sir.

Golfer—Yes, you did; it was your blooming hiccup.

Caddie—I didn't hic—hiccup, sir.

Golfer—Of course you didn't. It's the first time you missed since we started, and I allowed for it, you idiot!—Pathfinder.

HE KNEW.

"Where," said the land agent addressing an audience of possible purchasers, "Where else on the face of the globe will you find in one place copper, tin, iron ,cotton, hemp, grain, game—"

A voice replied:

"In the pockets of my youngest son."—New York Globe.

NOT THE ROAD TO FAME.

"How did you reach the lecture platform?"

"Me? I was a prize fighter."

"And you "

"I pumped off a bridge."

"And you, sir?"

"I presume I have less claim to fame than any of you, gentlemen," said the third man addressed. "I was once vice-president." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

QUITE A FEAT.

A celebrated vocalist was in a motor car accident one day. A paper, after recording the accident, said: "We are happy to state that he was able to appear the following evening in three pieces."—Pathfinder.

A PUZZLE TO HIM.

A little slum child was enjoying his first glimpse of pastoral life. The setting sun was gilding the grass and roses of the old-fashioned garden, and on a little stool he sat beside the farmer's wife, who was plucking a chicken.

He watched the operation gravely for some time. Then he spoke. "Do yer take off their clothes every night, lady?"—Youth's Companion.

TAKEN BACK TO JAIL

Alleged Burglars Recaptured After Escaping From Courtroom

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 6.—Two of a band of seven men charged by the police with numerous burglaries in this city escaped from the district courtroom by jumping through a window twelve feet above the ground. Both men, Aime LaPorte and George Fortin, were recaptured.

Fortin escaped while the police were attending to other prisoners. The other six were immediately placed in a detention cell, where they ripped a leg from a wooden bench and, using this as a lever, broke the locks on the doors of the cell, obtaining the freedom of the courtroom. Police Captain Taft succeded in preventing the escape of all the men with the exception of LaPorte.

PECK UNDER $7500 BAIL

Alleged "Ambulance Chaser" Held Under Perjury Charge

New York, Jan. 6.—Walter Peck, a lawyer's clerk, who, with Dennis Murray of Bridgeport, Conn., was indicted in connection with a so-called ambulance-chasers' trust, surrendered himself here and was released under $7500 bail.

Murray, a New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad foreman, is alleged to have testified falsely regarding the death of a lineman, the jury in the case finding the road negligent. Peck is charged with subornation of perjury, the indictment accusing him of instructing Murray what to testify.

Food Kept Past Law's Limit

Albany, Jan. 6.—The Swift Packing company of Chicago was indicted by the county grand jury here on six charges of violating a state law that prohibits the holding of food products in cold storage for longer than ten months.

Thirty-Six Lives Lost In Wreck

La Rochelle, France, Jan. 6.—The French steamer Kabylie foundered at sea with the loss of thirty-six lives. Only the mate was saved.

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LAUNCHING AT FORE RIVER

Submarine Takes Initial Plunge on Jan. 19

The submarine L-1, one of eight under construction at the Fore River shipyard will be launched on Jan. 19. The sponsor for the craft has not yet been chosen.

HOLD UNION MEETING.

First Service At Wollaston Congregational Church.

The first of the three union meetings of the Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches of Wollaston was held Tuesday evening at the Wollaston Congregational church and was attended by about 125. The meeting was in charge of Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church and the topic was "Prayer For Our Churches." Rev. Mr. Walther made the address, after which the meeting was generally participated in by those present with prayer and speaking.

Tonight's meeting will be held at the Wollaston Methodist church and will be in charge of Rev. Dr. Isaiah W. Sneath of the Congregational church. The topic will be "Prayer For the Nations, Ours and Others."

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WORK ON NEVADA GOES ON SWIFTLY

The entire second battery of five inch guns on the battleship Nevada, now at the fitting out dock at the Fore River shipyard, has been set in place and workmen are today engaged in swinging several of the 14 inch main battery guns into place. Construction is going ahead at great speed and a record may be established by the company.

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What Local Clubs are Doing

News of Women's Clubs is a feature of the Daily Ledger every Wednesday. Secretaries of organizations should send notices of club activities, to reach the Club Editor not later than Tuesday night to insure insertion the next day.

Junior Friday Club had a pleasant meeting Monday afternoon with Miss Georgiana C. Lane of Presidents hill. Mrs. Albert H. Wright was chairman of the afternoon the study of South America being continued with Lake Titicaca and Bolivia as special subjects. As souvenirs of the meeting each club member received a cute little calendar done in water color, the handiwork of the hostess.

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Christ church Women's Guild is to hold its annual meeting Thursday in the parish house at half past two. As officers are to be elected a good attendance is expected.

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Mrs. Hannah T. Osgood of Boston who spoke this afternoon at the meeting of Quincy Alliance in the First Parish church parlor was a guest at luncheon before the meeting of Mrs. John D. Mackay at her home on Greenleaf street.

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The annual meeting of Reapers Circle of King's Daughters is to be held Friday evening at quarter of eight with with Mrs. Charles H. Wilson of 43 Saville avenue. A large attendance of members is hoped for.

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Miss Florence Buck is to speak on "Religious Experiences of a Little Child," at the meeting of Wollaston Alliance on Wednesday afternoon Jan 13 in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry. Tea will be served.

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Mrs. T. Lyndon Gurney is to be chairman for the meeting Jan. 14th of the Atlantic Shakespeare Society, when Act 3 Part 2 of "King Henry The Fourth," will be taken up for study."

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Monday afternoon the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter D. A. R. of Wollaston is to meet with Mrs. F. C. Blake of 56 Elm avenue. Miss Susan B. Willard of Hingham is to speak on "Building of Bunker Hill Monument." Later in the month the Chapter is to entertain at headquarters in the Pierce building, Boston, in conjunction with Old State House Chapter of Melrose.

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The musical meeting of New England Wheaton Club is to be held at Hotel Vendome, Boston Saturday, at two o'clock. Music will be furnished by Ralph Smalley, 'cellist; Miss Marguerite Harding, contralto; and the Newton Mandolin club.

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There is to be a luncheon at the Copley-Plaza hotel, Boston Saturday Jan. 16 at one o'clock in honor of Mrs. Cara Rogers Bleakley, president general of the Daughters of the Revolution. The luncheon is given by the Massachusetts D. R. A reception for Mrs. Bleakley follows the luncheon at three o'clock at the Society rooms in Hotel Westminster, after which the regular January business meeting will be held.

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Thursday evening a pleasant affair is to be held at the Women's clubhouse on Presidents Hill when a reception is to be tendered the teachers of the city by the Education committee of the Quincy Women's Club. Mrs. Jethro R. Mellen and her committee have arranged a pleasing program.

Next week's meeting of the Quincy Women's Club is to be under the auspices of the Philanthropy committee and will be open to the public. It will be held at the clubhouse at the usual hour, half past two. Tickets for the Revels on the 15th at Music hall and also for the opera Mikado on Feb. 10, are in good demand showing interest of club members and friends in these events.

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The Katharyn Crane Memorial club has been able to present the Visiting Nurse committee the sum of $55, being the proceeds from the afternoon dance held at Alpha hall, Dec. 29 and wishes to express its appreciation of the hearty and generous co-operation which made possible this gift.

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This week members of the Charitable Ten Circle are expected to gather sheets, linen, blankets and anything suitable for bandages and leave with Mrs. Frank Gilbert, 61 Chestnut street by Thursday. The supplies are to be sent to the Belgians.

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The annual meeting of Altar Guild of St. Chrysostom's church is to be held Thursday evening in the rectory at quarter of eight.

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The Womens Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. are looking forward to hearing the address on "Fretfulness in the Home" by Mrs. Irving H. Upton of Roxbury. She is worth hearing and it is hoped members and friends will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear her.

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YOUNG WOMEN'S CLUB.

At the Rally of the Quincy Young Women's Club to be held Jan. 16 in High school hall for the purpose of presenting the movement for establishing a recreation room for young women in Quincy, it is planned to have Miss Jean Hamilton, National Secretary of Women Workers; Miss Ethel Hobart, Secretary of Massachusetts Women Workers and Miss Maria Robbins of the Plymouth Girls Club and others, who will endeavor to arouse enthusiasm and interest.

In addition to the speakers a musical program has been arranged for, following which an informal reception will be held and refreshments served.

At a meeting of the committee in charge of the rally the report was that much enthusiasm has been shown through the city.

It was extremely gratifying to the Quincy Young Womens Club to receive a letter from Mayor Chester I. Campbell, endorsing the movement, part of which is quoted as follows:—"You can count on my hearty co-operation and should the opportunity allow me to be with you on that evening, I shall be glad to do so."

An invitation is extended to all the members of young women's clubs in the city to attend this meeting.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB

The meeting of the Quincy Women's club next Tuesday afternoon at the clubhouse will be in charge of the Philanthropy committee, Mrs. Wilson Marsh, chairman. There will be a fine group of speakers on various phases of social and philanthropic work.

Miss Jenny M. Purchase secretary of the Quincy Associated Charities will present a brief report of the relief work for the Salem fire sufferers which she did for the Quincy Women's Club.

Miss Ethel Hobart secretary of the Massachusetts Association of Women Workers will have something interesting to tell about girls clubs from her experience all over the state.

Fred Johnson secretary of the Boston Associated Charities will speak on the problem of the unemployed.

Miss Frances G. Curtis member of the Boston School Board and also member of the State Board of Charities will give some timely information regarding the school nurse as home and school visitor.

At the close of the program tea will be served.

The public is cordially invited. It is hoped that many will be interested to attend as it is an unusal opportunity to hear the best authorities on these subjects.

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WOLLASTON WOMAN'S CLUB

Miss Martha Shannon gave a most interesting talk on American Art at the regular meeting of the Wollaston Woman's Club, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Shannon showed many pictures familiar to Art lovers, and gave much to those interested in Quincy history by showing portraits of John Quincy Adams, John Hancock and Dorothy Quincy.

Mrs. Ropes gave a very delightful New Year's greeting to members and friends and spoke briefly of the club dramatics to be given Feb. 16, in Quincy Music hall, the play being "The Pied Piper" by Josephine Peabody.

The Civics committee invited the club to a lecture on New Internationalism, to be given Feb. 5 in Wollaston school hall, with William Hudson as the speaker.

The next meeting will be held in the new parish house of St. Chrysostoms church, Hancock street at which meeting Mrs. Pennock will be the guest of honor, it being Presidents day.

After a long vacation the Parliamentary Law class is to resume its lessons Friday mornings at the home of Mrs. Harry Stevens, 50 Wayland street.

Miss Olney made announcement of the opera Priscilla, to be given Jan. 2 in Quincy Music hall. The opera is a travesty on the colonial story so familiar to all, extremely tuneful and full of life and action. The parts have been selected with great care and a large chorus from the Glee club assisted by gentlemen is sure to make Priscilla an opera long to be remembered by those fortunate enough to attend. The soloists will be

Myles Standish—Charles Everett.
John Alden—Carl Hopkins.
Gov. Bradford—Mr. Evans.
Hatebad Higgins—Ryder Gay.
Squanto—Aylmer Hatch.
Priscilla—Miss Ruth Hardy.
Barbara—Miss Gladys Flieger.
Designation—Mrs. Spooner.
Faith—Mrs. Baker.
Prudence—Mrs. Barry.

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STATE FEDERATION.

The Civil Service Reform Department offers the following suggestions for practical work:

Inform yourselves of the meaning and value of Civil Service Reform.

Have a committee of one or more who will call the attention of the Club members to legislation and other matters affecting the efficiency of the Civil Service.

Urge educational work along these lines in the public schools. Offer a prize for the best essay on some phase of the Merit System, where the co-operation of school authorities can be secured.

Know to what extent civil service reform is applied in your own town or city.

Investigate and report the conditions in local almshouses or other houses for the unfortunate.

Base all criticism upon accurate knowledge.

Help this committee and others by letting them know what you are doing. Make and ask for suggestions.

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RIVERSIDE CLUB.

The January program of the Quincy Women's Riverside Club as made up is as follows: Regular meeting Jan. 13 at home of Mrs. Hobart, 62 Mill street at 2 P. M.; public whist Jan. 20 at clubhouse at 2 P. M. with Mrs. Bradford Hayden as chairman; regular meeting Jan. 27 at home of Mrs. Arnold, 77 Arnold street at 2 P. M.

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QUINCY W. C. T. U.

The Quincy Womens Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. Edwin I. Beal New Year's day at 3 P. M. the president Mrs. Albert M. Thompson presiding. After the devotional exercises the Misses Beal entertained with a piano duet, which was splendidly rendered and very much enjoyed.

Mrs. Lydia Wood gave a very interesting account of her work during the past 18 months in the interests of a children's home in Gardner, Maine, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of that town. Mrs. Wood gives as much of her time as her health will permit in the interests of this home.

Jan. 14 is to be observed as a day of prayer by all the W. C. T. U. Unions in America for National Prohibition.

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JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

The Junior Auxiliary of St. Chrysostoms church met in the parish rooms Tuesday afternoon, the president Bessie Kelley presiding. Ethel Poch secretary pro tem read the usual reports and Marion Hallett treasurer called the roll and received the monthly dues. Beginning next week, members are to make scrap books for the childrens hospital in Boston.

Mrs. Herbert L. Packard, parish librarian gave a short talk on church Periodical club work. The girls were much interested and voted to send the new magazine "Something to do" to Master Graeme Baker of Gillette, Wyoming for a year. Mrs. George J. Poch is the leader.

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THE BLUE BIRDS.

The Blue Birds an auxiliary organization of the Camp Fire girls for their younger sisters and little friends are little girls from six to twelve years old. A group of Blue Birds is called a Nest. At first when a little girl joins, she is a Nestling, after that a Fledging, and finally a Flier. A guardian of a Camp Fire starts a nest of Blue Birds, but her Camp Fire girls share the responsibility and help with the work, thereby winning honors for themselves.

The Blue Bird Motto is:—Blue Birds Sing, Blue Birds Grow, Blue Birds Help. They sing because they are happy; they have happy relations to everybody. They grow because growing means health and vigor. The height and weight of each Blue Bird is sometimes written down every three months in the official record Book of the Nest. Blue Birds help at home, at school, wherever they are and in whatever way they can.

The Blue Bird costume is most charmingly picturesque. It is a loose dress of downy gray galatea, with plumage of blue, cinnamon red, and grayish white added as the owner Grows, Helps, and Sings. The Fledging wears a fascinating little pointed light blue cap, and the Flier has, in addition to the cap, blue galatea wings.

The activities are simple and adapted to children who at that age learn best through play. There is no elaborate system of attaining honors as there is in the Camp Fire organization for older girls. Blue Birds learn because they want to, help because they want to, and sing because they are happy.

Here are some of the interesting things Blue Birds do. Each girl should have a doll family; each doll should have its name, relationship and clothing; there should be doll parties, excursions, doll schools, doll houses and so on. Each girl should have a garden even if only a tiny one in a box. Each girl should learn and play games such as Hop Scotch, Blind Man's Buff, Croquet, Hide and Seek, Drop the Handkerchief, Pussy Wants a Corner, Run Sheep Run, and others. Every girl should learn folk dances, such as, Virginia Reel, Pop Goes the Weasel, Shoe Maker's Dance and so forth.

Make a doll's house. Weave a basket out of reeds. Cut out paper dolls. Model doll's dishes out of clay. Learn lullabies to sing to dolls. Learn Mother Goose rhymes to tell to dolls. Give a doll party with proper attention to invitations, refreshments etc.

Knit a wash cloth. Do not buy candy or sodas for a week and with the money saved buy a doll for a child who has none. Do not tease or beg for anything for a week. Work the Blue Bird motto in cross stitch or in beads. No eating between meals for a month. Be in bed not later than eight o'clock for one month. Know how to tell time promptly. Brush teeth as often as your dentist requires for a month.

Feed birds in winter. Take care of the toys of younger brothers and sisters. Dress yourself in twenty minutes each day for a week. Make your bed neatly for a week. Sew six tears or mend six holes in your own clothes in one month. Do up your own hair neatly and satisfactorily to your parent or guardian for one month. Help set the table for a week. Help wash the dishes for a week. Sing whenever you are tempted to scold some one. Wear a smile and answer bravely when disappointment comes.

The purpose of the Blue Bird organization is to aid in the education of girls by giving time and thought to that side of the play life of the child that is founded on the mother instinct and the home instinct. That is why so much emphasis is placed on doing things for dolls. This organization makes and keeps the little girls thoroughly quiet and happy. It gives them a free play life under the guidance and encouragement of good women.

There is one Nest of Blue Birds in Quincy, consisting of sixteen little girls, who have been for almost two years under the guidance of several of the members of the Wampatuck Camp Fire. This winter they have been learning to make baskets with reed and raffia and are practising some folk dances to give at one of the meetings of the Parents and Teachers Association at their school. The following are the members of his Nest of Blue Birds, Isabelle Crane, Margaret Foster, Ina Hendry, Margaret Holden, Ruth Hoyle, Loretta Lane, Edith Lee and Amelia Leet.

GERMAN RULE FOR IRELAND

Exciting Debate On Subject Alarms Pres. Drew.

The members of the Quincy Branch of the Irish Land league were so earnest in their debate Tuesday night on whether or not the homeland would be more prosperous under English or German rule that Vice President Samuel Drew who presided decided to reserve a decision until a future date.

The advocacy of English rule was presented by John Queenan, Daniel Ahearn, Michael Coffey and Patrick Fahey, while Daniel Donahue, James McHugh, Richard Gray and James Doherty favored Germany.

JOURNEY TO BOSTON.

Members of Maple Lodge See Ritualistic Work.

Nine members of Maple lodge, K. L. of H., accompanied Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Agnes G. Fletcher, on her visit to Gen. Warren lodge at 214 Dudley street, Boston, on Tuesday evening. They were royally received.

The new features of the ritualistic work of the lodge were introduced by the degree team of Unity lodge of Boston and it received hearty applause. The party reached here after midnight.

RECEPTION TO GRAND OFFICERS.

John Adams commandery, Knights of Malta, has completed preparations for the reception to grand officers and out of town members in Colonial hall tonight.

Grand Commander David L. Simpson of Medford will be the special guest. He will be accompanied by his entire suite. The Hyde Park and two Boston lodges are expected to be represented.

ENTERS NO APPEAL.

The twenty-four hours which Servi Allito was allowed by law to enter an appeal from a sentence of one year in the house of correction for carrying a loaded revolver without a permit, expired this morning and not taking an appeal he was committed to Dedham jail. Allito was also held in $2000 for the grand jury on a complaint for breaking and entering the jewelry store of T. L. Williams, Sunday evening.

ONCE LIVED IN QUINCY.

The funeral of Mrs. Warren Veazie, a former West Quincy resident was held from her home at 874 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, on Tuesday afternoon. The body was brought here for burial in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. Mrs. Veazie was in her 74th year.

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CLUB EVENTS

JANUARY.

7—Christ Church Guild Annual.
8—Reapers Circle Annual.
11—A. P. Q. Chapter D. A. R., Mrs. Blake.
12—Q W. Club—Clubhouse.
13—Wollaston Alliance.
13—Riverside Club—Mrs. Hobarts.
14—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
15—Q. W. Club—Revels.
16—Q. Y. W. Club Rally—Q. H. S. hall
18—Junior Friday Club, Mrs. Wright.
18—Q. W. Club—parliamentary law.
18—Charitable Ten, Mrs. Fenno.
19—K. C. M. Club, Mrs. Crane.
19—W. W. Club—Wol. Un. church.
20—Quincy Alliance, Chapel.
20—Ladies Benevolent Society, Wol. Cong. Church.
20—W. W. Club—Opera talk.
20—Riverside Club.—Whist.
22—W. W. Club—opera "Priscilla."
23—Q. W. R. Club—Clubhouse.
25—A. P. Q. Chapter, D. A. R., Boston.
26—Q. W. Club—Alpha Hall.
27—Ladies Benevolent Society, Wol. Cong. Church.
27—Wollaston Alliance.
27—W. W. Club, Opera talk.
27—Riverside Club—Mrs. Arnolds'
28—Hospital Aid Asso.—Mrs. L. H. Sturtevant.
28—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
30—Q. W. R. Club—Xmas Party.

PRESENT MUSIC CABINET.

Friends at Telephone Exchange Remember Dackers.

David Dackers, who claimed Miss Marie Donaher of West Quincy as his bride on Christmas eve, found his desk at the Quincy exchange of the telephone company decorated with flowers on his arrival Monday evening and beside it a black walnut music cabinet.

Wollaston Masonic lodge exemplified the first degree upon a number of candidates at its regular communication Tuesday evening.

ENTERTAINS PAST PRESIDENTS.

Nine past presidents of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps gathered at the home of Mrs. Isabel A. Souther on Edison street Tuesday afternoon for a social meeting. The program was sewing after which luncheon was served. The next meeting will be Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield, Cottage street.

Those present as the guests of Mrs. Souther, were: Mrs. Laura E. Holt, Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield, Mrs. Mary Fox, Mrs. Eliza A. Penniman, Mrs. Electa Field, Mrs. Idella I. Savage, Mrs. Isabella R. Holmes and Mrs. Mary Powers.

A regular meeting of the Katharyn Crane Memorial club was held Tuesday afternoon with Miss Roxana and Miss Lillian Schenkelberger on Goffe street.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Rain is probable Thursday with clearing Friday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.28
Length of day	9.15
Moon rises	11.25
High water, A. M.	3.15
High water, P. M.	3.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 9 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	48 degrees
Jan. 6, 1914,	30 degrees
Jan. 6, 1913,	37 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

NEW RECORD IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Hayden "busted" the record single of the Point church league by getting 129 in the matches at the Wardwell allers Tuesday night. Other good singles were made.

CEDARS 3—BEACH 1.

CEDAR POINT.

Hayden	79	69	129	277
Scouler	75	79	77	231
Mendezie	75	76	76	227
Chisholm	85	80	86	251
MacQueen	91	94	111	296
	405	398	479	1282

BEACH POINT.

Hoffses	81	93	78	252
Howe	47	82	96	225
Melville	75	89	75	239
Putman	85	79	81	245
McCulloch	80	71	75	226
	368	414	405	1187

ROCKY 4—STAGE POINT 0.

ROCKY POINT.

Waddell	97	85	84	266
Thayer	96	82	93	271
Moe	80	34	71	235
Wight	83	79	108	270
Lang	71	80	86	237
	427	414	442	1279

STAGE POINT.

Mead	81	66	63	210
Forest	71	82	70	233
Peterson	78	63	77	218
Melville	86	77	95	258
Austin	92	85	68	245
	408	373	373	1154

Womans Relief Corps 103 has received an invitation to be present at the installation of the Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary this evening in Faxon hall.

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RUN OFF GOOD AMATEUR BOUTS

Large Attendance at Q. A. A. Tourney.

Quincy A. A.'s amateur boxing tourney in Quincy Adams hall Tuesday evening was witnessed by a good house. The bill was poor in spots but several good contests were run off.

Tony Vatlan of Brighton was the feature performer of the evening and although outweighed by five to ten pounds by every man who opposed him he was not worn down until the final when young Barcel of Quincy bested him.

Bunny Marshall of Quincy lost the 110 pound class to Dave Manley of Cambridge. Marshall is an unfinished boxer but game.

Al Davies was substituted for Sullivan ,who failed to appear in his special with Harry Carlson, but after half a minute, during which neither showed any inclination to box the referee ordered the action cut out.

John Norton of the Forest Hills A. A. was referee. The judges were Charles J. McHugh, Quincy A. A.; Frank X. McGrath, Boston A. A. Fred Cappelini was timer. The announcer was Matthew Cummings, Jr., Quincy A. A. and Arthur Dunn of the Aroostock County A. A. was master of ceremonies.

110 LB.
TRIALS.

Fred Barron, East Boston, beat Fred White of Lynn, 3 rounds.

Ed. Marshall, Quincy, beat, A Sayre of Boston, 3 rounds.

SEMI.

Marshall beat Barron, 2 rounds.

D. Manley, Cambridge beat J. Cunningham, Quincy, 1 round.

FINAL.

Manley beat Marshall, 2 rounds.

120 LBS.
TRIALS.

Tony Vatlan, Brighton, beat Ed. Manning, South Boston, 2 rounds.

Steve Sullivan, Boston, beat J. Fisher, Boston, 2 rounds.

Ed. Barcel, Quincy, beat F. Lucey, Newton, 1 round.

SEMI-FINALS.

Vatlan beat Sullivan, 3 rounds.

Barcel beat Al Girard, East Boston, 3 rounds.

FINAL.

Barcel beat Vatlan, 2 rounds.

140 LBS.

Sam Bell, Boston, beat Sol. Herwitz, Boston, 2 rounds.

Bill Parsons, E Boston, beat Ted Campbell, Cambridge, 2 rounds.

FINAL.

Parsons beat Bell, 3 rounds.

SPECIAL BOUT.

Harry Carlson, Brockton vs Al Davies of Boston. No contest.

SHIPPING ROOM WINS.

The shipping room, champion bowling combination of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co., successfully defended its title at the City Square alleys Tuesday evening by defeating the plating room.

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Griffin	58	85	93	236
Anderson	85	98	81	264
Hirtle	100	86	76	262
H. Smith	96	100	102	299
	439	446	441	1346

PLATING ROOM.

Mills	91	76	99	266
McNeice	76	73	98	247
Curtin	53	62	51	166
Coupal	82	96	63	241
Dolan	90	82	86	258
	392	389	397	1178

GIVE HISTORICAL CHARADES.

Bethany Kings Daughters Pass Enjoyable Evening.

Unity circle of Kings Daughters were the guests Tuesday evening of the intermediate circle in the chapel of the Bethany church and a most enjoyable evening it proved to be.

The program included musical selections and historical charades which were given under the direction of a most efficient committee which included Miss Harriett Griffith, Miss Gertrude Shaw, Miss Alice Parker, Miss Esther Beckford and Miss Florence McPherson. Following the entertainment, which was greatly enjoyed, refreshments were served.

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STICKS WITH THE "KIDS"

Policeman Resigns Rather Than Give Up Care of Young Cripples

Chicago, Jan. 6. — Patrolman Thomas Williams, for twenty-five years assigned to the Spaulding school for crippled children, decided to give up his job on the police force rather than to give up his care for the lame boys and girls he has carried and watched over.

In the police reorganization plan, Williams was ordered returned to patrol duty. After deliberation, he wrote Chief Gleason:

"I have been on the force long enough to draw a pension. I've been looking after children ever since I've been on the force. They've needed some one every day and they will still need him. Please accept my resignation, beginning today, and I will take my pension and stick with the kids."

For years Williams has started each day by shouldering some of the boys and girls and carrying them to school.

PLANS MURDER DEFENSE

Rogers Will Not Desert "Wife" Who Poisoned Her Children

New York, Jan. 6.—Lorlys E. Rogers refuses to desert his "love mate," Mrs. Ida Sniffen Walters, who poisoned their two children. While Mrs. Walters is battling for her life Rogers is planning to aid her against a charge of murder that will be brought as the result of the death of her two children.

Mrs. Walters still does not know her little ones have died as the result of the poison she gave them. She thinks they will get well and has no thought of being arrested as a result of her act in poisoning them and herself. Doctors say she has an excellent chance of recovering.

Rogers still haunts the hospital. He has not been able to see his legal wife since the poisoning of his children has resulted in the exposure of his dual life. Neither has Mrs. Rogers intimated what action she will take.

DANBURY HATTERS LOSE THEIR CASE

Supreme Court Affirms $252,000 Judgment Against Them

Washington, Jan. 6.—Damages amounting to $252,000 will have to be paid to D. E. Loewe & Co. of Danbury, Conn., by the United Hatters of America under a decision of the supreme court.

The court sustained the decision of the United States circuit court of appeals for the second district, which fixed the damages under the anti-trust act of 1890, which provided for treble damages to the person damaged by conspiracy in restraint of trade.

The case was famous as the "Danbury Hatters' case." Members of organized labor have contributed funds to fight the case through the courts for years. Right of the use of the boycott was directly involved—also the effectiveness of the "treble damages" clause of the Sherman act.

REVIVAL OF OLD RULE

Chairmanships In Bay State Senate Go to Republicans

Boston, Jan. 6.—The great and general court of Massachusetts for 1915 begun its labors today when both branches of the legislature organized.

Calvin Coolidge of Northampton, who was renominated by the caucus for the presidency of the senate, declared that all thirty-four committee chairmanships this year will go to Republicans. Thus did he make it known that there is to be a return to the old order of Republican rule in the state house this year.

Channing H. Cox of Boston, last year titular leader of the Republican membership, was chosen speaker of the house.

FOR SMUGGLING CHINESE

Gang and Their "Queen" Arrested In Southern California

Washington, Jan. 6.—Immigration authorities here were notified of the arrest of a gang of five alleged smugglers in southern California.

The prisoners are Mrs. Joe Bruno, said to be "queen" of the gang; Zing Lee and Kum Shew, prominent Chinese merchants; John E. Miller, a Mexican ranchman, and a Mexican whose name is withheld, but who is believed to have been a high Mexican official.

The smugglers were trying to get Chinamen over the line and into San Francisco by automobile by traveling at night.

Assault Fatal to Aged Widow

Tilton, N. H., Jan. 6.—Mrs. George Bean, an elderly invalid, died from injuries resulting from an assault committed on her. Jack Stewart, who had acted as attendant for Mrs. Bean, is under arrest at Concord.

Four Women Killed by Train

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 6.—Four young women, natives of Austria, who were on their way to work at Copley, were struck by an express train. All were killed. They had no relatives in this country.

Boston Bark Lost at Sea

Boston, Jan. 6.—Word was received here that the bark Pilgrim of Boston was lost at sea, but that all of her crew, with the exception of a cabin boy, were saved.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Ave Maria council, K of C., will hold the annual ladies night this evening.

Maple lodge K. and L. of H. will install officers this evening.

The installation of Quincy herd, B. O. B. will be held at Franklin hall this evening.

The Quincy Italian Band will hold its annual ball Saturday evening at Malnati's hall.

Peter Chapman left Sunday for Lehigh University, where he will complete his first term.

Rev. Benj. A. Willmott of Bethany Congregational church will be the speaker at the meeting this evening of the Fowler chapter of the Hall Place M. E. church.

Edward Martell and John Minahan took the souvenirs at the regular Tuesday whist party of Ave Maria Council Knights of Columbus.

A large delegation from West Quincy are planning to attend the 3rd annual dance of the Comical club to be held in Music hall, South Weymouth, this evening.

Arrangements have been practically completed for the vaudeville show to be given by the Gardner club of Christ church on Wednesday evening, January 20, in the parish house.

Harold Chapman, known as "Blotus" throughout the city, is preparing to resume his studies at Williston seminary at Northampton. He will leave Friday.

Donald Crane, son of City Clerk and Mrs. Emery L. Crane, and John J. Nolan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nolan of Adams street, have returned to Hamilton, N. Y., to resume studies at Colgate University.

Michael J. Saville of Dayton street was the guest of President Frank J. Sullivan of the Sacred Heart Loterary association at its annual banquet held in Wolcott hall, East Boston, Monday evening.

D. F. Fitzgerald, the granite man of Miller street believes business will be good this year and is preparing to get as much of it as possible. He is overhauling his derricks and machinery and is installing a large travelling crane.

George Corcoran and Arthur Casairco were admitted to membership in the Copeland club last Sunday at a special meeting. The club has increased in membership greatly under the present officers and has several applications waiting to be acted upon. The entertainment committee are arranging a schedule of good times for the winter season.

GAS OFFICE BEATS POSTMEN.

Uncle Sam's Boys Have Lost Before But Are Still Confident.

The office force of the Citizens Gas Light Co., beat the post office boys in a special at the Wardwell alleys Tuesday evening. The latter have lost the last two matches but intend to issue another challenge. Joe Reardon was high with 313.

GAS OFFICE.

LaCroix	87	104	94	285
Nicol	101	82	88	271
Ellard	88	78	93	359
Howe	77	90	99	266
Muir	86	80	94	260
	439	434	468	1341

POST OFFICE.

Hynes	87	84	87	268
Cain	78	93	65	236
Reardon	105	109	99	313
Mitchell	80	103	86	249
Joyce	83	79	75	237
	433	468	392	1303

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances E. Jelinek late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Alfred W. Jelinek of said Quincy without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 6-13-18

SPORTING COMMENT

Betting on the coming Fore River-New Bedford soccer game at New Bedford, Jan. 16 is even. Harrison is expected to make the showing of his life, likewise Wee Willie McGregor.

"Admiral" Caven, and John Coffey, indoor sports, have taken to fathering the old style dancing.

But little is heard of athletic supervision in the public schools, but Dr. J. Gardiner Smith, in charge of that department remains as thin as ever through hustling to keep his classes on time. Some day, he will have an assistant. Some day.

Definite arrangements for the 30 ball bowling match have never been completed. It was suggested several weeks ago. The idea is not a new one and would demonstrate how much ability a man has in picking single pins.

The woods to the north of Braintree have been receiving the attention of the sportsmen and one of the best known of the gun men is Michael Connell who has bagged five foxes this season. His fifth one, shot Monday, weighed 16 pounds.

Mrs. Gertrude Blake again has endangered the record of Mrs. Florence Moran, whose single of 118 made at the Wardwell alleys, is still unpassed. Mrs. Blake's last attempt stopped at 115.

Should the directors of the proposed Southeastern Interscholastic league succeed in bringing about an organization which will include Brockton High it will be necessary for that school to drop its football league affiliation with the one of Plymouth county.

ROLLOFFS BRING EXCITEMENT

Exciting matches marked the Clan MacGregor league rolloffs at the Coliseum alleys Tuesday night. There were no triples however. The points in two matches were divided while the third contest was a clean sweep for the Nicolls quintette.

CAPT. NICOLL 4—CAPT. SMITH 0.

CAPT. NICOLL.

Craig	85	96	73	254
A. Michael	95	81	99	275
J. Stewart	85	90	94	269
J. Michael	89	93	96	278
Nicoll	110	102	86	298
	464	462	448	1374

CAPT. SMITH.

J. Smith	81	97	79	257
Mayer	87	96	99	282
H. Smith	103	83	84	270
Davidson	75	78	97	250
Stewart	92	78	83	253
	438	432	442	1312

McKENZIES 2— HUGHES 2.

CAPT. McKENZIE.

Hunter	94	95	103	292
Gordon	90	78	69	237
McKenzie	78	99	80	257
Russell	81	74	84	239
Drummond	100	88	100	288
	443	434	436	1313

CAPT. HUGHES.

Mitchell	83	87	85	255
Raleigh	89	95	83	267
Hughes	86	80	85	251
O'Neil	88	80	89	257
Dackers	78	118	92	288
	424	460	434	1318

CAPT. McLEAN 2—CAPT. MAYER 2

CAPT. McLEAN.

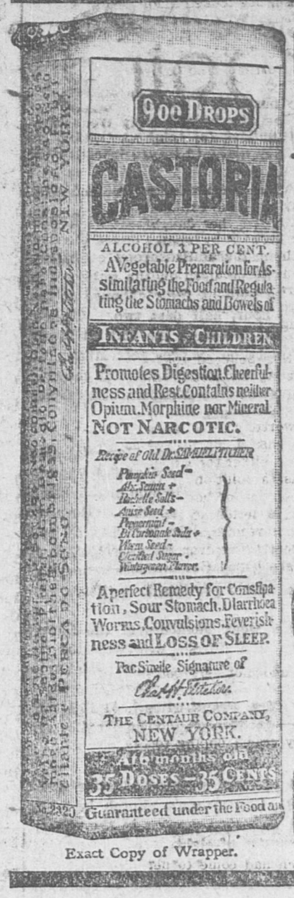
Paterson	90	72	92	254
D. McLoud	84	96	96	276
Murray	79	101	75	255
McLean	102	102	85	289
Dell	104	86	94	284
	459	457	442	1358

CAPT. MAYER.

Welsh	109	82	94	285
Mayer	82	77	96	255
Hastings	91	85	86	262
Birnie	88	106	87	281
Morton	89	80	94	263
	460	430	456	1346

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Get Large And Small Strings In Fore River League.

The Fore River league matches at the Coliseum alleys Monday evening were up and down affairs, the men getting large and small strings. Only a few tripled.

D. DEPT. 4—B. DEPT. 0.

D. DEPT.

Lawton	90	87	94	289
Hamilton	91	95	91	277
Teasdale	83	93	95	271
Richardson	80	91	93	264
Kateon	121	75	93	289
	479	446	464	1389

B. DEPT.

McClellan	101	73	83	257
Flanigan	71	73	86	230
Weil	87	84	88	259
Duff	78	109	92	279
White	86	93	102	281
	423	432	451	1306

M. GALLERY 3—TREAS. OFFICE 1

M. GALLERY.

Djerf	91	96	84	271
Morgan	88	78	82	248
Moran	117	95	100	312
Carlson	86	84	79	249
Tirrell	115	117	89	321
	487	470	434	1391

TREASURERS OFFICE.

Coutts	75	74	91	240
Desmond	81	98	86	265
Gullickson	82	78	89	249
Duncan	86	99	79	264
Stone	94	73	98	265
	418	422	443	1283

ELECTRICIANS 3—M. FLOOR 1

E. DEPT.

Souden	92	85	69	240
Slattery	84	76	80	240
Ago	90	86	106	282
Smith	88	89	91	268
Malnati	92	84	109	285
	446	420	455	1321

M. FLOOR.

Ford	77	92	99	268
Maloney	77	84	79	240
Cockett	94	79	82	255
Vose	83	109	94	286
Russell	77	87	98	262
	408	451	452	1311

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An Intended Surprise

It Resulted In an Outcome Not Intended

By RUTH GRAHAM

There is a great difference between Europe and America in the arrangement of marriages. There the wherewithal to set up a nest in which to live and rear children is the principal part of making a match; here our girls are inclined to pay more attention to whether or not they love and are loved.

Genevieve Thorpe met no man whom she cared to marry until she met Howard Tisdale. Though Howard was twenty-five years old, he had not made any advancement in money making. Indeed, he was on a salary and a small salary, at that.

It did not appear that Genevieve had anything. She and her mother, a widow, lived very plainly, the daughter occupying a salaried position. Nevertheless when Howard showed by his manner that he was pleased with her she encouraged him. His attentions grew more pointed, but he did not propose because he saw no hope of being able to be married. He was wise enough to understand that the care of a family without an adequate income would be misery for all concerned. One day he said to Genevieve:

"You and I must part company. Heaven knows that it will be a hardship to me, but marriage is the inevitable result of an intimacy such as ours. I would gladly ask you to be my wife, but I have a salary of only $800 a year. You cannot be married and continue in your position—at least, I would not have you do so. It follows that our ways must part."

"Unless you love me well enough to take every risk, I admit you are right," was Genevieve's reply.

"Do you mean that you love me well enough to take all risks with me—to live on the miserable pittance which I am earning and which I have no assurance that I shall continue to earn, to pinch and struggle and see those dependent upon you and me suffering for want of comforts, even necessaries, that we cannot give them?"

"I mean to say that I wish to marry and be married for love or not at all."

"'When poverty comes in at the door love flies out of the window.'"

"True love begets energy to provide for its enjoyment and will endure anything."

There was a silence between them, which was broken by Howard:

"Very well, Genevieve, will you marry me?"

"I will."

Then followed a period of planning. Howard, who insisted on beginning married life with no other person under the same rooftree, was for renting two or three rooms in a cheap locality. Genevieve argued that they had better take a little house of their own, even if they rented a room or two to a lodger. Howard objected to this on the ground that they might not secure the lodger, and if they did a third person in such close contact with them would be apt to make trouble. He was in favor of keeping aloof from every one.

These debates lasted some time and were finally ended by Genevieve, who handed her lover the key to her desk in a sewing room on the second floor and told him to go upstairs, unlock the desk and look in an inside drawer on the right. Howard did as he had been bidden.

Genevieve had planned a very pleasant surprise. Some years before an aunt of hers, for whom she had been named, dying, had bequeathed to her savings amounting to about $8,000. The property had come to her in a deed for a small house and some passbooks in savings banks. These with a number of other papers, consisting of vouchers, etc., Genevieve had placed in the drawer of her desk and had never used principal or interest. She was at the time she received the legacy earning her own and her mother's living and intended to hold on to her nest egg in case she should marry.

Genevieve waited, expecting Howard to return, having found the evidence of her little fortune, with a radiant countenance and take her in his arms. She had long looked forward to this moment, expecting that it would be the happiest in her life. A time sufficient for Howard to discover the evidences of her fortune elapsed, and he did not return. She resolved to wait a little longer. Still she heard nothing from him. At last, wondering what could be delaying him, she ran upstairs to the room where she kept her fortune.

The desk was open. The contents of the drawer were spread out on it, but there was no one in the room.

"Howard!" she called, thinking that her lover was hiding from her.

There was no reply.

"Howard!" she called again with a tinge of anxiety in her voice.

The silence was unbroken. She opened a closet door, the only hiding place in the room, then went out into the hall and searched everywhere. There was a back staircase, and, descending it, she looked about on the main floor. A door opened from this rear staircase to the back yard, and it stood ajar. She remembered to have closed it not long before, and there was no one except herself in the house to open it.

Genevieve was terror stricken. Howard, instead of having returned to her after the glad surprise she had intended for him, had left her. Something momentous had happened. Was he gone for a short time or forever? The uncertainty was agonizing. Returning to the desk, she looked among the papers spread out upon it for some written word from him. There was nothing but the documents pertaining to her little fortune, and none of those was missing.

The day passed and Howard did not appear. The next morning brought the postman, but no letter from her lover. A week, a month went by and the mystery was unsolved.

Meanwhile Genevieve's mother had made a hypothetical explanation in the hope of drawing her daughter's mind from her trouble by ending the suspense. She said that Howard had entered upon the match loving another sweetheart and had disappeared without an explanation because he had not the courage to make one. Genevieve was not in the least moved by this theory. She believed that there was some mystery connected with her lover's disappearance which when explained would show that he had not acted unworthily.

A year passed, during which Genevieve hoped either for Howard's return or at least a solution of the mystery of his desertion of her. The postman never left a letter at the house that she did not receive it with a rapidly beating heart. The doorbell never rang but that she hoped Howard was about to enter. There was never a man's footstep on the floor above or below her but what she said to herself, "Is it he?"

Genevieve was not satisfied that Howard had not left some word or token for her that she had failed either to find or to recognize. Again and again she went through the desk, pried into every crack, hoping to find a slip of paper that had with the predisposition of inanimate things to hide fallen under cover. Nothing was discovered by these searches. But Genevieve in her hunt did something she had never done before—she examined those papers which had come to her after her aunt's death that did not pertain to the legacy.

By this she made a startling discovery—her aunt had been secretly married. There was an envelope containing several letters beginning "Dearest Genevieve" and ending "Your loving husband." Then suddenly there rushed in upon the girl's brain an explanation of the mystery. Howard had happened upon these letters.

What was more natural than that he should suppose he had discovered a secret implicating the girl he loved? She had sent him to look upon the evidence of her little fortune without being aware that this evidence of a marriage of one whose name she bore was among the papers. What was to be expected at such a discovery? Either that he would return to upbraid her or flee from her. The latter course was what she believed, from her knowledge of him, he would be the more likely to take.

And now what should she do? She did not believe that this secret marriage had ever been imparted to her mother, and she determined not to impart it now. But Howard! How could she find him to disabuse him of the mistake he had made? Alas, he might have gone to the other side of the globe; he might have succeeded in banishing her from his mind; he might have another love—a wife.

It did not require a long while for Genevieve to make up her mind that she was powerless to reach him.

Another year and still another another passed, neither of which was any more comfortable than the first. Indeed, when the desertion occurred there were occasional flashes of anger, which helped Genevieve temporarily to change from grief to anger; now there was the tantalizing sensation that she stood in a false position, yet was powerless to explain.

One morning she received an envelope addressed in Howard's handwriting. She tore it open and withdrew a check payable to her order for $500. But there was nothing more.

Hope sprang within her. Howard, despite his fancied discovery, still loved her. Why he had sent this money she did not know. She made every effort to discover his location from the bank on which the check was drawn, but failed. Then she asked the bank to return it to the maker. This it agreed to do, and another six months passed with no further news from the missing man.

One day a telegram came from Howard: "I am ill. Come to me."

He had broken down at last. Following the address at the head of the telegram she took a train and the next day reached the city wherein she was to find the man who had left her several years before. She found him in a hospital and on reaching his bedside threw herself down beside him and folded him in her arms.

"Have I been wrong?" he asked.

"Did you read the letters to Genevieve from her husband?"

"I did."

"Genevieve was my aunt."

"Oh, heavens!"

He trembled, and Genevieve, realizing that as an invalid he should be comforted, begged him to forget his blunder, that they had many years before them.

He had wealth enough to take measures to obliterate so far as it could be obliterated the terrible mistake he had made. On his recovery they went on a long wedding trip, with a view to mingling in new scenes by which to drive their mishap from their minds. In time they returned and lived in the house the wife had inherited from her aunt and which Genevieve had intended as a surprise for her lover when he had proposed to begin life in a couple of rooms.

POLICE POUNCE UPON FALZONE

They Prevent Him From Using Gun When Arrested

WANTED IN ALBERTSON CASE

Alleged to Be One of Slayers of Jeweler Whose Mutilated Remains Were Found In Shack and Who Had Been Robbed of Large Amount of Jewelry and Money

Fitchburg, Mass., Jan. 6.—Blazio Falzone, said to be the occupant of the shack in Wakefield where Maurice Albertson, a Lawrence jeweler, was murdered and robbed, Dec. 20, was arrested here in connection with the crime.

Police Inspector Flaherty and State Police Officer Eustace made the arrest near the office of Angelo Seretto, an Italian banker, in the Italian quarter.

A self-addressed envelope which Falzone sent to a friend in Wakefield brought the officers here to look for him and caused them to watch Seretto's place of business.

They saw Falzone walking toward Seretto's office. Eustace approached him from one direction and Flaherty from the other. Falzone, as soon as he saw the officers, put one hand in his overcoat pocket and started to take out a revolver. Eustace jumped on him and wrenched it away.

According to the police, it was fully loaded. The officers took Falzone to the station, where it was found he was wearing a diamond ring, a diamond scarf pin, a gold watch and chain and a gold watch case which are believed to have belonged to Albertson.

The arrest caused considerable excitement in the district and a crowd of Italians gathered. Fearing a riot, reserves were called out. Eustace and Flaherty left for Wakefield with their prisoner.

It is believed Falzone has been hiding here for more than a week. He has two aliases, it is said, Vilase Biazio and Vilase Falzone. According to members of the local Italian colony, he said he came from New York. Seretto, the banker, tried to bail the prisoner out after his arrest, saying he did not know of what crime he is suspected.

Local police officers searched houses in the Italian colony looking for Falzone's room, in the hope of finding some of the jewelry he is suspected of having taken from Albertson. So far they have been unsuccessful.

Luigi Grassadonia and Ignatzio Morella, both arrested in connection with the murder, are still being held as accessories before the fact.

ADMITS MURDER OF WIFE

Testimony of Chemist Leads Comery to Confess to Police

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 6.—Oscar J. Comery, 25, held on suspicion of having caused the death of his wife, Nov. 29, made a complete confession of guilt to Chief of Police Healy.

Comery was arraigned on a murder charge, and entered a plea of not guilty. He waived examination, and was remanded to the Hillsboro county jail to await grand jury action.

After his not guilty plea had been recorded, the police offered the report of State Chemist Howard, which showed that the stomach of the dead woman was reeking with strychnine. Then Comery broke down. Ten minutes after he was led back to his cell he sent for the chief and confessed.

The motive for the crime is believed to be Comery's alleged relations with a 16-year-old girl, according to the police.

BEECKMAN FOR SUFFRAGE

Thinks Women Should Have Right to Vote For President

Providence, Jan. 6.—In his inaugural address Governor Beeckman urged the granting of the right to vote for president to Rhode Island women.

The governor hit at extravagance in all state expenditures and advocated great economy. He urged that the people be allowed to vote on a constitutional amendment which would abolish the property qualification for voters.

The governor asked a revision of the criminal laws of the state and favored a parole system for prisoners and the creation of an improved juvenile court system.

HAD $25,000 IN BANKS

Aged Hermit Is Burned to Death in Little Hut at Worcester

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 6.—That the Midas of the twentieth century prefers the savings bank to gold was apparent from the discovery that the supposed golden horde of George A. Hayes, the aged hermit, who was burned to death in his little hut at Dungarven hill, did not exist, apparently.

It was found that Hayes had instead secretly placed deposits estimated to total $25,000 in five different banks.

Wage Dividend For Three Thousand

Holyoke, Mass., Jan. 6.—The Farr Alpaca company paid its employes their first annual wage dividend of 8 percent. A total of nearly $200,000 was paid out to the 3000 employes.

BIG GERMAN SHELLS.

Missiles Found on Coast at Hartlepool, England, After German Bombardment.



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These shells show that the German ships which bombarded the British coast were large battleships. Two of the projectiles are of the twelve inch variety and stand two feet eight inches high.

PANAMA CANAL SLIDES

Prevent Goethals From Guaranteeing Passage For Warships

Washington, Jan. 6.—Secretary Garrison told President Wilson and the cabinet of Colonel Goethal's report that he could not guarantee the passage of battleships through the Panama canal at the formal opening in March because of slides.

Though the great earth slides at Cucuracha apparently have been conquered, according to Goethals' report, the earth movements continue in the neighborhood of Goldhill. At that point, the superincumbent masses of earth on the side of the canal, by their great pressure, are forcing rock and soil in great quantities into the canal prism.

The movement is sufficiently extensive to require the continuous employment of dredges to maintain the channel.

INTENDS TO FORCE SHIP LEGISLATION

President Will Call an Extra Session If Necessary

Washington, Jan. 6.—The government ship purchase bill must be written into the statute books, according to President Wilson's own mandate. While professing confidence that this measure will succeed, he indicated that an extra session for its consideration will be called if congress does not bow to his wish.

He told callers that it is absolutely imperative for the government to have more shipping facilities. And while he held that other measures would not necessitate a special session, he plainly and flatly showed that his mind is set on what he has termed the "single track" for passage of this particular bill.

Rural credits, too, may crowd into the legislative program. The president insisted that nobody is thinking of an extra session to consider this proposition, but he apparently was wavering in his intention not to slate this bill at this session.

COURSE IN MOTHERHOOD

Pittsburg University to Take Up Problem of Child Training

Pittsburg, Jan. 6.—A course in motherhood, the purpose of which will be to make a scientific study of the problems related to the home, care and training of children, is to be opened at the University of Pittsburg. Periods of infancy and childhood will be considered by means of lectures and readings.

The course, which will be open to the mothers of Pittsburg, will be under the direction of Dean Chambers and Mrs. Alice C. Sies, assistant professor in charge of the department of childhood of the school.

Mrs. Folsom Asks Divorce

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 6.—Absolute divorce and the custody of their two children is asked for in the application filed at Exeter of Jane L. D. Folsom, wife of Harold M. Folsom, the deposed Episcopal clergyman.

Hassan Charged With Murder

Biddeford, Me., Jan. 6.—Youssan Hassan, who is alleged to have shot Napoleon Henry when the latter sought to take possession of a store occupied by Hassan, was arrested on a charge of murder.

Fatal Bout on Battleship

New York, Jan. 6.—Edward C. Ott, an ordinary seaman on the battleship Florida, now at New York navy yard, was killed in a friendly boxing bout on board that vessel.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

LAND COURT.

To Esther M. Stuart, John Stuart and the Wollaston Yacht Club Building Company, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Harry S. Huckins of Plymouth, in the State of New Hampshire; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Fred W. Wood, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth, Trustee under a certain written instrument dated June 27, 1914, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1285, Page 121, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—

Northeasterly by Quincy Shore Reservation one hundred six and 19-100 (106.19) feet; Easterly by the curved corner of said Reservation and Vassall Street, seventeen and 87-100 (17.87) feet; Southeasterly by said Vassall Street seventy-seven and 46-100 (77.46) feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Esther M. Stuart one hundred sixteen (116) feet; and Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Harry S. Huckins sixty-five and 4-100 (65.04) feet. Containing 8937 square feet of land, more or less.

Petitioner claims as appurtenant to the above described land rights of way over said streets.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twenty-fifth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year nineteen hundred and fourteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

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(Seal)

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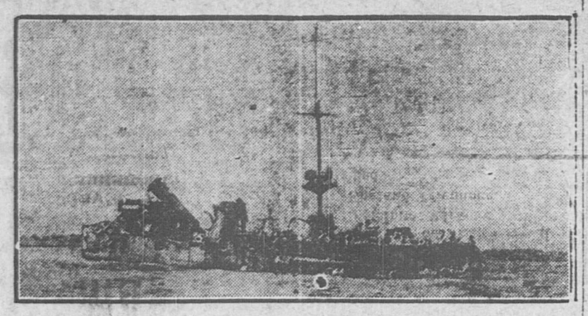
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SIX PERSONS ARE INJURED IN PANIC

Flashback on East Weymouth Car Causes Stampede for Door

Among Those Hurt are Four Residents of Quincy

A "flashback" of the controller on an East Weymouth car precipitated a panic Tuesday night and six persons were hurt in the mad dash of the passengers to the street. The blow-out occurred at 11 o'clock opposite Bent place. Joseph Flynn, the motorman, although receiving a shock from the current, stuck to his post and was uninjured.

The injured:

Mrs. Thomas L. Connelley, 277 Whitwell street, Quincy, cut on face, bruises, severe shaking up and nervous shock.

Antonio Burni, Winter street, East Boston, scalp wounds, shaking up.

Angelo D'Angelis, 37 Sumner street East Boston, right leg sprained shaking up.

Mrs. Etta Langtry, 24 Foster street, Quincy, right arm sprained and bruises.

Mrs. A. Severeli, Farrington street, Wollaston, bruises and nervous shock

Pasquale D'Augustina, 101 Beale street, Wollaston, cut on head, cut on left eye, numerous abrasions and contusions.

All of the injured were sent to their home by the railway officials after treatment by Dr. Sydney Hardwick.

The stampede started with the flashback of the controller. All the passengers rushed for the rear door and the first one out fell in the street and the others in their hurry landed on top of him. One Italian, frightened beyond description, attempted to dive through the window.

The flames did but little damage to the car, a slight hole in the roof being the only evidence the incident had occasioned.

Officials of the company say none would have been injured had all kept their seats.

HOME RULE FOR CITIES

(Continued from Page One.)

people for the appropriation and expenditure of their money and his presence on the school committee will enable the voting members thereof to secure firsthand information regarding city finances. This will also tend to eliminate friction between the school committees and executive officers.

"The committee is very strongly in favor of prohibiting officials whose holdings in a contracting concern are in excess of five percent from doing any official act on behalf of the city in reference thereto. The Committee is also very strongly in favor of publicity in the matter of contracts and his provided in this report that all contracts for the purpose of apparatus, supplies, or materials the estimated cost of which is two hundred dollars or more must be advertised for at least two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published within the city."

The committee is not in favor, so it is stated, of giving to local communities the authority to change assessing departments in any way without legislative sanction and for that reason makes no recommendation looking to changes in that branch of city government.

Regarding the taking of land for municipal purposes, the report says, "For the purpose of preventing collusion in the purchase of land for municipal purposes, the committee recommends that whenever the price proposed to be paid is more than twenty-five percent higher than the average assessed valuation during the previous three years, the land must be taken by right of eminent domain and paid for in the manner provided for highway takings."

In the legislation proposed by the committee, provision is made that every city adopting the act may consolidate, abolish, rearrange or establish new departments by ordinance.

The first choice of a majority of the committeemen is "Plan A," or the "responsible executive" with a city council of nine elected at large for a period of two years.

It is stated in the report that while the report is based on the assumption that the principle of "home rule" for cities is sound, the committee is unwilling to record itself in favor of giving to any city absolute and complete authority to determine for itself all the questions which arise in connection with the administration of its affairs.

BETHANY WOMEN'S UNION.

An all day meeting was held today by the Bethany Women's Union. The members of the union met this morning shortly after 10 o'clock and devoted the morning hours to sewing. At noon a lunch was served in the dining room. The program for the afternoon included devotional exercises led by Mrs. Charles W. Miller. Music under the direction of Mrs. Emma S. Moore and an address by Miss Miriam L. Woodbury.

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CONFERENCE OF CITY OFFICIALS

Mayor Calls His Department Heads to Informal Gathering

His Honor Refuses to Intimate Who His Appointees Will be

All of the department officials were summoned before Mayor Campbell this morning for a conference. It was the first time that his honor had met them officially and the meeting this morning was largely that they might get better acquainted.

He told the officials that it was not his desire to go over their heads but that he wanted to get a line on the nature of the work each department was doing in order that there might be a better understanding between the executive and officials and thereby create more efficiency The mayor intends later to hold consultations with the different department officials separately.

The mayor had the usual number of callers this morning and he was busy all of the forenoon receiving visitors.

He stated when asked if he was importuned by office seekers that while of course he had received a number of applications for positions, he had not received as many as he had expected and there had not been so much wire pulling as he had been led to believe there would be.

When asked about his appointments his honor smiled and said that he understood the custom had been to announce them at the last meeting in January of the city council and that he should probably follow that custom. He gave no intimation, however, upon whose shoulders the mantles would fall.

There have been the usual number of rumors as to appointments but it is safe to say that all are guesses for the mayor has given no intimation as to whom he will appoint. There seems to be a general feeling that there will not be as many radical changes as have characterized the advent of a new mayor in other years.

It is the general opinion that there will be an entire new board of assessors, although the term of but one of the present board expires this year, that of Charles R. Sherman.

There are rumors about city hall that the mayor has in mind the consolidation of the offices of the board of health and overseer of the poor. The mayor however has nothing to say on the matter.

BRIEFS

The Granite City Club holds its weekly whist tournament tonight.

Col. Henry L. Kincaide returned from his New York business trip this morning.

The sleighing party to have been held Tuesday evening by the young people of Atlantic was called off for an obvious reason.

Frank Haywood of East Braintree leaves today for Florida where he will remain the balance of the winter season.

The meeting of the Quincy Board of Trade which usually falls on the first Wednesday of the month comes the second Wednesday in the month of January. It will be the annual meeting.

The winners at the matinee whist of Mrs. Sarah C. Williams in Protection hall Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. Mabel M. Perkins, Mrs. J. Keniley, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. eLttie Lewis, Mrs. Beatrice Walsh and Mrs. J. E. Poland.

AN UNFOUNDED REPORT.

An unfounded rumor is circulating to the effect that members of the Ledger's reportorial staff will pass on the character of the applicants for the machine gun company.

No such arrangements exists. The Ledger will continue, however to distribute application blanks to young men who wish to join the company, as it has since its pages contained the first announcement of the Quincy company.

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MARRIAGES.

BROWN—BATES—In Reading, Dec 31, by Rev. Joseph E. Waterhouse (Harry Moulton Brown and Elizabeth Lois Metherall Bates, both of Wollaston.

DEATHS

GILBERT—Suddenly, in Wollaston, Jan. 6, John Gilbert of 124 Elm avenue, in his 75th year.

DUNHAM—In Quincy, Jan. 5, Walter Edward Dunham beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Dunham of 19 Granite street, aged 2 days.

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Sentinella Interna—Luigi Sandonati
Sentinella Esterna—Domenico Bolea.

MRS. ANNIE M. CHICK.

Annie M. Chick, many years a member of Maple lodge K. L. of H., died at her home at 32 Newcomb place Tuesday after a short illness.

Mrs. Chick was the widow of Orrin D. Chick and was well known in this city. She was the mother of Edith and Maude Chick who some years ago married brothers, Thomas and William Duff of New York. Mrs. Thomas Duff has been living here since the death of her husband and her married sister makes her home in New York. Another sister, Elziabeth, lives in Quincy.

Mrs. Chick would have rounded out her 20th year of membership in Maple lodge next month.

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DEPUTY BAMFORD RESIGNS.

John A. Bamford, who has been prominent in Knights of Malta circles in Quincy and Boston, has resigned from the deputyship of Mt. Herman commandery of Whiton. Mr. Bamford tendered his resignation Tuesday to the grand council because of the ill health of Mrs. Bamford.

GETS SKATING POND.

In compliance with a request from the residents of the Montclaqir district that a meadow near Montclair school be flooded for skating. The mayor through Commissioner Brown has made the necessary arrangements to flood the meadow which will be done immediately.

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Cod Steak	2 lbs. for **25c**
Fresh Flounders	3 lbs. for **25c**
Oysters (large size and solid)	**40c** qt.
Fresh Herring	4 for **10c**
Labrador Salt Herring	3 for **10c**
Smoked Bloaters	3 for **10c**
Finnan Haddies	**12c** lb.
Salt Cod Fish (broken)	**10c** lb.
Salt Mackerel (extra large and fancy)	**15c each**
Salt Mackerel (small size)	**5c each**
Tuna Fish (large can) 25c value	**22c can**
Red Alaska Salmon, 20c value	**15c can**
Crab Meat (fancy quality) large can	**25c**
Lobsters (large can)	**38c**

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TOMATOES			
R. & R. very finest pack	**15c**	"	**1.55 doz**
Honest Pack from Braintree	**12 ½c**	"	**1.35 doz**
Moon Brand a big value	**10c**	"	**1.10 doz**
BEANS			
Cut Green	**12c**	"	**1.25 doz**
Limas	**15c**	"	**1.50 doz**
Succatosh	**15c**	"	**1.50 doz**
Red Kidney	**10c**	"	**1.10 doz**
BEETS			
Matchless tiny blood red	**15c**	"	**1.65 doz**
Hatchet, Baby size, large can	**18c**	"	**1.95 doz**
SQUASH			
Choice Marrow	**12 ½c**	"	**1.40 doz**
SPINACH			
Hatchet, clean and fine quality	**15c**	"	**1.60 doz**
SAUR KRAUT			
Veri-best, large can and good	**10c**	"	**1.10 doz**
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LARGE AUDIENCE AT INSTALLATION

Sons of Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary Hold Impressive Ceremony

A large audience witnessed the joint installation of the newly elected officers of the Sons of Veterans ladies' auxiliary and Col. Abner B. Packard, camp Sons of Veterans, at Faxon hall Wednesday evening. That part of the floor space nearest the platform was set as a lodge room, the platform being occupied by White's orchestra, which furnished music during the early part of the evening and during the installation ceremony as well as for dancing which closed the evening.

In the audience, aside from many visitors from the Auxiliary and Sons of Veterans camp from East Weymouth, were many veterans of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., including Commander Chauncey M. Marston and Past Commander George L. Phillips.

The installation of the officers of the Auxiliary was the first to be held, the work being performed by Mrs. Estelle Richards of East Weymouth who was asisted by Mrs. Mabel Cowing as guide, Mrs. Fannie Smith as assistant guide and Mrs. Mabel Vogele as pianist. The officers installed were:

President—Mrs. Ethel French.
Vice President—Mrs. Idella Savage.
Secretary—Mrs. Mildred Dexheimer
Treasurer—Mrs. Minnie Glover.
Patriotic Instructor—Mrs. Cora Johnson.
Past President—Mrs. Alice McNeil.
Chaplain—Mrs. Annie E. Merritt.
Guide—Mrs. Emma Stoddard.
Assistant Guide—Mrs. Delphine Kidder.
Color Guards—Mrs. Luella Thayer and Mrs. Emeline Phillips.
Inside Guard—Mrs. George E. Strattard.
Outside Guard—Mrs. Etta Larkin.
Judge Advocate—Edward P. Prouty
Press correspondent—Mrs. Emma Blagdon.
Trustees—Mrs. Alice McNeil Cora Johnson and Mrs. Delphine Kidder.

The work of installation was performed in a most excellent manner and at its conclusion the installing officer and her assistants were presented with souvenirs that ta Mrs. Richards being a fancy pin cushion and to the others boxes of confectionery.

The officers of the auxiliary made a fine appearance. All were gowned in immaculate white, while over the shoulder was the sash of red, white and blue.

The installation of the officers of Col. Abner B. Packard Camp Sons of Veterans immediately followed the work being performed by Frank H. White of Dorchester, past senior division commander, who was assisted by Co. A. of the Sons of Veterans Reserves, under the command of Capt. Frank M. Chubbuck, who acted as color guards.

The officers installed were as follows:

Commander—William R. French.
Senior Vice Commander—Walter M. Packard.
Junior Vice Commander—Lester A. Porter.
Treasurer—Charles Strattard.
Secretary—William Talbot.
Patriotic Instructor—T. L. D. Gurney.
Chaplain—Samuel D. DeForest, Jr.
Musician—I. C. McNeil
Inside Guard—A. S. French
Outside Guard—George Strattard.
Guide—Fred Foley.
Color Guard—Albert Farnham.
Council—Edward P. Prouty, Frank M. Chubbuck and Samuel D. DeForest Jr.

A pleasing event took place immediately following the installation, which was the presentation to Edward P. Prouty, the retiring commander, of a handsome sword, in appreciation of his efficient work in behalf of the camp during the past year.

Light refreshments were then served, the evening closing with dancing until midnight

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Friday fair and cooler.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.29
Length of day	9.16
Moon rises	12.00
High water, A. M.	4.00
High water, P. M.	4.15
Days increase	0 hrs. 10 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	60 degrees
Jan. 7, 1914,	38 degrees
Jan. 7, 1913,	48 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Among the many Alumni of the State Normal school at Bridgewater, interested in the celebration of the 75th anniversary of the founding of the institution on June 19 are many Quincy girls.

The observances will begin on the evening of June 18 with a reception at which the members of the school will entertain the returning graduates.

On the following day the forenoon will be devoted to class reunions until 10.30, when the formal exercises will be held in a tent upon the campus. The historical oration will be delivered by Dr. George H. Martin, and among the other speakers will be Dr. David Felmley, president of the Illinois State Normal College and Dr. John W. Cook, the Dekalb school in Illinois.

After these exercises an informal luncheon will be served in the gymnasium, and in the afternoon there will be presented a historical pageant in which the students of the school and of the training school will take part.

In connection with the celebration an historical book will be published under the title, "Who's Who and What's What?" It is intended that this shall be a full record of the Bridgewater school and its graduates.

ELECTS OFFICERS.

The Quincy Adams Social club held its annual election of officers Tuesday evening and the following were elected for the ensuing year: President Harry Brown; Vice President, Eben Kerr; Secretary, Charles F. Neagle; Treasurer, Theodore Muer. A vote of thanks was given to the retiring officers for their good work of the past year. The entertainment committee reported that the tickets were on sale for the Fourth Annual dance of the club. This committee is in charge of Harry Brown assisted by Daniel Kenily, Eben Kerr, and Thomas Curry.

PLAN SECOND GRAND DANCE.

The Franklin Associates will hold their second grand dance, Monday evening, Feb. 8, at Alpha hall. The feature of the evening will be an exhibition of modern and society dancing by Paul Franzi and Miss Ethel Vanderstreet.

Mrs. John J. Crain, of Waterford, Conn., formerly of Quincy, is in town for a few days the guest of friends. Mrs. Crain came up from Connecticut to attend the "Revels," under the impression that they were to be held this week. Finding that they were not until next week she decided to remain over and renew acquaintances.

AVE MARIA HAS LADIES NIGHT

Guests Pass Enjoyable Evening With Games and Dancing

Ave Maria Council, Knights of Columbus, held its Ladies Night Wednesday night. The entire St. Mary's hall was engaged for the purpose and the guests passed the evening, bowling, playing pool and billiards and dancing.

The attendance was good, all arriving early and staying late. The music for dancing was furnished by Hamilton's orchestra and a buffet luncheon was served by Burleigh & Martin of this city.

The affair was in charge of a committee; Charles Buckley, Edward Monahan, Owen O'Toole, Charles Reardon.

MAPLE LODGE INSTALLATION

Pass Resolution on Death of Mrs. Annie M. Chick

Maple lodge, K. L. of H., installed its officers, initiated three candidates voted four in to membership and received a visitation from grand officers in Protection hall Wednesday evening The attendance was large and at the close all joined in the social hour, during which refreshments were served under the direction of Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.

The officers were installed by District Deputy Grand Protector, Mrs. Carrie Prescott of Somerville. Her suite included Grand Guide C. W. Prescott, Grand Chaplain, Mrs. L. A. E. Harding, Grand Past Protector, Mrs. C. J. McHugh, Grand Vice Protector, Mrs. Thomas Gard and Grand Sentinel Mrs. Mary Hall.

The regular meeting followed the installation at which a committee was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Annie M. Chick, for 20 years a member.

The officers installed were:

Past Protector—Mrs. Sarah C. Williams.
Protector—Mrs. Annie G. Grignon.
Vice Protector—Mrs. Bertha McCurdy.
Chaplain—Mrs. Electa E. Field.
Secretary—Mrs. Agnes G. Fletcher
Treasurer—Mrs. Alberta Hewson.
Guide—J. Irving Fletcher.
Guard—Mrs. Margaret Webster.
Sentinel—Miss Alice E. Caldwell.
Trustees—Mrs. Rose Reed, Mrs. Elizabeth Murray, Mrs. Mary Power.
Representatives—Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield, Mrs. Sarah C. Williams.
Alternates—Mrs. Rose Reed, Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.

PASSES THROUGH CITY.

Weymouth's New Fire Auto Now In Commission.

The triple combination for the South Weymouth fire department passed through the city today and was placed in commission this afternoon. The machine is a duplicate of the one now in use at East Weymouth

The motorizing of the fire department of that town was ordered at a town meeting shortly after the fire which destroyed a business section in East Weymouth. An appropriation of $24,000 was made for this purpose.

The machine is a 60 H. P. Knox and is guaranteed to pump 600 gallons a minute. In test it has pumped 750 gallons, 10 more than its sister combination. An experienced operator was in charge of the machine when it passed through City Square this morning and he will remain in Weymouth for two weeks instructing the men.

A reception will be tendered the teachers of the public schools at the Women's club house this evening. The reception is in charge of the Educational committee of which Mrs. Jethro R. Mellen is chairman.

HIGH SCHOOL NOT IN SAME CLASS

Wellesley Easily Defeats Quincy Team

Quincy High lost its first game in the senior interscholastic league to Wellesley high in the high school gym Wednesday afternoon by a score of 19 to 11 and the local second team beat the visitors second in the junior interscholastic league, 19 to 8.

Superior passing by the visitor's seniors, lack of team work and indecisive passing by Quincy brought about the score. The second local combination easily outplayed their opponents.

Wellesley seniors were penalized 11 times, some of the players exhibiting an almost complete lack of a knowledge of rules at times. Quincy's infractions resulted in six free tries.

Coady, whose work as referee last season was so commendable, directed the contest. He presided with usual firmness and decision, giving his findings without any hesitation or partiality.

Two of his rulings were a surprise to the fans, the first, when he did not allow a foul scored by Wellesley because a visitor was inside the circle and his second was his non-allowance of a basket by Wellesley because a man ran up the side of the wall before tossing the ball into the net.

Coady was busy avoiding the jams of players which formed when Quincy made a futile effort to develop a defense. This frequent attempt had no effect on the team play of Wellesley.

The first point of the season was secured by Captain Crocker on a free try. Hamlin shot the first goal from the floor. He also made the feature shot of the game.

The game was witnessed by a good crowd of students and they indulged in the regular cheers. The summaries:

SENIOR LEAGUE.

WELLESLEY	QUINCY
Delany lf	rb Hamlin
Stover, lf	lb, Beaton
Keefe, rf	
Finnerty, c	c, Davis
Kuhlewein lb	rf, Brown
	rf, Barstow
Curry, rb	lf, Crocker

Score Wellesley *19, Quincy 11. *One point for interference. Goals from floor, Keefe, Delany 2, Stover, Curry 2, Kuhlewein, Hamlin 2, Beaton Goals from fouls, Kuhlewein 4, Crocker 4, Davis. Referee, Coady. Timer, Jepson. Time 15 and 2-10m periods.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

QUINCY 2d	WELLESLEY 2d
Welsford lf	rb, Hatch
Baker, rf	lb, Walker
	lb, Gleason
Favreau, c	c, Coolidge
Prout, lb	rf, McCabe
Rasmussen, rb	
Morrison, rb	lb, Rourke

Score, Quincy 2d 19, Wellesley 2d 8. Goals from floor, Welsford 3, Baker 2 Favreau 2, Morrison, Rourke 2, Coolidge, Walker.

Goals from fouls, Welsford 2, Baker Referee, Thompson. Timer, Jepson. Time 15 and 2-10m periods.

NOTES ON THE GAME.

"Buffalo Bill" Coady established a precedent when he ruled against basket scored off the wall of the High school gym. That feat has been allowed since the gym was made part of the school.

Rob Davis, centre Wednesday in place of Link Crosscup who is ill, is one of the lightest men in the game. This prevents him being a strong defense man but as an offensive player he will round into fine shape.

Lawrence Beaton has made his debut in big league ball and tumbled about in fine style. A commendable trait was that he followed the ball, overcoming whatever objects were in his way through good headwork.

Capt. Crocker who made the first point of the season on a free try acts at times as though his knee has not yet recovered from the injury received early in the football season.

Hamlin, as strong and husky as ever did his share in the Wellesley game by getting two baskets, one of them the prettiest shot of the game.

The basket ball team of High school must develop a bit of judgment, short passes to a man directly in front demands the attention of two men with the usual result. No effort at real team work is yet noticeable, when Quincy got a passing streak Wednesday it surprised them as much as the fans.

Betted lighting will be necessary in the gym if all the games are to be finished after 5.30.

Kuhlewein of Wellesley is a star performer. He says he is of German origin but as he is occupied in the fight for first place in the interscholastic league he hasn't figured out the allies cause in the European war as yet.

Hatch on the visiting second team, is a veteran of last years senior quintette. Several months ago he suffered a fracture of the arm but it is gradually working out. Hatch reminds one of Bernie Boyle, only he isn't so clever.

WILL MAKE NO APPOINTMENTS TO PAY OFF POLITICAL DEBTS

Mayor Campbell Emphatic In Declaration That Politics Will Play No Part

Reiterates Statement That Honest and Efficient Employees Need Have no Fear

"I shall make absolutely no appointments for political purposes or to pay political debts. It would be a very easy matter for me to turn out some official to make a place for some person who had materially assisted me in my election, or to appoint some friend of one of my assistants to a position, but I shall make no appointments for political purposes or to pay political debts."

This was the straightforward reply made by Mayor Campbell in reply to a question as to his appointments, Continuing along the same line the Mayor said: "There will be no clean sweep of city hall. There will doubtless be some changes. I have repeatedly stated that if the head of a department was efficient he will be retained. What I intend to do is to take up each department, separately, and look into the efficiency of the official. If I find that he is efficient, or can be made so with the proper backing, then he will be retained. If a large business house had a foreman who was an efficient man, it would not think of putting him out when the first of January came around. If he was efficient the house would naturally desire to retain the man in its employ. That is precisely the line I intend to follow."

"Another thing I want to mention" said the Mayor, "is that not one of the present officials has asked me to retain him in office.

The statement of the Mayor in regard to appointments will doubtless cause some of the officials to breathe easier. It is also a warning to political heelers to keep their hands off

It takes a man with considerable courage to carry out this policy but, Mayor Campbell is regarded as a man of courage and it is believed he will not fail to do so.

Another matter about which the mayor spoke was in the nature of a complaint against the delay in delivery of his mail. Two important personal letters were mailed by one of the clerks in his Boston office at the Essex street station at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, directed to him at city hall, but up to 10.30 this morning they had not arrived.

The mayor decided to have a test letter sent to him at city hall just to see how long it would take for it to arrive. To carry out this test he immediately called his Boston office and told his chief clerk to mail a letter at the Essex street station this morning and mark on the back of it the time at which it was mailed. Note will be made of the time of its arrival at city hall.

The delay is probably on the Boston end for mail for city hall when it arrives in Quincy is placed in the city hall box which the city messenger collects every hour throughout the day.

LIGHT CIGARS BY ELECTRICITY

Fore River Warns Employees Against Practice

Starting an arc on an electrical switch for the purpose of lighting up a pipe, cigar or cigarette means the starting of an accident and it is one of the dangerous practices the National Safety Council is trying to discourage.

A bulletin of the council states that a smoker, not having any matches and not wanting to bother to get any, obtained a piece of paper and took hold of the handle of the switch, and in attempting to set the switch so that an arc would be formed a flash occurred which badly burned his face and hands.

The practice has been a general one on switchboards in Quincy but fortunately, accidents have not resulted. The first one to take up the fight against it was the Illinois Steel Co. after many of its employees had suffered intense pain through the experiment.

The Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation has posted a bulletin as a warning to employees.

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MARY STITT IS SAFE IN QUINCY

Crossed Ocean From Liverpool All Alone

Little Mary E. Stitt, who arrived at New York Monday on the White Star liner Arabic, after a 3200 mile trip from Liverpool, Eng., is at the home of her uncle, Robert E. Stitt of Wharf street, Quincy Point and happy and contented.

Little Mary's father saw the brother of her new guardian and on his death ward was sent to England that a good home awaited her at Quincy Point. Mary was put aboard the Arabic and was the pet of all on the voyage.

Proper papers had to be presented before "Uncle Rob" as she calls him was given permission to take her in charge but all requirements were met and uncle and niece took the midnight train and reached Boston Wednesday morning.

She reached her new home before noon and found a warm welcome awaiting her. She is a bright-eyed vivacious girl and her dearest wish is that her foster parents will permit her to attend school. They have arranged for her entrance into the Washington school.

SQUANTUM WOMEN'S CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Squantum Women's club was held at the apartment of Mrs. S. H. Adams Ashburton place, Boston. The president Mrs. Hiram Morse, presiding. After the business meeting the hostess served a charming lunch. Among those present were: Mrs. Matthew McGrain, Mrs. Helen McGowan, Mrs. May Duff, Mrs. William Reed, Mrs. Gustav Wunderlich, Mrs. Charles Bostwick Mrs. James Foster Mrs. Sturgis Wood Mrs. William Donovan, Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. C. F. Westlake, Mrs. Hiram Morse.

FORE RIVER LODGE.

H. J. Wenzel of Cambridge, provincial corresponding secretary of the I. O. O. F. & M. U., is expected as the guest of Fore River lodge at its meeting in Protection hall Friday evening. The annual election will also be held.

PLAY GAMES IN INFANTS CLOTHES

Young Women's Club Holds Baby Party

The Quincy Young Women's club held its "Baby Party" in the High school gym Wednesday evening with a large attendance. All present were in baby costume. The program included the games of childhood after which there was general dancing. Among those present was Miss Minnie Packard, president, who came from Lexington, and Mrs. George E. Pfaffman of the Quincy Women's club who takes a deep interest in the junior club affairs.

CARMEN TO INSTALL JAN. 6.

President William H. Gould of the Quincy branch of the Street and Electric Car Employees of Quincy, Braintree and Weymouth installed the officers of the Dedham and Hyde Park local at Dedham Wednesday evening.

Percy Chamberlain, installed as president, will install President Gould and the local officers in this city on Jan. 11.

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HOME RULE IN CITIES.

The report of the legislature recess committee on city laws and charters, which was printed at length in Wednesday's Ledger, is an important document. It should be enacted into law. All citizens of Quincy should read the report and reflect upon the principle it enunciates so that they may apprise their representatives in the state legislature of their sentiments on the question.

In essence the report of the committee is an endorsement of the principle of home rule in cities, a principle which has practically the unanimous approval of writers on municipal problems.

Just what does home rule in cities mean?

A city is a corporation exercising certain functions granted to it in a charter by the state legislature. The charter of the city of Quincy is very different from that of Boston. Both were granted by a special act of the legislature. All of the powers which a municipal corporation as such enjoys come to it by legislative grant. If a city desires another power it must go to the legislature and petition for a special statute granting it. If a city is laboring under a certain restriction imposed by its charter it must go to the legislature to have that restriction removed by special legislation.

The result is much running to the legislature for special laws which are of no importance outside of the city asking for them. This is neither beneficial to the city nor to the legislature.

The city under such a system suffers from a lack of responsibility essential to true growth of any individual or community. It permits an influential body of men to impose upon their city through political wire-pulling, a burden which the majority of the voters do not wish to assume.

It is true that the Massachusetts legislature has always given the voters of the city affected the right to have their say. But the legislature is not bound by law to do so. The voters of Boston a few years ago had the right to express their opinion upon special legislation which gave the city a new charter, but their expression of sentiment was restricted: they had to choose between two charters, in neither of which had the voters as a whole any part in framing. That the new charter has worked well in Boston does disprove the fact that the whole affair was radically wrong

Quincy has elected in no uncertain way a new mayor for the term of one year. The legislature if it felt disposed could frame a new charter for Quincy and legislate Mr. Campbell out of office without regard to the voters. This is neither democratic nor good sense.

The system, on the other hand, works against the efficiency of the legislature. A vast amount of time is taken by every legislature in considering and passing special laws affecting individual cities, time which is practically wasted because the men on Beacon hill are not familiar with the local needs of any particular community. And it invites log-rolling.

The report of the recess committee would not alter the position of the city as a legal person of the state. It would merely substitute for special laws governing cities general laws governing cities.

The report recommends four general plans for city charters. Any one of these may be adopted as the charter of any Massachusetts city by vote of the citys electorate. The charter thus chosen would constitute the framework of the citys government. The working out of the details would be left to the city legislature, where it properly belongs.

Of all experiments in democratic government that of the city has been the least successful. The American city is notoriously ill-managed. The weakest part of the city government has been the deliberative branch, the city council.

This has been conspicuously true in Quincy. Here we have had great difficulty in persuading successful business men to run for the office of councilman, and one of the reasons has been that the council has had too little power, that it has not had sufficient responsibility.

There are other reasons for the failure of city government in America which will be noted from time to time but one of the greatest has been the absence of home rule.

THE GERMAN SOLDIERS.

"The German military machine certainly has not the prestige today that it had on the first of August," Boston Transcript.

Is this true? Has the Transcript forgotten the opinion, frequently expressed, that the German army was overtrained, that the Kaiser's highly drilled soldiers could not successfully contend against the resourcefulness of, for example, the soldiers of France? It may well be that the German machine has not the prestige it acquired during the march on Paris, but whether we happen to sympathize with the Germans or not we must admit that they have demonstrated themselves to be excellent soldiers.

THE AGE OF NEWS NOT VIEWS.

This is the age of news not views. The modern newspaper must make its appeal through its news columns rather than through its editorials. People will no longer take their opinions cut and dried. They wish the facts brought to their attention in as interesting a manner as possible. The editorial has its place, but it is not the place it occupied in the days of Horace Greeley. An editorial to be convincing must take as the basis for logical argument facts which are admitted to be true. If it does not it may be admired for its form but it will be without perceptible influence.

Why not be generous and loan Patrolman Doran to the Malden police for a few days. "Dan" ought to be able to stop those holdups there.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

DEMAND OF WAGE EARNER.

Editor, The Ledger,

What is the demand? It is that the Community shall guarantee to the men and women who perform services essential to the existance or happiness of the Community a reasonably comfortable and civilized livelihood, a decent minimum of food and clothing, leisure and recreation and homes fit for human beings.

Democracy must be its own emancipator, but Institutions like the Church Law Making Bodies and the Press and even the Rich have to make up their minds as to what shall be their attitude towards it. They must decide for themselves whether the demands of the workers for a fairer share of the good things of life is Just or Unjust. The working classes have already made up their minds; they are convinced that their demands are Just and with a highly intelligent vigorcus working class; stung by a sense of Injustice the future of this Country will be full of danger. The stupid attitude of hostility or superior patronage which has been adopted towards the working classes in the past by powerful elements in Society, viz: Church, all the big and little officials together with their parasites the professional classes have helped to generate the present Revolutionary upheaval.

The worker does not want charity to redress the balance; he knows that charity robs him of his manhood; he feels that he is entitled to a mans share of the wealth he has produced and he wants it assured him, not as charity but as a citizen right.

It is the present order of Society which is upon trial. Can it do Justice to the worker? If it can, and if it does, then it will have justified its existence, but if it cannot then its ultimate doom is sealed.

The poverty at one end of the social scale will not be removed except by encroaching heavily upon the great riches at the other end. The unrest has come to stay and will not be ended by petty devices. Palliatives are no cure for Societies in Justice to the wageworker.

CHAS. W. HANSCOM.
124 Upland Road.

POSTOFFICE MISSIONS.

Mrs. Hannah T. Osgood was the speaker at the meeting of the Quincy Branch of the National Alliance in the chapel of the First Church Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Osgood's subject was "Postoffice Missions" and it was a most interesting talk. Following the address chocolate and cakes were served, the hostesses being Mrs. Wilson Marsh and Mrs. Alice Sanborn.

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MEXICAN POLICY IS DENOUNCED

Lodge Says Military Occupation May Yet Be Necessary

ANIMOSITY TOWARD HUERTA

Declared to Have Inspired Wilson's Course—Unexpected Fight at Vera Cruz Led President to Seek Shelter Under Conference Which Could Have No Definite Results

Washington, Jan. 7.—"Look at Mexico today. A chaos of fighting factions. A prey of banditti. Predatory bands riding through the country. Social organizations collapsed. Anarchy is a polite word to apply. I fear it is too late to adopt any policy with respect to Mexico except military occupation, which we all abhor."

In this fashion Senator Lodge, speaking in the senate on the item in the urgent deficiency bill appropriating $500,000 to pay for transports leased to carry troops to Vera Cruz, summed up conditions in the war-stricken republic. He spoke in scathing denunciation of the administration's course toward Mexico, which he held had been inspired chiefly by personal animosity of the administration toward Huerta and not by the principles of sound policy.

Lodge portrayed the events culminating in the Vera Cruz expedition and in the retirement of American naval vessels from Tampico, where hundreds of American refugees were protected by a German and a British cruiser. He depicted outrages to Americans and other foreigners.

Lodge emphasized that the Vera Cruz expedition had neither brought about reparation of the insult to the American flag, nor had it prevented the cargo of arms, which the administration sought to intercept, from reaching Huerta. He charged that the president had beeen misinformed to the effect that the American forces would land peacefully at Vera Cruz.

"After the bloodshed at Vera Cruz," said Lodge, "the administration was very much disturbed. It did not seem to have much stomach for the unexpected fight. It took shelter under the Niagara conference, which had no result and could have no result because the United States and Huerta sent delegates, but the other party in Mexico sent none."

Lodge said the administration seemed to have taken no thought what would happen in Mexico after Huerta went. Anybody who had read the history of Mexico could not have been surprised when Villa and Carranza turned to fighting each other, he declared, and sarcastically referred to the "high esteem" in which the administration is alleged to hold Villa.

The policy of this country, he said, was to establish peace and security for our citizens and those of other nations. That was a national policy. The business of driving Huerta from power to put someone else in his place was not a policy at all.

Lodge's speech drew a vigorous reply from Senator Stone, chairman of the committee, who branded the Massachusetts senator's attack as a purely partisan outburst.

Senator Borah joined in the discussion, and it was indicated that there would soon be a general airing of views on the Mexican situation.

END OF THE DEFIANCE

Yacht Built as America Cup Defender Is Sold For Junk

New York, Jan. 7.—Defiance, the yacht built by Boston capital as an America cup defender, has seen the end of her fitful career. Commodore Clark of the Philadelphia Corinthian Yacht club disposed of her as junk and she will be broken up mainly for the seventy tons of lead in her keel and the steel ribs in her frame.

Parts of the top hamper, her spars, and some fittings, will be turned over to men who are now rebuilding Clark's Istalena. The rest of her will go to the junkmen who bought what was left of the erratic single sticker which cost her builders about $65,000 when she was built at the Bath Iron Works. The Defiance was a failure from the beginning.

BUNKER IN THE LEAD

Deadlock In Maine Legislature Over the Secretary of State

Augusta, Me., Jan. 7.—After taking four ballots and failing to elect a secretary of state, the joint convention of the Maine legislature adjourned until today, when another effort will be made to elect that official.

The candidates for election to this office were John E. Bunker, Democrat; Joseph E. Alexander, Republican, and Roland E. Clark, Progressive. On three ballots Bunker came within two votes of receiving ninety-one votes, the number necessary for a choice, while on the other ballot he received eighty-eight, one Democrat failing to vote.

Pope Made Loan Supervisor

Boston, Jan. 7.—The executive council confirmed Governor Walsh's appointment of Frank H. Pope, retiring state auditor, to be supervisor of loan agencies in place of E. G. Brown, who was removed a few days ago.

SCISSORS AND PASTE

IMMIGRATION FALLS OFF.

There was a big falling off in immigration during the year 1914. There was a falling off of 601,410 persons through the port of New York alone. Immigration officials and representatives of the immigrant aid societies explain the decrease in immigration, aside from the war, which is the chief factor, as being due to the curtailing of work in the United States and to an effort on the part of foreign countries to restrict emmigration by providing work at home and bettering the condition of their working classes —Chelsea Record.

We often wonder what the Lord thinks of the loafers who sit around on empty store boxes criticize the weather.—Manchester Cricket.

"Day before yesterday a perfectly nice lady called us up and with tears in her voice reproved us for not mentioning the fact that she had a friend visiting her, last week," says the Mansfield News. "We told her that she did not let us know anything about it and that therefore we did not know that she had a visitor. Then she said, "Well, you should have known. I thought you were running a newspaper." Wasn't that rubbing it in? Some people think that an editor ought to be a cross between Argus and Anna Eva Fay."—Natick Bulletin.

WORK AND CRIME.

When work stops crime increases. The large number of burglaries, and the holding up of people on the streets are, in many cases, the result of so much idleness and the pinch of poverty.—Chelsea Record.

KEEPING THE BODY WELL.

The town of Milton seems to be having trouble with its drinking water and has been officially warned of its quality or inadequacy, we understand. Meantime Milton citizens gathered a week ago to consider the plans for a new municipal gymnasium to cost from $40,000 to $50,000.

Chairman Nathaniel Kidder of the park board presided and outlined the steps which already have been taken toward the erection of the gymnasium. He said the board after a conference with the school committee thought it advisable to have a building which might be a center for all athletic activities.

It is safe to say that the water defect will be remedied. The steps toward the gym show the tendency of up-to-date communities of the present day.—Framingham News.

One extremely disheartening thing about the striving to impart a literary tone to the editorial page is that it encourages so many subscribers to send in original poems.—Manchester Cricket.

Went to the Doctor's.

An old man who looked like a foreigner was walking along a London street playing a concertina that had seen better days. Noticing a brass plate with the words, "Doctor of Music" written under the name on it, he went up to the house and rang the bell. The door was answered by a servant, who asked his business.

"Please," he said, "is the doctor o' music in?"

"Yes. What is it you want?" the servant asked.

"Why, just pop in an' ax him how much he'll charge to mend my concertina," was the reply.

Sex In Business.

It may be instinct, it may be custom, but anyway it is a fact—

First.—That when a woman marries she doesn't want her job any longer.

Second.—That when a man marries he wants his job all the more. Consequently—

Third.—That as long as there is marrying and giving in marriage business, being desirous of reliable help, will discern a difference between the sexes.—Life.

As the Case May Be.

"And its awfully impolite to interrupt one who is talking, isn't it, mother?"

"Except when a woman is describing clothes, my dear, and then it is polite to constantly ejaculate, 'How lovely!' or 'How ridiculous!' as the case may be."—Kansas City Times.

Paradox.

Wigg—I can't make out that fellow Bjones. He's a paradox. Wagg—Yes, I've known him to pawn his watch to have a good time.—Philadelphia Record.

His Answer.

Stern Parent—So you want my daughter, huh. Got any money? Suitor—Yes, sir. How high do you quote her?—Boston Transcript.

OLD INDUSTRY IMPORTANT ONE

Nearly 2000 Men in Granite Business

It may be surprising to many to learn that during the year 1914 there were employed, on an average, in the granite industry, outside of bosses, superintendents, foremen and apprentices an average of 1291 each month. Many have been led to believe that the granite industry in Quincy is on the wane but these figures indicate the contrary. As a matter of fact the average number employed in the year previous was about 1100.

Through the courtesy of James Duncan secretary-treasurer of the Granite Cutters union, the number of granite cutters, polishers and blacksmiths employed each month is obtainable and is as follows:

January	1253
February	1249
March	1264
April	1271
May	1311
June	1325
July	1330
August	1305
September	1303
October	1301
November	1290
December	1296

It will be seen by the above table that the busiest months of the year were June, July, August and September, while the quietest month of the year was February.

If we added to the above list the number of bosses, superintendents, foremen and boys, the grand total would not be far from 2000, showing that the granite business is still an important industry in Quincy.

Many of the manufacturers believe if the city ever gets that public dock, about which so much has been heard for the past few years that it will mean a boom to Quincy. With the present means of transportation Quincy is unable to secure its share of many large contracts for it would be useless to figure against granite centres with better transportation facilities especially those centres which have water facilities. In Quincy at the present time the railroad is without competition and its rates are considered by granite men to be high, in fact they claim that they are much higher than the railroad rates from other granite centres.

With water competition, which would be possible with a public dock, the railroad rates it is contended, would go down. Another advantage claimed is that it would furnish a route by which the tons and tons of grout, that has accumulated on the granite hills, could be shipped to places where the quantities of such material is needed.

Quincy is authorized by a special act of the legislature to expend the sum of $100,000 for a public dock This act was passed some years ago but up to the present time all that has been expended is the sum of $200 authorized by the City Council of 191' to make borings to determine the foundation of what is known as broad meadows, and obtain data as to its suitability for a site for a public dock.

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OUR IMMIGRANTS.

Miss Woodbury Gives Address at Bethany.

It is to be regretted that the general public could not have had an opportunity to have heard the address of Miss Miriam Woodbury, before the Bethany Women's Union Wednesday afternoon. Miss Woodbury spoke on "Our Immigrants." She handled her subject in a most interesting manner. The material for her address was obtained from personal observation of the work at Ellis island and in other sections of the country and aside from being interesting it furnished much food for earnest thought.

Following the address Mrs. Charles Sampson read a paper on current events in the mission field prepared by Mrs. Alden, who was unable to be present on account of illness. The meeting opened with devotional exercises led by Mrs. Charles W. Miller and during the afternoon Mrs. Emma S. Moore sang several selctions.

A social hour followed the address and paper during which there was a cake sale and tea was served.

EIGHT TABLES IN PLAY.

Eight tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City Club. The two best scores were made by George P. Mead and William Chapman. Ice cream, cake and coffee were served after the tournament. The monthly meeting of the club will be held Saturday evening.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

Books on Costume.

For the past few years the library has been beseiged the week before Twelfth Night with people wishing to get ideas for costumes to wear at the Revels. This is now a well established annual event, with charitable purpose, and for the entertainment of Quincy people. It is to meet this demand that we have gathered together some of those books which may suggest ideas on costume. These books are at the end of the reading room on the West wall. They contain illustrations of costumes of all kinds and nationalities and of different periods of English and American history.

There are also two reference books which may be obtained by inquiring of the desk assistant. One is McClellan's "Historic Dress in America" and the other is Longman's "Historical Illustrations."

In addition to the collection of books placed in the reading room, some who have it in mind to wear a costume representing that of some country will find it helpful to consult the card catalog, looking under the name of the country for books which are illustrated. This information is given on the subject cards and if the illustrations are colored this fact is also mentioned.

SCHOOL NOTES.

At the meeting of the Woodward Institute directors held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. B. A. Willmott was re-elected vice chairman and Rev. George M. Bailey secretary. The annual report of superintendent A. L. Barbour was read showing an enrolment this year of 197, compared with 201 last year and a percentage of attendance of 94. An interesting fact too is that of these 197, 87 are preparing for higher institutions, 44 for college and 43 for normal school; this number compares with 75 in 1913 and 60 in 1912.

Mr. Barbour states that "the feature of the school work most worthy of note at the present time is the steady and marked gain in its attained standard of scholarship especially as shown in the records of successive entering classes. The record made by present Freshman class for its first quarter year is much the best of any entering class the school has ever had and if this steady improvement can be maintained and continued, Woodward Institute will soon be brought to a standard where its efficiency in scholarship will be generally recognized."

For comparison, it was instanced that only two of the present Freshman class were behind in any subject at the end of the first ten weeks out of the total membership while in 1910 there were 31 Freshmen, or more than half the class behind at the end of the same period.

The amount of time devoted to the study of music has also been increased this year and one girl will be certified in music on her college entrance requirements next June. A Victrola has been purchased and some well selected records will assist in giving guidance in musical appreciation.

The report also refers to the fact that a study of the outside activities of the student body indicates very satisfactory conditions as to length and time of study, freedom from interference by extraneous interests and the amount of participation in home duties. Very few girls were found who did not share in the work of the home a situation which is satisfactory and contributory to school success.

The Superintendent further stated that the science department of the school desires mention as an instance of the manner in which skilful teaching is able to adapt subject matter to the particular needs of the school. The course which is given in our school turns off the beaten path of instruction in theoretical science and by applying itself to the ample material to be found in practical science which has a direct interest for girls, achieves results which are commensurate with the ingenuity and enthusiasm with which the work is handled. The course is both distinctive and praiseworthy.

SCHOOL CALENDAR.

The calendar adopted by the School Committee carries the High school graduation to June 30, the latest date that it can possibly occur under the present four term arrangement. School beginning late last year as it did, necessarily makes the closing later. While there may be some objection, because of the possibility of hot weather in the latter part of June, the advantages to be gained from the short terms with the consequent lessened nerve strain and fatigue more than compensates.

The second term of the trade classes opened this week with an excellent attendance. All classes that were carried on through the fall are to be continued except the class in cooking, which has completed its course. The Adams evening school on Monday night had an attendance of 176 which is within 3 of its highest attendance mark of the winter.

Miss Eleanor Golbranson of Grade VII, Adams school is the first student in the building to receive a student's diploma for proficiency in the palmer method of writing. Miss Anita Montosi of the same grade has been awarded a progress pin.

The attendance officer Mr. Johnson, began this week to give his full time to the work of his office with headquarters in the school committee rooms. There has been a very considerable increase in the amount of clerical work required by the department this year, but the committee instead of engaging an additional clerk will co-operate with the commercial department of the high school and have its surplus work done by advanced high school students, giving them the advantage of office practice.

The regular meeting of the School Masters' club was held at the High school Wednesday evening with a good attendance. The speaker of the evening was Mr. Wadsworth an agent of the Board of Education, who works among the rural schools.

An Insulting Pronoun.

The ritual of society, as women make it, is very exacting the world over, even in almhouses. The London Outlook reports a serious trouble among a set of workhouse officials. The infirmary nurses, three in number, had demanded a separate sitting room and the delight of Sunday dinner therein, and the matron had sought to humble them by sending the cook to enjoy her Sunday dinner in their company. The brawny cook described what occurred as follows:

"Well, Nurse Blank, she come down and got inside the door. 'Four covers?' she says. 'Four? Who's the fourth?' 'Me,' says I. 'You!' she says, and with that she tosses her head and walks away."

Here cook drew a long breath, then continued, "If it hadn't 'a' been Sunday, gentlemen, I should have let her have it for calling me 'you!'"



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HEALTH GIVING OZONE.

Its Process of Formation and the Way It Attacks Microbes.

The pungent, bracing effect of mountain air is largely due to the pressure of great quantities of ozone. Every one knows this and learnedly talks about the ozone in the air, but very few people have the slightest idea of what they are really talking about.

Nature makes ozone by allowing the ultra violet rays of the sun to act upon the oxygen of the air. Briefly, ozone is a particularly active form of oxygen. A molecule of oxygen is composed of two atoms, whereas ozone is composed of three.

As only two elements of oxygen can exist together, the addition of the third sets up a disturbance, which causes it to detach itself from the other two. Being thus detached, the third atom, which is now ozone, wandering around by itself, gravitates with great sureness and rapidity to any bit of foul air or any microbe which may be lurking in the vicinity, for the attraction between ozone and microbes is irresistible.

Like most fatal passions, the out come is tragic, for the ozone burns up the microbes as soon as they touch each other. This is the reason that ozone is health giving; it may be truly said to eat up disease.—Detroit Free Press.

CUT THE RED TAPE.

Kitchener's Unofficial Methods In the Khartum Campaign.

It was in the Khartum campaign that Lord Kitchener's abhorrence of red tape was first impressed upon whom it concerned. A certain general, who may be called Fussyman, insisted upon issuing a daily order with all due forms and ceremonies. So importunate was he that in sheer weariness Kitchener at last dictated an order. Buoyed up by a blissful sense of importance, Fussyman hurried off to have it duly copied, registered, duplicated, sealed, signed and delivered in the good old style. Meanwhile Kitchener strolling out accidentally met Broadwood, his cavalry commander.

"Oh, Broadwood," exclaimed Kitchener in his softest drawl, "will you kindly take four squadrons and a couple of guns and push on forty miles to clear up the situation, and start in half an hour?"

"Very good, sir."

As the cavalry was jingling out of camp Fussyman came out of his tent with the order of the day. Upon finding that Broadwood's orders were totally different from the formal version intrusted to him by the commander, Fussyman gave Kitchener up as hopeless.—World's Work.

Making History.

When Kinglake was writing his history of the Crimean war he received letters from all sorts of people concerned in the war. One day a letter with a deep black border came from two people in the colonies, husband and wife, describing their grief. Their only child had been killed in the Crimea. They wanted to have him mentioned in the "History of the Crimean War." Kinglake was touched and replied by post that he would do his best if they would send him the necessary particulars. Again a letter, also black bordered, full of thanks, but with the following conclusion: "We have no particulars whatever to give you. He was killed on the spot, like many others, but anything you may kindly invent will be welcome. We leave it entirely to your imagination."—London Opinion

Perpetual Motion.

Alderman Curran of New York city worked his way through Yale college. During his course he was kept very busy by the various jobs he did to help with his expenses. On graduation he went to New York and was even busier than he had been in New Haven.

After some months of life in New York a friend met him and said, "Henry, what are you doing?"

"I have three jobs," replied Mr. Curran. "I am studying law, I am a newspaper reporter, and I am selling life insurance."

"How do you manage to get it all in?" said the friend.

"Oh," replied Mr. Curran, "that's easy enough. They're only eight hour jobs."—Youth's Companion.

Cunning of the Fox.

A fox on emergency will sham death to perfection. A master of hounds once noosed a fox in a whip as he bolted before a terrier. The fox appeared to have been strangled. When held up by the scruff of the neck his eyes were seen to be closed, his jaws gaped and the body hung limply down from the hand. He was placed tenderly on the ground only to dash off to covert.—London Standard.

A Little Different.

Miss Vane—I know he was talking to you about me. Now, wasn't he? Miss Speitz—Well, yes. Miss Vane—I thought I heard him remark that I had a thick head of hair. Miss Speitz—Partly correct. He didn't mention your hair, however.—Exchange.

Friendship.

A friendship that makes the least noise is very often the most useful for which reason I should prefer a prudent friend to a zealous one.—Addison.

Quite Reasonable.

"That rich Mr. Smith is going to build a home that will cost $3,000,000."

"That looks as if the plumbing was included."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Discretion of speech is more than eloquence.—Bacon.

REVENUE IS INSUFFICIENT

No Change In Our National Defense During Coming Year

Washington, Jan. 7.—Chief results of a conference between Secretaries Daniels and Garrison and congressional leaders heading the military, naval and appropriations committees were general conclusions that the government's revenue during the coming year would not bear any extensive additions to the military establishment.

Next year, however, when congress considers some means of raising new revenue in place of the special stamp taxes which then expire by limitation, the subject of appropriations for national defense will be considered.

On leaving the conference one of the participants said that, while no definite plan of procedure had been agreed upon, everyone present had conceded that every possible effort should be exerted in congress to bring the army and navy up to the highest standard of efficiency that could be produced with the resources available.

AUTHORITIES STAND PAT

Separate Social Affairs For Whites and Negrops In Chicago Schools

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Miss Marion Talbot, dean of women at the University of Chicago, protested against the color line being drawn in the social affairs of the high school, which most of the negro children of the city attend.

At the first dance of the season the white and negro children attended together. Miss Fanny R. Smith, dean of the girls at the school, then arranged dances for the whites and negroes on separate nights.

Miss Smith said the parties could be continued under no other circumstances. "Not only white children, but white parents also have made that plain," she said.

WALSH AGAIN TAKES OATH AS GOVERNOR

Usual Pomp and Ceremony at Massachusetts State House

Boston, Jan. 7.—With all the pomp and ceremony which make it the most brilliant time of the year on Beacon hill, Governor Walsh was inducted into office as the chief executive of the state for the second time.

With Walsh, Lieutenant Governor-elect Cushing was sworn in, as were members of the new executive council.

The state house was jammed with persons who had tickets for the inauguration exercises or who attended the governor's reception which began immediately after. Tickets were not necessary for the reception.

Secretary of State Donahue administered the oath of office. Walsh then delivered his inaugural address to the legislature. The governor's reception, which followed, was in the Hall of Flags.

BLAND IS REJECTED

Senate Turns Down Another of President Wilson's Appointments

Washington, Jan. 7.—The nomination of Ewing C. Bland of Kansas City to be United States marshal for the western district of Missouri was rejected by the senate by unanimous vote.

Bland's is the fourth nomination rejected by the senate in the last few weeks in the dispute that has developed between the president and senate over recess appointments.

Bland was appointed by the president after the fall recess, although the vacancy occurred before the senate's adjournment in October.

CLEANED OUT THE FUNDS

Charge Against Treasurer of Society Who Is Arrested

Millbury, Mass., Jan. 7.—Treasurer Joseph Bazinet of the local St. Jean Baptiste society was arrested here last night on a warrant charging him with the larceny of $4000 of the society's funds.

He left the society, which was supposed to be well off, with but $50 to its name, according to the charges preferred by its state officers, who unearthed the alleged looting of its treasury.

Alleged Firebug Held

Waltham, Mass., Jan. 7.—Charging that he set his barn afire to obtain insurance, the Watertown police arraigned Manook Aarsenian, 18, in court here. Aarsenian pleaded not guilty and was held in $1000 bail for a hearing.

Country Rocked by Explosion

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 7.—One of the large dry mills of the DuPont Powder company at the Rockland yards exploded and a watchman was injured. The northern section of the state was rocked as if by an earthquake.

Honeymoon Is Spoiled

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Declaring her husband flirted with a hotel proprietor's wife while they were on their honeymoon, wealthy Mrs. Mabel B. Conrad has asked a divorce from Frank J. Conrad.

"Open Shop" In Coal Mines

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—Eastern Ohio coal operators at a meeting here decided to open their mines under the "open shop" plan. Striking miners have been idle since last April.

EASED HIS CONSCIENCE.

An Incident Showing a Queer Phase of Russian Character.

"The Russian character has in it something very beautiful—something childlike," wrote the Princess Troubetskoi (Amelie Rives) from Petrograd to a Richmond friend.

"A happening in Petrograd brings out the Russian character well.

"A young nobleman, rather flushed and incoherent with champagne, drove up to the opera, and, as he descended, a wretched beggar whined out the usual petition for alms.

"The nobleman looked at the ragged and filthy beggar; then he laughed foolishly, dropped a silver ruble in the gutter and said:

"'There. Pick that out with your teeth and you can have it.'

"The beggar gave the nobleman a strange look, a strange, reproachful look which did not lack a certain dignity. Then, without a word, he went down on all fours and drew the coin from the foul water and mire with his teeth.

"The young nobleman took out a fifty ruble note.

"'Now strike me in the face,' he said. 'Strike me, and I'll give you this.'

"The beggar struck him a good, vigorous blow.

"Then the young nobleman, his conscience satisfied, laughed, gave the beggar the promised reward and hurried into the opera, patting his hurt cheek tenderly with his handkerchief."—Buffalo Express.

SIKH SOLDIERS.

Some of Them Are Trained to War Almost From Babyhood.

One may often see in the English illustrated periodicals photographs of tiny soldiers about seven or eight years old gravely saluting elderly officers. These diminutive warriors are boy recruits holding regular and dignified places in the Indian army. Each Sikh regiment is allowed twelve of these little chaps, who are trained almost from babyhood. They are each paid 3 rupees and 8 annas a month and at the age of sixteen enter the regular army.

The Sikh soldiers are a most interesting and remarkable part of the British army in India. Their conduct in frontier engagements has distinguished them as brave, steady and devoted to their English officers. Yet about fifty years ago these well ordered soldiers were fanatical savages, who in their mad uprisings shook the power of Great Britain. Once conquered they accepted British rule and were trained and disciplined into a well equipped army of 30,000 soldiers. They formed part of the force that subdued the mutiny. The Hodson's horse troops, which helped capture Delhi, were composed of Sikhs whose devoted service to their leader made them famous.

Their scarlet sashes and turbans gained them the name of "Flamingos." Their descendants are no less determined fighters and stanch soldiers.—Chicago Herald.

Easy Getting Back.

A man named Blue was talking to his friend Brown one night, when the latter casually mentioned Black, a mutual acquaintance.

"Makes me think of an experience Black had a few weeks ago," laughed Jones. "He dreamed that he was an Indian and, getting out of bed, he wrapped a banket around himself and started to walk through the woods. Woke up about three hours later and found himself ten miles from home and no carfare in sight."

"You don't mean it?" was the amazed rejoinder of Brown. "How in the world did he get back?"

"That was easy," was the cheerful reply of Jones. "He lay down under a tree, dreamed that he was an Indian again and walked back."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Rheumatism In One Reel.

An old darky appeared in the doctor's office one morning, plainly very low in his mind.

The doctor, recognizing his old patient, greeted him in his most inspiriting manner.

"Well, Elijah, how is the rheumatism these days?"

"Porely, porely, sah!" replied Elijah dejectedly. "Believe me, Marse Doctor, I'se jest a movin' picture ob pain!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Cut by Friends.

Fuddy—Did you hear of the terrible accident that happened to Danby? His injuries were so serious that his most intimate friends were unable to recognize him. Duddy—Terrible accident? Railway collision? Motor smash? Fuddy—Worse. He has lost all his money.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Real Gratitude.

First Little Lamb—How grateful we should be for the wool which covers us. Second Little Lamb—I return thanks every day for mine. Without our wool how could those affectionate human beings who eat us keep warm?—Wisconsin State Journal.

Table Manners.

Some folks don't believe flints were once used as table knives because they can't see how the stone age man ever got one of them in his mouth.—Washington Post.

Naturally.

"The critics say this prima donna has a voice of velvet."

"Yes; that's where her pile comes from."—Baltimore American.

When about to commit a base deed, respect thyself, though there is no witness.—Ausonius.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

Malcolm Carder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eastern Carder of Granite avenue, returned to Worcester Academy this week after enjoying the Christmas holidays at his home.

J. Randall Pratt, a popular young man of the east section of the town, returned to his home on Waldeck road Tuesday night after spending the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Frye at their 125 acre farm on the Contoocook river, Contoocook, N. H. "Shrimp" as he is better known to his host of friends had great luck in hunting, bringing home some fine game to his parents.

Most of the plans for the annual dance of the Senior class of the High school to be held Friday evening, Jan. 22, in the town hall, are now completed. The matrons will be Miss Josephine Belcher, Miss Hester Cunningham, Mrs. Charles L. Curtis and Mrs. Robbins.

In the bowling match at the Cunningham Gymnasium, team 9 still holds first place with team 7 in second. The standing of the teams is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Total
9	23	9	9478
7	21	11	9619
3	19	13	10489
6	19	13	10157
10	17	15	10328
4	16	16	9995
8	14	18	10225
5	11	21	9839
2	11	21	9829
1	9	23	8774

The highest individual averages are Wood 94.7; W. Farrell 94.6; E. Cummings 94.1; Jobling 93.7; Sim 92.6; Duggan and C. Smith 92.5; J. F. Reid, Jr, 92.1; Johnstone 90.8; Bishop 90.3; "Dick" Reid did some splendid bowling this last week. He now holds the high three string at 336, and also the high single at 124.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church held its annual business meeting and election of officers Wednesday afternoon in the vestry. The officers are:

President—Mrs. Lydia Bryant.
Vice President—Mrs. John Higgins.
Secretary—Mrs. W. B. Batchelder.
Treasurer—Mrs. Rogers.

CITY HALL NOTES

The handsome desk lamps installed two weeks ago on the desk of the president of the council, the clerks and press desk in the council chamber looked so fine that several of the departments on the first floor of the hall have added them to their equipment.

Mayor Campbell expects to go over to New York sometime this afternoon for a few hours business trip, but intends to return on the midnight train tonight, and will be in his office bright and early Friday morning.

Electricians have been making some changes in the wiring system at city hall, and the electric light company has been equipping all the lights with new lamps.

GIVE FIRST RECITAL.

The pupils of the Quincy pianoforte school gave their first recital in Colonial hall, Wednesday evening under the direction of Claude Hackleton. Assisting him was Mrs. Hackleton.

Those who took part were Ruth Mitchell, Victor Brown, Edith Gardner Eleanor Knight, Virginia Knowlton, Raymond Connell, Katherine A. McDonald.

The program included compositions of the masters and several duets.

SERVICES FOR MRS. CHICK.

The funeral for Annie Chick, widow of Orrin Chick, was held from her home on Newcomb place this afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church. A large delegation of members of Maple lodge, K. L. of H., with which the deceased was affiliated for 20 years, attended the services. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

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Bugbee & Neal, Hancock St.
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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

TENNIS TEAM FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Willard Crocker, captain of Quincy High school basket ball team, has been chosen captain of the tennis team and Thomas Barstow, football manager, and sub on the basket ball team, is manager.

Favreau, who won the title of champion at the last interscholastic meet will be on the team. Others will be Rasmussen, Karl Pfaffmann, Barstow.

Quincy expects to duplicate and perhaps better the record of last season when they humbled the fastest of the metropolitan representations, excepting the strong St. Marks team. The schedule is now being arranged and will include games in all parts of the state.

The speed of this years team can be realized after giving the players the once over. Captain Crocker is fast and can defeat Favreau, the title holder, and the others press him hard for the honors.

Although Crocker graduates next fall he intends to become a post graduate. This assures High school the benefit of his experience in football, basketball and tennis for another year.

SAMOSET CLUB.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connell, chief operator at the Fore River shipyard, entertains the members of Samoset club at her home on Richmond street Weymouth, next Thursday evening. A social program will be given after the business meeting. The membership includes young women of Quincy and Weymouth.

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RHODES BOWLING FEATURES GAME

Rhodes' bowling with the Rand class representation featured the Church league matches at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday evening. His total was 313. Tytler broke the single string record when he closed out with 118. In the final string of Rand class all but Hatfield passed the century. Their new team single record stopped at 511.

PILGRIMS 3—O. U. B. 1.

PILGRIM

Muir	94	83	55	232
Lang	78	96	89	263
Hardwick	73	79	79	231
MacQueen	84	108	88	280
Delois	97	90	91	278
	426	456	402	1284

O. U. B.

Sprague	78	81	81	240
Burrell	64	74	77	215
French	79	87	73	239
Mahoney	96	108	108	312
Dixon	76	73	85	234
	393	423	424	1240

MAKARIA 4—CLARK 0.

MAKARIA.

Tytler	87	84	118	289
Daun	87	62	80	229
Prescott	85	103	70	258
McFarlane	80	85	102	267
Nicolls	93	90	111	294
	432	424	481	1337

CLARK.

Imray	68	82	83	233
Craig	88	82	80	250
Dummy	80	62	70	212
Tinney	85	84	84	249
Dummy	85	97	80	266
	406	407	397	1210

RAND 3—DAVIS 1.

RAND.

Cahill	82	84	106	273
Hatfield	83	96	81	260
Cahill	74	77	106	257
Cahill	86	95	110	291
Rhodes	105	100	108	313
	431	452	511	1394

DAVIS

Wilson	85	89	112	286
Smith	74	82	94	250
Harling	105	79	79	263
Duff	89	93	103	285
Neal	82	86	78	246
	435	429	466	1330

COMPLETES BASE BALL SCHEDULE

High School Team to Fight 14 Battles

The High school base ball team has completed, with one exception the schedule for next season. The teams booked include Brockton, Weymouth and Milton who with Quincy may make up the proposed Southeastern Interscholastic league. If the organization is not perfected at the meeting of directors at Quincy High this afternoon the schedule will still remain in force.

The schedule follows:

April 23. Pending
April 27 Revere at Quincy
April 30. Cambridge Latin at Cambridge.
May 4. Revere at Revere
May 7. South Boston at Quincy
May 14. Quincy at Brockton
May 19. Weymouth at Quincy
May 22. Milton at Quincy
May 26. Quincy at Weymouth
May 28. Quincy at Rockland
June 2. Quincy at Milton
June 4. Quincy at Wellesley
June 8. Rockland at Quincy
June 11. Brockton at Quincy

NOTES OUR TROUBLES.

Chelsea Record Says a Word On Quincy.

The Chelsea Record has this to say about the report in the Ledger the other day of the possibility of Ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant leaving the city:

The Board of assessors, when so disposed, can do more to drive people and business out of a city than a chamber of commerce can do to boost it. One case is where an ex-mayor of Quincy is preparing to dispose of his property in that city because the assessors increased the valuation about what it was a year ago.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

HUNDREDS IN FIGHT FOR LIFE

Panic-Stricken Rush of People In New York Subway

LIKE CHAMBER OF HORRORS

One Person Dead and Hundreds in Hospitals as Result of Stampede and Being Overcome by Fumes When Big Feed Cable Blows Out—Heroic Rescue Work

New York, Jan. 7.—Hundreds of women and men fought for their lives, entombed in New York's subway, and the daily affairs of millions were palsied in a death grip when a fire started in the tunnel.

Suffocating, blinded, half-dying men and women caged in darkness, their brilliantly lighted trains plunged without a moment's warning into inky blackness, fought one another for the chance to live.

Before the near holocaust was over the hospitals were crowded with half-suffocating citizens and firemen. It was the nearest approach to the Iroquois theatre disaster that the newspapers have had to chronicle in years.

In the panic-stricken rush of the 700 passengers from two trains toward air, daylight and life 200 were injured, one woman, Miss Ella Brady, fatally. Virtually the entire fire and ambulance service in the borough of Manhattan was called out to help in the rescues, aided by squads of policemen.

Manhole covers were torn aside and the rescued were dragged up bodily from the death threatening, gas-filled tunnels. Many of those uninjured were so overcome by the fumes that they had to be taken to hospitals. Policemen and firemen themselves fainted and had to be dragged out with the passengers.

The accident occurred between the Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth street stations. The two trains, an express and a local, both packed, stopped midway between the stations and the lights went out. The fumes of a large feed cable, which had blown out in its conduit about fifty feet away, soon began to fill the cars. The odor of burning rubber soon became unbearable.

In the darkness, some of the passengers began to grow nervous. Then someone shouted for the guards to open the doors. Others took up the cry, but the guards refused. Presently someone started to rush the guards, but was pushed back. Other fights followed, and soon every car was in an uproar.

The sound of broken glass from smashed windows added to the general terror. Women screamed, and men jammed and pushed their way out of the cars, past the guards, some of whom were knocked down and trampled.

Many of the passengers were too overcome by the fumes to leave their seats, and there they sat, huddled together, until firemen and policemen dragged them out. The doorways of the cars were blocked by those who had fallen just as they were crawling out into the tunnel.

The outside world was notified of the accident by the clouds of smoke that began to pour upward through the tunnel entrances, manholes and ventilators. Little attention, however, was paid to this warning, until the first of the escaping passengers staggered to the street. Then reports of unbelievable numbers killed and injured began to circulate.

For three hours the police and firemen worked to get everyone out of the tubes. Between Fiftieth and Fifty-ninth street, it is estimated that more than fifty persons were found in the subway. The smoke was so thick that objects a few feet away were invisible. All along the track, lying across the rails and between the rails, were men and women where they had fallen, overcome. Some were unconscious. Others were conscious, but unable to help themselves.

According to the police, the place looked like a chamber of horrors. The passengers who remained on the trains looked like wax figures, half suffocated, and hemmed in with a heavy, oily smoke. The firemen were unsuccessful in getting this out of the tube at first. Finally they succeeded in turning powerful streams of water in under the smoke and blowing it up and out through the manholes.

Nearby theatres, stores and automobile garages were commandeered as temporary hospitals for the less seriously injured, while dozens of ambulances carried away to hospitals those needing skilled attention. The lives of several were undoubtedly saved by pulmotors, physicians say.

Investigations to fix the blame for the accident were at once started by District Attorney Perkins and the public service commission, and word comes from Albany that the accident has started legislative activity looking to an investigation of the state's supervision of public utilities.

The fact that the smoke and stifling fumes caused the trouble led to suggestions that steps be taken for the more adequate ventilation of the tube. General Manager Headley of the Interborough said that no invention had yet been developed to prevent short-circuiting, and that a similar accident could occur at any time.

URGES REORGANIZATION

Knowlton Says Boston and Maine Also Needs Increase In Rates

Boston, Jan. 7.—That an increase in rates and a reorganization of the Boston and Maine railroad so that the leased lines shall bear their proportion of the increases in expenditures are necessary to a proper management and operation of that road was the position taken by Chairman Knowlton of the trustees appointed to take over the stock of the road formerly held by the New Haven interests, before the public service commission.

Although admitting that increases in rates would help the situation, even though a reorganization were not effected, Knowlton strongly emphasized the need of an arrangement whereby all parties concerned would be required to bear their proportion of additional expenditures necessary from time to time.

THE IMMIGRATION BILL

Congress Said to Be Prepared to Upset President's Veto

Washington, Jan. 7.—With the opinion growing stronger daily that the president will veto the immigration bill containing the literary test, Chairman Burnett of the house immigration committee expressed the belief that the house could pass the bill over the veto with eleven or twelve votes to spare.

It is looked on as a certainty that the senate will pass the bill over the veto if the president vetoes it. The president, in response to appeals, will grant a hearing.

Negroes and organizations of negroes all over the country are sending to the White House and to congress protests against the amendment to exclude African negroes from immigration. Jane Addams has sent a protest to the White House on the literacy test.

FALZONE IS HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Two Others In Custody In the Albertson Case

Malden, Mass., Jan. 7.—Bagio Falzone, who was arrested at Fitchburg on the charge of slaying Maurice A. Albertson, the Lawrence jeweler, at Wakefield, on Dec. 20, was arraigned here and held without bail for a hearing Jan. 11 on the murder charge.

In the arrest of Falzone the police say they have in custody all the men they sought in connection with the Albertson crime. After the court hearing Falzone, who pleaded not guilty, was taken to the Cambridge jail.

The two other suspects, Ignazio Morella and Luigi Grassidoni, will also be arraigned on Jan. 11.

WHY SHE TOOK POISON

Woman Feared Rogers Would Leave Her For His Legal Wife

New York, Jan. 7.—The physicians at Lebanon hospital are fearful that Mrs. Ida "Rogers" may learn of the death of her two children, to whom she administered bichloride of mercury before taking a dose herself.

She was cheerful because she believes she has a chance to live, and because she believes her children are alive and will live.

She has lifted from her mind the burden of her secret in a long confession to District Attorney Martin, telling him that the tragic act was caused by the fear that L. E. Rogers, the father of her children, had tired of her and intended to leave her for his legal wife.

OF EXTREME BREVITY

Declaration In $200,000 Suit Contains but Twenty-Three Words

Boston, Jan. 7.—The declaration in the $200,000 suit filed in the office of the clerk of the Suffolk superior court against William Cobb, former president of the Collateral Loan company, by the collateral company, is an illustration of extreme brevity in preparing such instruments.

Exclusive of title and signature it contains but twenty-three words. It alleges, "And the plaintiff says that the defendant owes it $85,000 for money had and received to the plaintiff's use, together with interest thereon."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The railroad circling the Gulf of Bothnia, the northern extension of the Baltic sea, is virtually completed.

The will of Robert McArthur, prominent millman of New England, representing an estate valued at $300,000, was probated at Biddeford, Me.

The missing Boston three-master Bradford C. French put into Mayville, Fla.

Francis Howe, proprietor of the Hotel Nottingham, Boston, filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $40,381.34.

Cornelius F. Harrington was appointed city marshal of Salem, Mass., by Mayor O'Keefe. He succeeds P. J. Lehan.

Winfield S. Hammond, Democrat, sworn in as Minnesota's governor, urged that a temperance law be passed as early as possible.

Gustave Reinberg's new $4000 touring car tangoed off a ferryboat at New York. Boatmen rescued Reinberg.

BREAKS THREE STRING RECORD

Results of Tennis Club League Matches

Jenner broke the three string total record of the Wollaston Tennis Club league matches at the Coliseum alleys Wednesday night. His mark of 322 resulted from singles of 101, 113 and 108. Incidentally his team made a record single of 523, all except W. Baker passing the century. The Jenners and Greens took four points, the Bakers and Litchfield's none, the Hoxie and Munroes divided the points and Geddes beat Estes 3 to 1. Jenner's team also made the first 1400 total since the league opened.

CAPT. JENNER 4—CAPT. BAKER 0.

CAPT. JENNER.

Murray	91	95	106	292
Carr	67	73	114	254
W. Baker	84	96	95	275
Barker	84	74	100	258
Jenner	101	113	108	322
	427	451	523	1401

CAPT. BAKER.

Gurden	78	81	96	255
Oldham	91	80	74	245
Redlon	85	86	67	238
Hutton	74	75	78	227
C. Baker	80	98	99	277
	408	420	414	1242

GREEN 4—LITCHFIELD 0.

CAPT. GREEN

McLean	83	83	83	249
A. Davis	102	85	79	266
Weld	89	96	86	271
Hiller	83	88	81	252
Green	101	95	87	283
	458	447	416	1321

CAPT. LITCHFIELD.

Holmes	90	74	71	235
Bates	83	94	98	275
Crosley	86	73	87	246
Nickerson	84	103	66	253
Litchfield	92	93	87	272
	435	437	409	1281

CAPT. GEDDES 3—CAPT. ESTES 1.

CAPT. GEDDES.

Albers	89	82	93	264
Emery	94	88	93	275
Seiders	94	93	92	279
W. Smith	81	80	89	250
Geddes	89	79	79	247
	447	422	446	1315

CAPT. ESTES.

C. Davis	85	85	85	255
L. Smith	91	106	80	276
Simpson	89	79	85	253
A. Raymond	85	85	85	255
Estes	87	96	67	250
	437	451	402	1289

CAPT. HOXIE 2—CAPT. MUNROE 2

CAPT. HOXIE.

Brigham	72	89	82	243
Fleishner	91	105	76	272
Chase	84	73	74	231
Powers	79	102	85	266
Hoxie	86	97	98	281
	412	466	415	1293

CAPT. MUNROE.

R. Baker	90	80	95	265
W. Raymond	79	79	79	237
Pinkham	94	91	90	275
Brown	80	83	81	234
Munroe	81	87	105	273
	424	420	450	1284

SUBSCRIBES $10.

The Wollaston Yacht club has subscribed $10.00 toward the Fund being raised by the Post 88 G. A. R. Aid Association.

This Yacht club entertained a post from Boston and also the Paul Revere Post of Quincy a few years ago at a G. A. R. night at the Yacht club.

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SPORTING COMMENT

Ex-Commodore Robbins of the Quincy Yacht club, L. Swallow of the Savin Hill Yacht club and Hjalmar Lundberg of the Boston Yacht club comprise the committee of the new Yacht Racing union. Dr. Fred Dawes of the Wollaston Yacht club is vice-president. Pretty good representation for the granite city, say we.

Oscar Hedlund, the B. A. miler has announced his retirement. His work has stamped him one of the best milers in the country.

Dan Smith of Brockton and his famous quartet of rollers who went to Washington last year, and prepared for the trip on the Quincy lanes, hasn't been down this season. Louis Ross has a quintette looking for a match at the Wardwell alleys. Dan's men are not at home on a polished alley but the return match in his city would reverse the conditions.

Robertson, who suffered a fractured collar in the Quincy-Newton Y. M. C. A. game states the break is rapidly mending.

Malden has departed from the custom of teacher coaches and Ralph Good, athletic supervisor, if ousted may not remain at the school. The athletic association wants a man who can devote his time to the football, baseball and track teams. The custom of having a teacher coach has been in vogue in metropolitan schools for years.

New legislation relative to boxing to be considered at the coming session of the house of representatives puts the control of boxing under the direction of the Board of Health. The bill provides contests would be of four three minute periods unless the health department should deem it advisable to allow exhibitions of more than four, in which case six would be allowed.

Frank Tirrell, home from the University of Maine Law School is under medical treatment. Frank who has been prominent in athletics at the school wrenched all the tendons in his left foot in basket ball and will be out of the game the balance of the season.

An X-ray examination of Alex Robertson's shoulder has revealed his collar bone was not fractured in the Quincy-Newton Y. M. C. A. basket ball game but that ligaments were torn and the shoulder badly bruised.

Pete Chapman, now at Lehigh University goes into the gym next week to work out his pitching arm which kinked up after an injury.

Miss Edith Grant, teacher of bookkeeping at the Quincy High school has been called to Chicopee, because of the illness of her mother.

Louis F. La Rose, physical director at the Y. M. C. A. who is suffering from a nervous breakdown, is out of town to recuperate, and John Metherall is in charge of athletics for the time being.

Earl Bates, star of the last season's High school basket ball team, is a student at Thayer Academy and is forward on the team. Thayer plays here on Feb. 3. Bates is best remembered because he scored all the points against the Fall River Tech. school last season.

COMPLAIN OF CAR SERVICE

Many complaints have been made of the electric car service from Neponset to Quincy at late hours.

The Maple lodge delegation returning from Boston Tuesday night had an unpleasant experience. The 11.25 P. M. car left 15 minutes late, having been held up for connection with the Dudley street car, with the result that it arrived too late at City Square to catch the last Quincy Point and East Milton cars.

THE NEW LEADERSHIP.

Rev. Mr. Willmott Speaks at Hall Place M. E.

Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott gave an interesting address on "The New Leadership" before the men's brotherhood of the Hall place M. E. church Wednesday evening. The ladies of the Fowler circle; Epworth League, were the guests of the brotherhood, and although the address was largely directed to men, it was nevertheless most interesting to the women present

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Kerrigan, late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament, of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John F. Kerrigan of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 7-11-18

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THE ART OF LOVE

A Lecture on How to Secure a Husband

By F. A. MITCHEL

Mrs. Matilda Robbins, a widow of fifty, who had buried four husbands, announced that she would give private lectures in the parlor of her home to young ladies on how to get husbands. A lecture would be given every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

On the first afternoon a numerous audience were gathered in the lecturer's parlor.

Mrs. Robbins spoke as follows:

Young ladies, you have doubtless derived your ideas as to woman's part in a courtship from novels, and that is the reason why you are not married. The heroine of a novel is usually so modest that she doesn't dare say her soul's her own. There's more accomplished in this world in other fields besides matrimony by assurance than modesty and more accomplished by management than by assurance.

The best way to teach is by example. Therefore I shall put this lecture in the form of a story. But it's a real story, not an invention. The heroine didn't sit round and look pretty. She was up and doing. That's what we must all be in this world if we want to get on. Do you suppose a young fellow who wants a position whereby to start a fortune sits round and waits for it? No; he goes out and hunts for it. And when he gets it does he modestly wait for somebody to tell him to do things? Not if he wants to succeed. He does everything without being told and before it's wanted. That's the part of a young fellow starting out to fix himself in the world, and you young ladies should act on the same principle.

Now for my story of the way one young lady secured a husband.

Her name was Jones, Sarah Jones, just plain Sarah Jones, not Maltravers or Montmorency, like the heroines of novels, or Gwendolin or Jaquelin for a first name. A girl doesn't need a high sounding name to get a husband; she needs something that I'm going to tell you about. Sarah Jones the day she was eighteen sat down and did a job of thinking. She wasn't long about it, for she was an acting girl, and when she had got her thinking done she acted at once on her decision. That decision was that her place was in a home as a wife and the mother of children.

Sallie Jones didn't go at things blindly; she thought them out beforehand. She knew that she couldn't get married if restricted to the society of girls. So she joined a dancing class. She couldn't afford it, but she had to afford it, and whatever has to be done is done if the party to do it is of the right stuff. She had her eye fixed on that dancing class, and she joined without knowing where the money to pay her way was to come from. There were twenty young men members and twenty-five girls.

Miss Jones realized that there is safety in numbers but for the man she was after, not for her. She didn't go fooling about among the twenty men. She picked out a steady young fellow and made up her mind to land him. His name was Abel Rogers. Nothing romantic about his name either. Rogers didn't have anything except what he was getting together himself, but he was frugal and a hard worker.

The first thing Sallie did was to let Abel Rogers understand that she liked him. She didn't pout when he danced with some other girl more than with her or look troubled if he didn't dance with her at all. She smiled on him when he came back after a lack of attention just as pleasantly as if he hadn't neglected her.

This sort of work has been called angling, and so it is. A skillful fisherman if a fish doesn't bite right off wouldn't think of trying to jerk the hook into its gills, and when it does bite he doesn't try to haul it out of the water all at once. Some fish can be caught that way, but a gamy fish needs to be allowed to play itself out. So it is with a man. First get him on the hook, then play him.

We like those who like us, and Abel Rogers, being aware that Sallie liked him, was disposed to like her. There was nothing deceitful about this in Sallie. She really liked him or she wouldn't have tried to catch him. There is a difference in a girl showing a man that she likes him and showing him she wants him. Showing it would end uncertainty, and uncertainty is the line by which she must pull him in after getting the hook in his gills. Abel knew nothing about Sallie's feelings for him except that she liked him. She might have liked several other men and loved one other.

It wasn't long before Sallie found an opportunity to favor Abel above other men. He came one evening to the dancing class after an absence, having no partners engaged. Sallie turned down several names on her engagement card to give the dances to him. This was an excellent way of showing him her good will without indicating that she coveted his attention. Perhaps there are some among you who will not see the distinction I make here, but I assure you it is one of no little importance.

Abel felt not only that some return was due for this kindly act, but it gave him pleasure to make a return. He invited Sallie to go to drive with him. That was the time before automobiles came. I am not in favor of autos for courting purposes. There is too much rapid motion, and the driver's attention must be constantly on his machine, to say nothing of his grip being on the steering wheel. Abel and Sallie drove out in a box buggy behind a lazy going horse. Everything pertaining to love in its early stages is zephyr-like, though I admit the climax or a brief period just before the climax may be in the nature of a hurricane. There was just a suspicion of perfume about Sallie, so delicate that it could only have come from articles that had been kept in sandalwood drawers or, more likely, in a mouchoir case. It was very entrancing to Abel, and as they rolled slowly over the smooth road, the reins lying loosely on the horse's back, Abel had nothing to think of except the girl beside him.

Sallie had by this time come to the most difficult part of her work. Every man doubtless thinks that some time he will be married and have a home. But marriage to him is like old age to all of us. It is—I mean it seems—far distant. The bachelor thinks of the present. Some men do not like to give up their liberty for the obligations of matrimony; some, who expect to do so in time, never find a convenient season. All men must be won. Only widowers or old bachelors, tired of their bachelorhood, marry intentionally.

Abel Rogers was looking forward to the day when, having accumulated a competence, he would settle down and take a wife. It was the business of Sallie Jones to break through this future intention and make it a present one. And here, again, girls' work shows a similarity to men's work. Many men who have good address and are excellent talkers fail in putting through schemes because they cannot bring the person on whom they are working to the point. Girls also often fail in landing a man whom they have got to the water's edge.

Mr. Rogers, having been brought thus far, bid fair to remain with the hook in his gills flopping about in the water. The timid girl, having thus far succeeded and being balked, would remain in statu quo. The rash girl would jerk the line, break it, and the fish would go swimming away merrily. The wise girl would use a landing net.

That is what Sallie Jones did. She used a landing net. But even a landing net may be used carelessly or at least injudiciously. Miss Jones studied out whatever she did. After a few months of dallying on the part of Mr. Rogers she set up a rival—not a real, bona fide rival, but one merely to excite a bit of suspicion. Indeed, by this time she was considered by the young men to belong to Abel Rogers, and it was not easy for her to secure a rival.

Abel did not seem very much frightened. At any rate, he showed no sign of being brought to terms. Perhaps he was thinking that he couldn't afford to marry or that, after all, it wouldn't be such a hardship to let Sallie Jones go to another.

The experiment having failed, Miss Jones resolved upon another. She became suddenly very gracious to Mr. Rogers. At the same time he noticed that whenever he asked her to go out with him she made some excuse. It did not occur to him that the excuse was not valid. He supposed he happened to ask her at times when she was engaged.

One evening Mr. Rogers called on Miss Jones and waited in the parlor while he was announced. On a lounge lay a piece of white satin, a long white veil and some orange blossoms. While the gentleman was inspecting them, a vague suspicion as to the reason for their being there breaking through into his brain, a maid entered hurriedly, gathered up the articles mentioned and, with a look at Rogers indicating that it had not been intended he should have seen them, carried them out of the room.

By this time it seemed to Mr. Rogers that he stood on the edge of a precipice and was about to topple over. When the maid re-entered with a message from Miss Jones asking to be excused, since she was very busy, he caught at the mantel for support.

Could it be possible that the girl he had been fooling about so long was going to be married?

The proper thing for Mr. Rogers to do was to excuse the lady on whom he had called and go away. He did no such thing. He sent a message to her begging her to see him for only a few moments.

She came. To carry out her supposed plan she should be in sewing dress. She knew better. She wore the most becoming costume for ordinary wear she possessed. When she saw Mr. Rogers looking as if the bottom had dropped out of the universe she regarded him with a gaze of interested surprise.

"Oh, heavens!" he exclaimed frantically. "How could you have done it?"

"Done what?"

"You are about to be married?"

"I?"

"Yes. Don't deny it. I have seen the wedding dress, the veil, the orange blossoms."

"You have?"

"Yes. I suppose I should not reproach you, but it is maddening. After all my devotion— Who is the man? I demand to know!"

Young ladies, I have gone far enough in my illustration. This is not a love story; it is a lecture. I trust that I have made myself plain and that I may have been of benefit in bringing about for some of you that state which it is woman's part to fill. The next lecture will be given on next Friday afternoon at the same hour. Those who have not procured course tickets may procure them for $2 each. I bid you good evening.

FRENCH HOLD THEIR GROUND

Fighting In Alsace the Most Violent of the War

RUSSIANS ON THE OFFENSIVE

Report Capture of Village on East Prussian Frontier—Russian Advance In Galicia Held Up—Austrians and Turks Being Chased by Czar's Troops—Turkish Invasion of Russian Territory Considered by Military Experts to Have Been Ill-Advised—Kitchener Says He Needs Millions More Men

London, Jan. 7.—Apart from the Russian victory over the Turks in Trans-Caucasia, which is described in a dispatch to the Russian embassy from Petrograd as "complete," interest in the warfare now lies chiefly in the stubborn fight which the French and Germans are carrying on for the roads to Cernay and Muelhausen in upper Alsace.

The battle in that region, which has been raging for a week, is described in a Berlin dispatch as the most violent of the war. The Germans regained one of the trenches which they had lost, but on the whole, the French reports indicate that the Frenchmen maintain their advantage, for every bit of which they had to fight, in many cases with the bayonet.

Along the rest of the western front, the tide of battle continues to ebb and flow. On either side of Rheims, and particularly to the east of that harrassed city, the French, according to reports, daily push their lines a few yards forward, while in the Argonne, where more hard fighting is going on, first the Germans and then the French report the capture of the other's entrenchments.

Another region where the French seemingly keep nibbling away at the German lines is in the Woevre, where the gains reported by them must have gone a long way toward rendering the Germans' long occupation of St. Mihiel on the Meuse less comfortable.

The Russians, with all their other fronts to cover, have found another army with which to take the offensive against the German position at Mlowa on the East Prussian frontier, and report the capture of a village on the road to that town.

The Germans are still hammering at the Russian line drawn directly across the roads to Warsaw from the west, but, it is reported, with less force behind them. In western Galicia, however, they have reinforced the Austrians and have held up the Russian advance near Gorlice.

In southern Poland wet weather has intervened to put a stop to the fighting. Neither side is able to move there, owing to the high water and the mud.

The Russians continue to drive the Austrians through the snow-covered passes of the Carpathians and out of Bukowina, and simultaneously they are dealing in detail with the remnants of the Turkish armies in Trans-Caucasia, which are reported either to have been routed or surrounded.

The Turkish dash into the far-off province of Russia is described by military men as having been an unwise maneuver. Military operations in the winter in that part of the world would be difficult at any time, they say, but this year, with a particularly severe winter raging, there was little chance of the poorly-equipped Turkish troops succeeding in their efforts.

Altogether the Russians engaged the Turks in ten pitched battles, in many cases while knee-deep in snow and at an altitude of from 6000 to 10,000 feet.

From 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 more men will be necessary to finish the war, in the opinion of Earl Kitchener, expressed in parliament. At the rate of enlistment in England at the present time such a number cannot be assembled. It is probable that the hint of conscription dropped recently may be followed by more definite developments in this respect.

Kitchener, in his speech to parliament, said that operations in December in general favored the allies. He praised the Servian army in particular, and described the present situation of the fighting in the various theatres of war.

While the speech of the secretary for war contained nothing sensational and little not already known, it was listened to with rapt attention by a distinguished gathering of peers and peeresses, members of the house of commons and public men.

The peers were in their robes of office, but beyond this the scene lacked the usual color, for of the long rows of peeresses in the gallery, virtually every one was in mourning for some relative killed at the front.

In the realm of international politics, the next move by Roumania is awaited with interest, while the arrest of Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, is attracting world-wide attention.

Cardinal Mercier of Belgium is reported to be a prisoner in the hands of the German military authorities, who charge that he counselled Belgians to refuse obedience to the German government of his country. "Only Belgium has a claim upon your loyalty," he is said to have written in a proclamation to the people.

The reading of the proclamation has been proscribed. News of the arrest has created a sensation in Germany and Belgium, and many Europeans of neutral countries believe it to be a great blunder. The allies will watch with interest the results attained by the protest to be made by Pope Benedict, and the effect of strained relations with the church on Bavarian troops, most of whom are Catholics.

SUSPECTED SPY.

French Troops Leading A Blindfolded Intruder From Lines In Belgium.



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LAUDS AMERICAN BOUNTY

But Much More Remains to Be Done In Belgium, Says Mercier

"Words fail me to express my deep appreciation of the bountiful generosity of the American people to Belgium," says Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, in a letter to Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the American commission for relief in Belgium.

"After all that has been done and is being done by them," the cardinal's letter continues, "to help us in our trouble, it might appear unseemly on my part to ask for more; but our distress is so real and the misery caused by the war so great that I cannot but look at the future with anxiety."

The letter concludes with an appeal to the American people "to continue to keep their hearts open to us."

COTTON STEAMER HELD UP

Owners of American Vessel Make Protest to Washington

The American steamer Denver, bound for Bremen, Ger., with only cotton, from Norfolk, Dec. 23, has been detained by the British at Kirkwall, Orkney islands, north of Scotland. The owners have asked the state department at Washington to make representations.

The Denver was reported to have been loaded under the inspection not only of United States customs officials, but also of the British consular officers at Norfolk. She has aboard about 7000 bales of cotton.

WILSON TALKS TO WOMEN

Says Attitude Toward Nation-Wide Suffrage Is Unchanged

Washington, Jan. 7.—President Wilson again placed himself squarely in opposition to a constitutional amendment for woman suffrage. He made it clear to representatives of an organization of women fighting for the ballot from nearly every state in the union that he was flatly opposed to their campaign to bring about nation-wide suffrage.

The president declared he had the greatest admiration for the fight they are now making, but it did not alter his long-standing and deeply matured convictions that suffrage should be sought in the states and not from the federal government.

IDENTIFIED BY DRUGGIST

Mrs. Burns Said to Have Bought Deadly Poison In Manchester

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Mary A. Burns was confronted in the office of the jail here by William A. Chipman of a drug firm of Manchester, who identified her as the woman to whom he sold two ounces of cyanide of potassium on Dec. 12 in Manchester.

The druggist said Mrs. Burns told him that the poison was for use by a jeweler, and that she was Miss Alice Howard of Raymond, N. H.

Tuttle Left $562,000 Estate

Boston, Jan. 7.—The will of the late Lucius Tuttle of Brookline was allowed by Judge Flint in the Norfolk county court, Dedham. In all Tuttle left $562,000.

An Explained Dislike.

The first lord of the admiralty sighed. "I do not like submarines," he muttered, and then he added, "for divers reasons."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Sheriff's Sale

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Norfolk, ss.

Quincy, December 8, A. D., 1914.

Seized on execution and will be sold at public auction on Saturday the 23rd day of January, A. D., 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin Street, in said Quincy, all the right, title and interest which Samuel M. Harmon, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the said 8th day of December, at five o'clock and thirty minutes P. M. the time the same was seized on execution, in and to the following described real estate, the record or legal title standing in the name of Lydia W. Harmon, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Wollaston, being a portion of the Lot No. 9 and the whole of Lot No. 10 in Block One of Section 2 as shown on a plan of said Sections drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 402, the said lots being bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly on Highland Avenue 150 feet; Southeasterly on lot 8 in said Block 175 feet; Southwesterly on land of the Wollaston Land Associates 150 feet; Northwesterly on lot 11 in said Block 175 feet. Hereby conveying all of said two lots except so much of said lot 9 as has been conveyed by S. Milton Harmon to A. C. Sprague and Elizabeth I. Nesbett.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.

3t Jan. 7-14-21

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

For breach of the condition of a certain mortgage deed given by Katherine G. Wagner to Emily H. Burdett dated April 27, 1909, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 1108 page 376, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday the sixth day of February 1915 at 3 o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described substantially as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, known as Wollaston, being lot B, on a plan by H. T. Whitman, C. E. recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 997 page 587, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Prospect Avenue eighty-seven (87) feet distant from South Central Avenue, at the Northwesterly corner of Lot A., on said plan, thence running fifty-five (55) feet along said Prospect Avenue to Lot C. as shown on said plan; thence turning and running along said lot C. seventy-five (75) feet to the easterly corner of said lot C.; thence turning and running fifty-five (55) feet to the Northerly corner of said lot A.; thence turning and runing along said lot A. seventy-five (75) feet to the point of beginning, containing according to said plan 4125 square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Katherine G. Wagner by George H. S. Soule by deed recorded with said mortgage, and the premises will be sold subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

The premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments or liens if any. A deposit of $200. will be required at the time and place of sale. Balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

James H. Burdett and Albert F. Burdett Executors of the will of Emily H. Burdett, Mortgagee.

J. H. Soliday, Atty.

Dedham, Mass.

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NEW SUIT AGAINST WILLIAMS ESTATE

Mrs. Clara P. Colton Claims He Gave Her Worthless $1,000 Check

Another suit arising from the dealings of George E. Williams, late of Braintree, who was the Boston agent of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company has been added to the upwards of 400 already entered against his estate. It was the Ledger which first published an account of the tangle in Williams affairs, which created such a sensation.

The latest suit entered is that of Clara P. Colton, who seeks to recover on a $2000 policy issued on the life of her husband, Alfred E. Colton, who died Dec. 18, 1909.

Mrs. Colton alleges that Williams falsely represented to her that her husband had borrowed $1000 of him had assigned the policy to him as collateral, that the insurance company sent her a draft on J. P. Morgon & Co., through its agent Williams, that she was induced to take Williams check for $966.43 and in consequence of his promise to pay her substantial interest on that sum she did not try to cash the check until 1913 when she learned that Williams was dead and the check worthless.

BUFFALOES INSTALL.

Supreme President Performs Work Wednesday Evening.

Supreme President William Hart of Beverly assisted by Supreme Secretary Charles H. Finn of Quincy installed the officers of Quincy Herd, B. O. B. in Franklin hall Wednesday evening. Those installed were:

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Two years ago when there was an order before the city council to increase the number of permanent firemen it was discovered that there were call men who did not answer a single alarm from one years end to another. They showed up twice a year however to draw their pay as call firemen, receiving the balance after fines at the rate of fifty cents each had been deducted. In one particular case it was found that the fireman had received something like $39 and had not answered an alarm during the entire year.

Quincy Commandery Knights Templar are arranging to put in a number of lockers in the asylum, so that the Sir Knights will not have to take their uniforms home evenings after the conclaves.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

LANGELIER HEAD OF COMMITTEE

Quincy's Representatives Fare Rather Poorly

Senator Langelier fared well on committee appointments in the legislature but Representatives Sandberg and Ericson did not draw important committees.

Senator Langelier is chairman of the committee on harbors and lands and is also appointed to the committee on Education and Public Service.

Representative Sandberg is a member of the committee on Harbors and Public Lands and Representative Ericson of the committee on Counties.

CURIOUS BATTLEFIELDS.

One Conflict That Raged to a Large Extent Indoors.

At the battle of Monterey, in the Mexican war, our troops were able to command the streets of the city with their artillery, but they experienced much difficulty in driving the Mexicans from their houses. Accordingly, as the city was built of stone or adobe, the Americans broke through the walls from one house to another, fighting and driving out the enemy as they proceeded. Thus, it appears, the battle of Monterey was largely fought indoors.

In the time of William the Silent, when the Netherlands were fighting the Spaniards, a number of Spanish vessels became frozen in on the Zuider Zee. Out came the Dutch on horseback on the ice to attack the Spaniards. This is probably the only battle of record wherein cavalry was employed directly against a naval force.

There have been battles fought under ground. Chiefest of these was the fierce encounter pertaining to the siege of Haarlem in the Dutch wars. The Spaniards mined and the Dutch countermined with equal industry, and below the ground a terrific conflict ensued.

When, after the commune, the Versailles troops took Paris they chased certain of the communist forces to the great sewers of the capital, and in these more than one sanguinary battle occurred.—Exchange.

PROVED HIS THEORY.

Tragic Climax in a Murder Trial, but It Saved the Accused.

The acme of realism was reached, though by accident, in a criminal trial that took place a number of years ago at Lebanon, O.

Two men had a personal encounter. One of them after vainly trying to draw his pistol from his hip pocket turned to flee. A moment later he fell, shot in the small of the back. One chamber of his pistol was found to have been fired. His assailant was tried for murder.

The defense contended that the man had shot himself while trying to draw his pistol, which had become entangled in the lining of the pocket, and that the prisoner's shot had not taken effect. The prosecution contended that such a wound could not have been self inflicted.

The defendant's counsel, Clement L. Vallandigham, undertook to demonstrate to the jury just how the dead man's pistol had hung in the pocket and just how possible it was to inflict such a wound. Suddenly there was a loud report, and the lawyer sank to the floor. The ball had entered the back almost in the identical spot where the dead man had been shot.

The defendant was acquitted. Mr. Vallandigham died.—Exchange.



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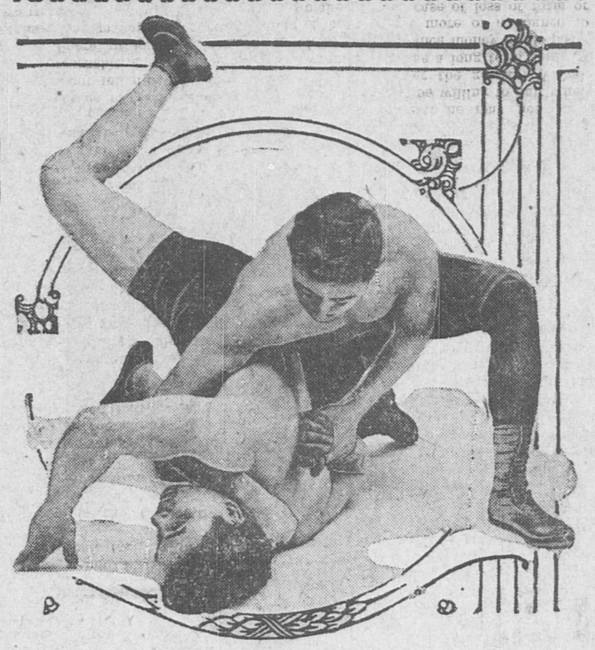


Photo by American Press Association.

GEORGE BOTHNER is one of the sporting marvels of the world. He is forty-eight years old and has been a wrestler for a third of a century. During this time he has taken part in perhaps 2,500 wrestling bouts, and he has been thrown but four times, his fourth fall coming only a short time ago when he was downed by Tarro Miyake, a Japanese much heavier than he is. A few moments later he threw Miyake and thereby won the match, as the Jap had contracted to throw Bothner three times in an hour. Bothner has never been thrown by a man in his class. He has wrestled with men weighing twice as much as himself, and one of them, Yussouf, the Terrible Turk, almost killed him by throwing him across the ring and giving his neck a twist from which Bothner did not recover for weeks. On another occasion Bothner showed a pupil a leg hold on the neck after cautioning him not to apply it too severely. The man was much heavier than Bothner, and he applied the hold so strongly that Bothner was nearly choked to death and would probably have been killed had not an attendant forced the pupil to release his teacher. The picture shows Bothner applying the half nelson and hammer lock.

LITTLE BITS OF SPORTING CHAT

Ball Clubs Carry More Men Than Are Needed.

COULD MAKE BIG SAVINGS.

Instead of Twenty-five or Thirty Players a Roster of Twenty or Twenty-one Would Be Large Enough—Boston Braves and the Athletics Really Use Few Men In Games.

Hank Severeid, the St. Louis Browns' new catcher, is a Norwegian. He caught for the Cincinnati Reds last year. Joe Tinker sent Severeid to Louisville. Frank Bancroft, business manager of the Reds, tells a good one on Severeid.

"Hank had his hand split one day in New York," said Bancroft. "Next morning I met him in the hotel rotunda. He had his crippled mitt bandaged up.

"'How is the fin getting along?' said I.

"'I bane no Finn; I bane a Norwegian,' replied Severeid.

"And he can play ball, don't forget that. Best young catcher I ever saw. Wish we had him back here," said Bancroft.

Those baseball moguls who are shrieking about the high cost of baseballing could swat the aforementioned high cost a lusty swat by using the paring knife on their rosters.

It seems to be fashionable, but entirely unnecessary, for major league clubs to carry from twenty-five to thirty men on their payroll all year long. Those clubs could get along just as nicely by carrying twenty players and no more. Such a plan would annually save the clubs about $25,000 in salaries and about $5,000 in traveling expenses.

The average major league club now carries about ten pitchers, four catchers, six outfielders, six infielders, one or two general utility men, a manager, an assistant manager (or coach) and two trainers.

A major league ball club could operate, and successfully, with six pitchers, three catchers, four outfielders, five infielders, one general utility man, one manager and one trainer. That would make a total of twenty-one men, including the manager and a trainer, nineteen players.

The Boston Braves are a fine example of how much can be accomplished with few men. The Braves, it is true, carried as many men on its roster last year as any other team, but the Braves used fewer men after Stallings had decided upon his combination than any other team.

The Athletics are another example of how much can be accomplished with few players. The Athletics carried about twenty-five players during the year, yet Connie Mack could have accomplished the same thing with sixteen men, for the other nine men did little else than warm the bench during the entire season.

Others than George Stallings waited with apprehension the verdict on the illness of Johnny Evers. Like most every regular fighter, Evers runs into danger and encounters accidents and other misfortunes. The list of these as compiled by a western writer sums up his case like this:

Broke his leg sliding home.
Fired as manager of the Cubs.
Told he was through as a ball player by C. W. Murphy.
Present in an automobile accident in which a baseball writer lost his life.
Suffered a siege of nervous prostration.
Lost a fortune and went almost broke when his shoe business failed.
Lost one of his children.
His home at Troy was rifled by burglars.
Stricken with pneumonia in New York.

Harry Howell, who arbitrated in the Texas league for two seasons, has been signed by the Federal league. Harry once was booked for a job in the American league, but he unfortunately was present the day that Larry Lajoie made eight hits at Sportsman's park, and Ban Johnson called all bets off.

One great incentive to jumping to the Feds is the fact that the baseball player cannot count on tomorrow. The future of the baseball player is today. No player can say what the morrow may bring. A broken leg, a slipped sinew and his days of play are over. Rankin Johnson, for instance, was offered a large contract by the Feds after he had twice beaten Walter Johnson in close games. Rankin thought he had a future in the American league and rejected the Federal proposition. A few days later his arm went bad, and very shortly Manager Carrigan of Boston traded him to a minor league club. Johnson, however, managed to get a Federal contract and jumped. Of course, it may be said that a player should not seek money that he may not earn; that he should be willing to quit when he can't deliver the goods. Withal, when a man has a long term contract with large advance money in his pocket he will get more of a chance to make good in case of loss of form or injury than if he were signed to a mere ten day contract. Then a ball player may get hurt while giving the best that is in him, as Harry Howell got hurt in 1908. In any event, regarding this phase of it, the player cannot be blamed for getting all that is in sight so long as he does not act dishonestly in doing so.

The war emergency act has imposed a tax of $5 on each billiard table and bowling alley in use in the United States, which will mean a revenue to the government of approximately $3,500,000, as statistics show that there are more than 80,000 billiard rooms and nearly 16,000 bowling alleys in the country.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The no-school signal sounded at 7.30 this morning.

A fine concert is promised for this evening in the Masonic apartments, immediately following the regular communication of Rural lodge.

A large delegation from West Quincy attended the 3d annual dance of the Comical club in Music hall, South Weymouth, Wednesday evening.

The body of John Gilbert who died suddenly Tuesday evening at his home at 124 Elm avenue was taken to Lynn today for burial.

Narcissus LeClair of the firm of Le Clair Bros., has gone to New York City on a busines trip. Mr. LeClair will cover the whole state of New York before returning.

The subject "The Child at Play and at Work" was the subject considered under the leadership of Mrs. R. F. Trumper, at the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Board of Wollaston.

The installation of the newly elected officers of the I. C. of A. was held at Clan MacGregor hall Tuesday evening. The meeting was one of the largest attended for many months.

ENJOYABLE HOUSE PARTY.

A house party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Hurley of 190 Glendale road last evening. Games of all kinds were enjoyed until a late hour. Misses Celia Conners and Marion Duffy played the piano while John Curtin and Annie Connors rendered several pleasing solos and duets. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Louise Connors, Mary Connors, Marion Duffy Mrs Philip Garity, Mrs. Charles Millett, Mrs. Theodore Andrews, Charles Millett, Philip Garity and Thomas Fallon.

PRATT'S BREAD is always in favor because delicious in flavor. Your grocer.

MRS. MARY E. RYAN.

The funeral of Mary E. Ryan, widow of John H. Ryan, whose death followed a short illness at the Quincy City Hospital took place this morning from her home at 113 Common street and was largely attended.

The high mass of requiem at St. Mary's church was celebrated by Rev. Dr. Andrew J. O'Brien, professor of dogmatic theology at St. John's seminary at Brighton, nephew of the deceased. He also said prayers at the grave in St. Mary's cemetery. Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, pastor, was on the altar during the services.

The musical portion of the mass was the Gregorian chant, rendered by the regular choir.

Delegations were present from St. Ambrose court, M. C. F. and Auxiliary 23, A. O. H., with which societies Mrs. Ryan was affiliated.

MRS. NELLIE M. COSKI.

Nellie M. Coski, of Maynard, daughter of Mrs. Matti Keisler of 25 McDonald street, died Wednesday and her body will be brought here for burial. She was the wife of Louis F. Coski and has been a patient at the Cullis Home for Consumptives at Roxbury.

The Revels! Of what does this entertainment consist? A dance, a fine vaudeville performance, a pageant, a supper and a good many hearty laughs. One of the jolliest times of the year. Frolic and fun and lots of life! Come and drive dull care away! Remember the date. The fifteenth of January. That is play day for all. Clean mirth and jolly fun. Everybody dances and everyone sings and joins in the rollicking merry making.

DEATHS

COSKI—In Roxbury, Jan. 6, Nellie M. Coski of Maynard, Mass., in her 25th year.

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Fresh Herring	4 for **10c**
Labrador Salt Herring	3 for **10c**
Smoked Bloaters	3 for **10c**
Finnan Haddies	**12c** lb.
Salt Cod Fish (broken)	**10c** lb.
Salt Mackerel (extra large and fancy)	**15c each**
Salt Mackerel (small size)	**5c each**
Tuna Fish (large can) 25c value	**22c can**
Red Alaska Salmon, ~~20c value~~	**15c can**
Crab Meat (fancy quality) large can	**25c**
Lobsters (large can)	**38c**

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BEETS			
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Hatchet, Baby size, large can	18c	"	1.95 doz
SQUASH			
Choice Marrow	12½c	"	1.40 doz
SPINACH			
Hatchet, clean and fine quality	15c	"	1.60 doz
SAUR KRAUT			
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SCHOOLS FORM NEW LEAGUE

Directors Complete Organization at Meeting in High School

Make Up Base Ball Schedule and Discuss Foot ball and Basket Ball

The organization of the South Shore Interscholastic league, which includes the fastest high school teams of Norfolk and Plymouth counties, was completed at Quincy Thursday. A base ball schedule was prepared. The matter of extending the league to football and probably to basket ball was discussed.

John E. Cosgrove of Weymouth was elected president and Frank L. Mansur of Quincy High was elected secretary-treasurer. The board of Governors to direct the league will include both those officers, Arthur E. Staff of Brockton High school, E. Reginald Nash of Milton High and Thomas Pickett of Rockland High.

The league, the first of its kind on the south of Boston, was proposed by H. W. Gammons while he was principal of the Rockland High school. He lost no time in acquainting the High school coaches with his idea and the preliminary meeting was held Nov. 19th. at Rockland. Details were completed as speedily as possible and the final steps were taken at Quincy High school Thursday afternoon.

A constitution was practically adopted and a complete schedule has been prepared. It is expected that the league will give athletics the biggest boost they ever received on the South Shore.

None of the four teams, excepting Brockton has had a league experience and it is understood that they are to withdraw from the Southeastern league with which they now are affiliated. Each team plays two games around the circuit. The schedule follows:

May 5 Weymouth at Milton.
May 11 Rockland at Milton.
May 14 Quincy at Brockton.
May 15 Rockland at Weymouth.
May 18 Milton at Brockton.
May 19 Weymouth at Quincy.
May 22 Milton at Quincy.
May 25 Rockland at Brockton.
May 26 Quincy at Weymouth.
May 28 Quincy at Rockland.
May 29 Brockton at Weymouth.
June 1 Brockton at Rockland.
June 2 Quincy at Milton.
June 4 Milton at Rockland.
June 5 Weymouth at Brockton.
June 8 Milton at Weymouth.
June 8 Rockland at Quincy.
June 11 Weymouth at Rockland.
June 11 Brockton at Quincy.
June 15 Brockton at Milton.

CATHOLIC CLUB HAS MEETING

Tender Reception to Fr. Owens after Business Session

Fr. Michael J. Owens, pastor of St. John's parish was tendered a reception by the members of the Quincy Catholic Club after the regular meeting in Colonial hall Thursday evening. The attendance was the largest of the year. Father Owens gave the members a short talk on the value of societies.

During the social hour following the meeting vocal solos were rendered by Miss Helen Brick of Dorchester, and Miss Nora Reardon of West Quincy and Miss Corinne LaBrecque gave a reading in the French dialect.

The business meeting completed arrangements for the Gentlemen's Night to be held in Colonial Hall on Jan. 14 and for the presentation of "The Real Thing" in Alpha hall on Jan. 26.

Both will be under the direction of the dramatic committee, Miss Mary Lyons, Miss Louise Crowley, Miss Annie Walsh and Miss Emma Biganess. Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis is the coach.

Miss Helen H. Gavin gave an instructive talk on the Forsyth Hospital recently opened in Boston for children's dentistry.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity.

Saturday fair with seasonable temperature and moderate westerly winds

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.30
Length of day	9.17
Moon rises	12.39
High water, A. M.	5.00
High water, P. M.	5.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 14 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	60 degrees
Jan. 8, 1914,	45 degrees
Jan. 8, 1913,	44 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

DIDN'T HELP THEM.

House-Owner—How does your furnace work this weather?

Tenant—The exercise of raking it keeps me warm enough, but the other members of the family complain.—New York Weekly.

MRS. ANNIE MATTSON.

Mrs. Annie Mattson, widow of Frank Mattson, died Thursday at the Cullis Home for Consumptives in Roxbury. She was in her 32nd year and formerly lived at 46 Smith street. She leaves three children.

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PRESENT PIN TO DISTRICT DEPUTY

Lodge Skandia Holds Annual Installation

Mrs. Eva Holmberg of Brockton, district deputy of Lodge Skandia, Vasa Orden, was pleasantly remembered after she installed the officers Thursday night with a solid gold, pearl studded lodge pendant. The presentation was made by Past President Carl Bonivier and was a surprise to Mr. Holmberg and the members of Enighet lodge who accompanied her.

On the staff of the installing officer were Vice Deputy Miss Selma Nelson, Grand Secretary Hjalmar Stenberg, Vice Grand Secretary Edward Holmberg, Grand Financial Secretary Miss Ruth Swanson, Grand Treasurer Henry Pierson, Grand Chaplain Edwin Dzelius, Grand Inside Guard Hjalmar Nelson, Grand Outside Guard Dr. Hjalmar Ahlstrom, Past Grand Master Emile O. Kempe, Master of Ceremonies Abel Max.

The evening's program included the installation and business meeting, followed by a banquet and dancing. Electa and Protection halls were crowded by members and friends. Anton Nelson for the second time was awarded the $5 gold piece for presenting the largest number of applications.

The officers installed:

President—Olaf Hanson.
Vice President—Mrs. Josephine Bonnivier.
Recording Secretary—Carl Erickson.
Assistant—Gustave Erickson.
Financial Secretary—Carl Bastin.
Treasurer—Olaf Sandstrom.
Chaplain—Mrs. Hilma Nelson.
Master of Ceremonies—Eric Skoglund.
Assistant Master of Ceremonies—Mrs. Gunhild Anderson.
Inner Guard—Olaf Anderson.
Outside Guard—Walfred Anderson.
Trustee for three years—Anton Nelson.
Chairman of Trustees—Sven Heldstrom.
Auditors—Messrs. Narsten, Hedin, Carlstrom.

ARRESTED IN NEW YORK

Basile Defaulted In Superior Court

Carmine Basile, the cut price news dealer at the Quincy Adams station, who was defaulted in the superior court at Dedham has been arrested in New York. Inspector Alfred W. Goodhue left today to bring him back for trial.

Basile conducted a small variety store at Water street and Federal avenue and created no end of excitement through the sale of Sunday papers at reduced rates. He was raided last September by the local police and convicted in the District court on a charge of keeping and exposing liquor for sale. He was fined $100 and entered an appeal. Bail was set at $500. A few days after he furnished it and disappeared. He was defaulted last week at Dedham.

WAS 82 YEARS OLD.

Mrs. Georgianna Sanger Dies at Home Of Daughter.

Mrs. Georgianna Sanger, widow of C. Henry Sanger, well known in Braintree and Quincy, died at Atlantic Thursday afternoon in her 82nd year.

Mrs. Sanger lived in Braintree until nine years ago when she came to this city to make her home with her daughter Mrs. Fannie B. Fish of 95 East Squantum street. She also leaves one son who is now in Nevada.

The body will be taken to Concord, N. H., on Sunday for funeral services and burial.

G. A. R. VETERANS INSTALLATION

James H. Webb Performs Office Eighth Time

Past Commander James H. Webb for the eighth time installed the officers of the 54 surviving members of Paul Revere post, G. A. R., in Grand Army hall Thursday night. Assisting him was Past Commander George L. Phillips as officer of the day.

Among those present at the exercises were Martin Murray of the 22d Regt. N. Y., and William H. Easton of the 12 Regt. Penn., both of whom joined within the past few weeks thus giving the local post the honor of being the only one in the state which held an initiation the past year.

Appointive officers for the relief and sick committees will be announced at the next meeting. Chowder was served at the conclusion of the exercises and cigars, presented by C. C. Hearn, were distributed.

Nothing of importance was proposed at the business meeting relative to the post surrendering its charter and affiliating with Sylvanus Thayer post of Braintree. The officers installed:

Commander—Mark E. Hanson.
Senior Vice Commander—Thomas Ring.
Junior Vice Commander—Charles P. Costa.
Quartermaster—Francis P. Loud.
Adjutant—James H. Webb.
Chaplain—Wyman Nightingale.
Sergeant—James W. Pierce.
Officer of the Guard—William Bird.
Surgeon Major—Dr. C. M. Marston.
Quartermaster Sergeant—Calvin T Dyer.
Patriotic Instructor—George L. Phillips.
Drummer—Wyman B Nightingale.
House committee—Francis P. Loud. Charles Costa.

STEALS COAT AT Y. M. C. A.

It is reported that Fred Kingsbury of Wollaston had an overcoat stolen Wednesday night from the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The report of the theft came to Mayor Campbell who got in touch with Sec. Bromley who said that aside from an overcoat taken Wednesday night none had been taken for some time and that there was no wholesale stealing of coats as had been reported. Sec. Bromley informed the mayor that when a coat was stolen before the police had been notified but nothing had ever been heard from them.

The theft was reported to the police this morning by Sec. Bromley who said that the coat was hanging in the cloak room and that when the young man went for it to go home it was missing. Whether the coat was taken for a joke Sec. Bromley did not know but he reported it as having been stolen. Inspector Goodhue says that the only other case reported, that he remembers, was a year or more ago when a pair of gloves was reported as having been taken. They were not recovered.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE.

Relife Fund to Date.

Quincy Committee	$95.75
Local Treasurer	31.00
Total for Quincy	$126.75
Total for state of Mass.	$6,498.25

Henry J. Rendle chairman of committee, John Pascoe treasurer of committee.

Make all checks or money orders payable to local treasurer Thomas L. Williams, Jeweler, Hancock street.

THIRD UNION MEETING.

The third and last of the series of union prayer meetings of the Wollaston Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches was held Thursday evening at the latter church. The meeting was in charge of Rev. George W. Bailey, the topic for the meeting being "Prayer for the Unconverted."

MASONS SING NATIONAL HYMN

Three Hundred at Concert of Rural Lodge

Never was "America" sung with more spirit and feeling than at the concert which followed the regular communication of Rural Masonic lodge Thursday evening. As the words, "My Country 'Tis of Thee," were sung by nearly three hundred voices, it reminded one of the great choruses sung at the Peace Jubilee in Boston in '76.

The communication was one of the largest attended for a long time, even exceeding the number present on visitation nights. Not only were many of the past masters of Rural lodge present, but also Wor. George L. Farrar of Orphans Hope lodge, as well as many of the craft who are not affiliated with Rural lodge. The regular communication was opened at 6.15 and the business of the evening was completed a little after 8 o' clock. Chairs were then brought into the lodge room which proved none too large to accommodate those present.

Then came the concert, which was conceded by all to have been one of the most enjoyable heard in a long time. The artists to contribute were Miss Edith S. Roubound, violinist, Mrs. Alice Barton Willard, soprano soloist. Miss Marie J. Clouer, reader and Miss Agnes Olsen accompanist.

The program opened with a piano solo, "Saxonne waltz" and was followed by Miss Clouer, whose first selection was a one act play, the scene being laid in Mistress Penelope's school room, in Pennsylvania during the revolutionary peroid. To many of the audience it was Miss Clouer's first appearance, but this first appearance won for her many friends. She was a winsome little lady and her rendition of the touching little play brought forth rounds of applause. For an encore she gave "Going back to Mandalay."

Later in the evening Miss Clouer again appeared and gave another one act play, the scene for this being laid in the office of Dr. Rawson. It was entitled "First Aid to the Injured" and for an encore "The Obstructing Hat in the Pit." The latter was in dialect and caused much laughter.

Mrs. Willard the soloist was also down for two numbers. Her first selection was "Il Baccia" by Arditi and her two encores "Annie Laurie" and "Coming through the Rye." For her second number she sang two selections, "Tis not Because your Heart is Mine" and "Fairy Pipers."

Mrs. Willard's singing was greatly enjoyed. Her voice is one of wide range, and power and her high notes came as clear as a bell.

Miss Roubound, the violinist, also readily captured the audience, and her numbers were greatly enjoyed. She immediately showed herself a master of the violin and the applause that was accorded her showed how much her playing was enjoyed. For her first selection she gave "Kuiawiak Mazurka" and for her second number "Adoration." She also responded to encores at each of her appearances.

At the close of the concert Wor. H. Everett Crane said in view of what was going on in European countries, it would not be out of place to sing "America," if someone would volunteer to play. Miss Olson, one of the artists, immediately volunteered and the brethren led by Bros. Albert L. Hayden and Clement Nash, sang with feeling.

The concert over the brethren adjourned to the main anti room where for half an hour there was a genuine "Old Fashioned Sing" with Elmer E. Ricker at the piano. Lieut. Downs, who is forming the gun company in Quincy, was introduced, just long enough to make a statement about the company which was being formed. He said that he desired some more good material for the company and extended an invitation to those eligible to attend the next meeting.

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MURDERER MAY BE IN QUINCY

Joseph Conti Who Killed Brother-In-Law, Lived in Braintree

Committed Crime at Sister's Home in Connecticut

Joseph Conti, the South Braintree Italian and a Quincy night school student, who murdered Dr. Delprano, his brother-in-law at South Norwalk, Ct., Thursday and escaped is believed to be headed for Braintree and the police of that town and Quincy are on the look out.

Patrolman John Shay who was acquainted with Conti has been assigned to the case by Chief of Police Hunt and he has been searching since the Norwalk police asked assistance.

Delprano was well known among the foreign population of Quincy and Braintree. His wife, Conti's sister, who was in the room when the murder took place, collapsed and is a physical wreck.

Joseph Conti boarded with Michael Chiccolo, 127 Pond street, South Braintree, and was employed in the shoe factory of Rice & Hutchins of the same place. Conti's two brothers, Michael and John, boarded at the same place.

Conti worked up till Wednesday noon, when he went to Boston. He gave sickness as an excuse for leaving work. Nothing more was heard from him n South Braintree until Chief of Police Hunt got a telegram from South Norwalk asking the Braintree police to be on the lookout for the fellow. Chief Hunt assigned Patrolman Shay on the case, as that officer knows the Italian section well.

Conti was 21 years old, was Americanized and dressed in a fashionable manner. He was also ambitious and attended the night schools in Quincy all winter. He had lived in South Braintree about nine months and was popular with the young Americans there as he was a good natured lad and did his best to become Americanized so as to be "good company."

SANDBERG HEADS COMMITTEE.

Is Chairman of Harbors and Lands Committee.

Representative Edward J. Sandberg was one of the committee at Thursday's session of the legislature appointed to notify the governor, lieutenant governor and council that the legislature was ready to receive the governor.

While Representative Sandberg received the appointment to but one committee, that appointment is an important one as he was given the chairmanship of the House committee on Harbors and Public Lands. Senator Langelier is chairman of the Senate committee on Harbors and Lands Representative Sandberg served on this committee, considered one of the most important of the legislature, last year.

That Representative Ericson received an appointment to but one committee, occasions no surprise for in the House no first year man is ever given more than one committee.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL.

Maj-Gen. Thomas B. Mathews, M. V. M. retired, who has been a patient at the Corey Hospital Brookline the past three months is at his home on Fenno street, Wollaston Park. General Mathews was operated on several times and is rapidly improving. He expects to be at his Boston office within a few weeks.

CRIME IS LIGHT.

There was but one criminal case in court this morning, that of Harry Badearo, for assault on Ida Spector. A fine of $5 was imposed.

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BURGLARS ENTER FIVE COTTAGES

Police Investigate Breaks at Wollaston

Patrolman Edward Curtin while investigating a burglary of a Wollaston beach cottage discovered Thursday that five have been broken into since they were closed for the season. The value of the goods stolen has not yet been furnished the police by the owners.

All the cottages are situated on the Wollaston boulevard. The first intimation that they had been entered came from one of the owners who smelled a rat when he saw the curtains raised. He phoned the police immediately, stating the curtains had been tightly drawn when he closed the cottage. Patrolman Curtin made an immediate investigation.

MACHINE GUN HAS ARRIVED

One of the machine guns issued by the state to the new company now being formed in Quincy has reached the Quincy freight shed and will be placed on exhibition in the Kincaide window within a day or so.

Lieut. Downs, in charge of the company has received 52 applications for membership. Examination of applicants will take place at an early date.

Most Profitable

THAT THE MOST PROFITABLE ADVERTISING IS THAT DONE THROUGH NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES IS THE BELIEF OF R. R. UPDEGRAFF, WHO LECTURED BEFORE THE PILGRIM PUBLICITY ASSOCIATION RETAIL ADVERTISING FORUM IN BOSTON, JAN. 5. MR. UPDEGRAFF CLAIMED, ALSO, THAT IT WAS NOT NECESSARY TO USE BRIEF COPY, FOR IF THE STORY IS WELL TOLD, HE FOUND PEOPLE WOULD READ IT EVEN IN SMALL TYPE.

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WASTEFULNESS.

If a penny saved is a penny earned there is one department at city hall where many pennies could be saved. Every six months the water bills go out. If a person owns one house or twenty he receives a separate bill for each.

For instance, a man Wednesday received bills on which the postage was over twenty cents and two cents would have carried the whole in one envelope at a saving of time to the mailing clerk, to the letter carrier, and much more to the convenience and comfort of the recipient.

Why should the bills be addressed to the house number instead of to the owner? The owner cannot possibly live in all the houses, neither does he receive his mail there. The chances are good that if the bills were delivered as addressed they would never reach the proper parties, as tenants may not consider it their business to forward them. It is due to the post office and not to the water department office that the water bills every six months are delivered with reasonable accuracy.

The correct name and address, to the writer's knowledge, has been repeatedly given to the water office in several cases, but without any result.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young has another problem to solve and her solution will be watched with interest. The women's dean of the University of Chicago has protested against the color line drawn at high school dances. She claims that the public schools are an agency for fostering democracy, and that the separate dances held for the negroes hurts the democratic spirit and sympathy.

It is certainly a notable feat that Acting Sec. of the Navy Roosevelt has announced. He said the navy department had succeeded in establishing reliable, and constant wireless communication between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts. This, experts agree, is a remarkable achievement, because the atmospheric conditions require a perfection of radio devices not heretofore reached.

The stores are displaying Easter cards, also summer gowns and hats and even the weather man is handing out some samples that do not seem just like mid-winter.

There was a drop in flour Thursday as evidenced by several white patches on Goffe street.

Old Time Sea Food.

A glance at the fish shops today arouses the reflection that one could have fasted with far more variety in the middle ages. Where is now the whale of yesteryear that was roasted and served on the spit or boiled with peas, the tongue and tail being the choicest parts? The porpoise, too, was a royal dish, roasted whole and eaten with mustard, when Henry VII. was king, and so was the grampus or sea wolf. The lamprey, after its one dramatic and regicidal performance, seems to have lost its popularity, and nobody nowadays is anxious to eat the limpet. Many fish, however, seem to have endured throughout the ages, such as the sprat and herring, eaten especially in Lent; the oyster (officially a fish) and the anchovy, sternly anathematized by old Tobias Venner in 1620 as "food for drunkards."—London Standard.

A Floral Murderer.

The mocassin plant is a wanton murderer. Its flowers are so shaped as to lure ants and other wingless insects to them. Once inside they have small chance to escape. There they stay, struggling until they starve to death. These orchids are not considered insect eaters, but they undoubtedly draw a certain amount of nourishment from the decayed bodies of their insect prey. Many other flowers trap insects, which they kill and gradually digest as food.

The Eagle.

"As free as a bird in the air," we say. Now, of all the birds of the air the eagle is king and, therefore, of all birds he is the freest. This fact, coupled with the eagle's independence, self reliance and unconquerable courage, caused it to be chosen as the emblem of our republic.

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WAS DESTROYED BY SUBMARINE

Britain Admits Formidable Was Sunk by Germans

HIT BY TWO TORPEDOES

Assertion That Only Four German Raiders Are Now at Sea—Cradock's Squadron, Dispatched to the Pacific, Declared Wholly Incompetent to Destroy Ships of the Enemy

London, Jan. 8.—The Marquis of Crewe announced in the house of lords that it was the definite opinion of the British admiralty that the battleship Formidable had been sunk by two torpedoes discharged by a submarine.

The Earl of Selborne, former first lord of the admiralty, in an address in the house of lords, described the dispatch of Sir Christopher Cradock's squadron to the Pacific as a blunder, as the squadron, he said, was wholly incompetent for the task assigned to it, to destroy the German warships there. He then asked for more information concerning the loss of the battleships Formidable and Bulwark and the data about other naval operations.

The Marquis of Crewe said he could not add anything to what Winston S. Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, had said in the house of commons. Before adjournmet, however, the marquis said that, in the opinion of the admiralty, the Formidable had been struck by two torpedoes fired by a submarine.

He added that the captain of the Formidable had sent signals to the other ships not to stand by, which was taken to mean that submarines were in the vicinity and that they might suffer the same fate as his ship.

There were only two German cruisers and two armored merchantmen to carry on commerce raiding, the Marquis of Crewe said, and they could not long escape the allies' ships. The manning of new ships, including monitors, he added, had beeen completely provided for.

The Formidable was sunk in the English channel on Jan. 1, with a loss of more than 500 men. The British admiralty, in its earlier reports, said it was unable to state whether the disaster had been caused by a mine or a torpedo.

On Jan. 4 the German official press bureau announced the receipt by the admiralty of a wireless report from a German submarine, whose commander stated that he had sunk the Formidable off Plymouth, and that the submarine had escaped undamaged.

TO PROBE LIFE OF ROGERS

Grand Jury Will Look Into Affairs of New York Lawyer

New York, Jan. 8.—The grand jury of Bronx county will be asked by District Attorney Martin to look into all the data which the district attorney has about Lorlys E. Rogers and determine whether he is guilty of any crime in the course of his triple domestic entanglements.

It will be asked to say whether his relations with Mrs. Ida Sniffen Walters, the mother of his two children who died of poison given by her, in themselves were a violation of law. They will be asked to decide whether he purchased the poison, and, if he did, whether he purchased it legally and for a legal purpose.

"There has been much criticism of this office," said Martin, "for not having taken action before now. But until now it has been my impression that the unfortunate woman in the hospital was at the point of death. She is now the way to a speedy recovery and the matter stands different."

DIRE THREAT FULFILLED

Fire Started by Crooks Causes $200,000 Loss In Pittsburg Suburb

Pittsburg, Jan. 8.—Following threats by alleged "black handers" that they would burn down the town of Wilkinsburg unless the police dropped their war upon bands of foreign criminals, fire broke out in that suburb and caused a loss of $200,000. Two persons were overcome by smoke.

The fire broke out shortly after Policeman Snyder was shot by three supposed yeggmen whom he attempted to arrest.

Historic Ferry May Quit Business

Boston, Jan. 8.—Unless the directors of the Winnisimmet, or Chelsea Ferry, can solve the problem of increasing the income the service may be suspended. The ferry is the oldest in this country, having been established in 1633.

Four Strangled to Death

Montreal, Jan. 8.—Mrs. Robert Van Looy, wife of a soldier in the Belgian army, and her three children were found strangled to death in their home here. The police say it is quadruple murder.

"Cure" For Bald Heads

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 8.—"Bald headed men may grow hair by having their teeth pulled," Dr. Wile of the University of Michigan told the Calhoun County Medical society. Wile is partially bald.

WOUNDED BAVARIAN MAKES KAISER LAUGH.

The London Daily Mail says that according to a Silesian provincial newspaper the kaiser has been pouring out his heart to wounded German soldiers about "the many English calumnies, of which the war has been so prolific."

After asking the convalescents at a base hospital in the eastern theater of the war about the nature of their wounds and congratulating them on the latest successes of their regiments, the war lord turned the conversation to the all pervading theme, England. Suddenly a stalwart Bavarian, who had listened wide eyed to the kaiser's remarks, sat up in bed and shouted in a rich provincial accent:

"Your majesty, you have a fine lot of relations!"

Everybody present, the narrative says, was speechless with indignation over the Bavarian's strong language, but the kaiser laughed heartily, stepped over to the soldier's bed, slapped him jovially on the shoulder and gave him a hearty handshake of goodby.

WOMAN TAXICAB DRIVER AT WORK IN NEW YORK.

First of Sex to Invade Gotham Wears Leopard Cap and Cape.

A taxicab driving east on Fiftieth street, New York city, entered Broadway and stopped on Broadway. The driver was Miss Wilma K. Russey, the first woman taxicab driver in New York city.

Even before it was seen the driver was wearing skirts her appearance attracted attention. She wore on her head a huge cap of leopard skin and around her neck and over her shoulders the yellow and black spotted pelt of the same fierce animal. As soon as the car stopped and the driver climbed down there was no further room for mistake. She wore a brown skirt that came down just below the tops of her high tan boots and a brown jacket. Her forearms were lost in black leather gloves that came to the elbow.

Several other taxi drivers on the corners formed groups and discussed the feminine invasion of their business. Finally they decided to accept it gracefully. They talked shop and gave her advice until a party of men came up and asked if her taxicab was engaged.

"Where do you want to go?" she asked.

"No place in particular," answered one of the men. "Just take us down Broadway a-ways. All we want is to have the first ride in your taxi."

The car traveled down Broadway, making a sensation for several blocks. Then Miss Russey collected the first fare and tip ever collected by a woman taxicab driver in New York city. It was a big tip, Miss Russey said, but she would not name the amount.

LIMITS THE LYLE CHIMES.

Wealthy Tenafly (N. J.) Widow Restricted to Four Times a Day.

Vice Chancellor Vivian M. Lewis made an order in Jersey City, N. J., regulating the playing of chimes at Happyland, the Tenafly estate of Mrs. Gertrude Lyle, the wealthy widow of John F. Lyle. Persons living in Tenafly had testified that their nerves were being shattered by the jangling of the 2,000 ton bells in the Lyle tower, which were rung at frequent intervals, night and day.

The chimes were installed in August, 1913. In September Mrs. Lyle's neighbors appealed to the local board of health for relief from the chimes. By November the Tenafly folk learned from the local board of health and the state board of health that no relief could be granted from that quarter. Last January Mrs. Alice Bailey, who lived with her father, Charles T. Buckley, an aged lawyer, 150 feet from the memorial tower, and Henry J. Brunton and his wife, who lived 200 feet from the tower, employed Wendell J. Wright to start injunction proceedings against Mrs. Lyle to stop the bells.

The decision of the vice chancellor provides that quarter hourly playing of a theme from Elijah must cease. This theme, which consists of eight notes, may be played three times each day, once at 8 o'clock in the morning, once at noon and again at sunset. Mrs. Lyle may also have one hymn tune played each day upon the chimes and two on Sunday.

WHEAT CROP MAKES A TOWN

It Was Prairie About a Month Ago and Now Has 500 Inhabitants.

All recent records of town building have been shattered by the growth of Killdeer, N. D., terminus of the north line branch out of Mandan. About a month ago the site was bare prairie. Today five elevators are in course of construction, the Northern Pacific Railroad company is building a roundhouse and small shops, two banks, a newspaper office, a hundred residences and thirty-five stores are being built.

There are at least 500 persons there now, making their homes in tents or box shanties until adequate quarters can be built.

Killdeer is in Dunn county and in the center of a community that is changing from stock to wheat farming.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

Coach Carl S. Hall of the high school hockey team has arranged the schedule for this season, with the exception of a few games. The schedule appears to be a stiff one and some very interesting games are promised. The first comes Saturday afternoon with Arlington High on the Cunningham rink where all the games will be played with the exception of two. The Arlington team defeated Newton Wednesday and the local boys will have to put up a good game to win. There are now fifteen men out for the team and captain Hugh Robertson expects to develop a snappy aggregation with such men as Luce, "Doc" Crowell, "Lang" Parsons, "Mayor" White and "Zeke" McGuire. The schedule is as follows:

Jan. 9 Arlington H. S. at Milton.
Jan. 13 Boston Latin at Milton.
Jan. 19 Milton Academy at Milton.
Jan. 27 Somerville H. S. at Somerville.
Feb. 5 Medford H. S. at Milton.
Feb. 10 Dorchester H. S. at Milton.
Feb. 17 Somerville H. S. at Milton.
Feb. 19 Newton H. S. at Newton.
Feb. 26 English H. S. at Milton.

A large number attended the annual business meeting and election of officers of the Ladies Aid society of the East Congregational church Wednesday afternoon in the church vestry. An excellent entertainment in charge of Mrs. Olaf Olson, Mrs. Harry Elder and Mrs. Edmund Carlton furnished enjoyment. Mrs. Marshall L. Abbott who was re-elected president was presented with a large bouquet of pinks. The newly elected officers are:

President—Mrs. M. L. Abbott.
Vice President—Mrs. Ira Hill.
Secretary—Mrs. A. A. Brackett.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Hamlin.

The public schools of the town were closed Thursday on account of the storm.

During the strong gale early Thursday morning one of the gates at the East Milton railroad crossing was broken in two.

In the mixed bowling match at Cuningham gym Wed. evening, team two defeated team six, 4 to 0, and team eight defeated team four by the same score. Campbell made the highest three string, 273, and also the high single, 99.

The Neighborhood club holds its annual supper and election of officers this evening in the basement of the East Congregational church.

At the First Baptist church Sunday evening in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. Hamilton Woodsum, who will preach at the Hillside chapel, Dr. F. P. Batchelder of Boston, will give an illustrated address on "Tell Me a True Story," or "Hearing the Voice."

NEW TELEPHONES.

Following are the subscribers connected with the Quincy Exchange for the week ending Jan. 6:

493M—Bianchi, Emilio, Shirley St.
356-5—Cass, H. W., 3 School St.
893M—Lelyveld The Shoe Man, 3 Maple St.
1315W—Johnston, Andrew S., 249 Safford St.
1573M—Kenyon, George, 53 Stewart Street.
1543M—Forrest, Thos. H., 61 Warren Avenue.
1752M—Pratt, Chas. L., 83 Hamilton Street.
478M—Preston, Ella Mrs., Chesley Pk.
1522W—Burrell, Andrew F., 3 Hudson Street.
1872M—Sim, John A., 35 Spear St.
558W—Johnson, G. A., 285 Whitwell Street.
1202M—Taylor, Charles H., Berkeley Terrace.
1251W—Perrault, L. N., 96 Appleton Street.
1281W—Myatt, Benson C., 39 Dysart Street
1284W—Stiles Charles M., 740 Hancock St.
744W—Smith, C. A., 18 Colby Road.
1226W—Hurd, Erlene, Miss, 88 Union St.
1530—Falconer, Robert A. 22 Stewart St.
869W—Merrill, Wm. W., 94 Billings Street.
1571W—Hirst, J. E., 18 Ferndale road.
767R—Johnson, Frank J., 9 McDonald.
1239W—Preston, J. H., 132 Billings Road.
1476M—Ellgner, Edward L., Willow Street.
2241M—Buck, Fred H., 100 Merrymount road.

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SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

A NATURAL MISTAKE.

The Botonical Old Gentleman (in public gardens)—Can you tell me, does this belong to the Arbutus family?

The Custodian—No, sir it belongs to the corporation.—London Sketch.

CAME FROM BOSTON.

"You're a pretty old man to be beggin'," said the lady to the man at the back door.

"Yes, ma'am," replied the man with his hat in his hand.

"Have you been begging all your life?"

"Not yit, ma'am."—Pathfinder.

TOUGH LUCK.

Binks—Oh, I guess your rich aunt will remember you. You made a big hit with her by going into mourning when her cat died!

Jinks—True but listen: now the other relatives accuse me of poisoning the cat to get the opportunity.—Washington Star.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

"Atkins," said the sergeant, angrily "why haven't you shaved this morning"

"Ain't I shaved?" asked Atkins, in apparent surprise.

"No, you're not!" insisted the sergeant. "And I want to know why."

"Well, you see, sergeant," replied the soldier, "there was a dozen of us using the same mirror, and I must have shaved some other man."—Saturday Journal.

LOYAL TO THE ORGANIZATION.

The new school-teacher in a rural town gave a boy a question in compound proportion for home work one evening. It included the circumstance of men working 10 hours a day to complete a certain work.

The next morning the teacher, in looking over the little pack of exercises, found this boy's sum wholly unattempted. Calling him to her, she asked why he had not tried to do the sum.

The boy, after considerable fumbling around in his pockets, brought forth a note from his father and handed it to her. Unfolding it, the teacher read:

"Miss—I refuse to let my boy do his sum you give him as it looks to me to be a slur at eight-hour sistum enny sum not more than eight hours he is welcome to do but not more."—Harper's Monthly.

SLIGHT DIFFERENCE.

"So Jack's married. Did he marry for beauty?"

"No, booty."—Boston Transcript.

TRULY FORTUNATE.

"Did your husband have any luck on his hunting trip?"

"Splendid! Didn't you hear?"

"No, what was it?"

"He got back alive."—Huston Post.

HOW TIMES DO CHANGE.

"What became of that play you wrote five years ago?"

"The managers decided it was too daring to produce."

"Send it on again."

"I did. They say it's too tame now."—Pittsburgh Post.

WATCHFUL WAITING.

Rambling through the park one afternoon, a gentleman took a seat on one of the numerous benches, and while in this restful position, he noticed a boy lying close by.

"What's the matter, young man?" he kindly asked, addressing the youngster. "Why don't you play with the other children?"

"I don't want to play," answered the boy.

"But why don't you want to play?" insisted the gentleman.

"I'm just waintin'," was the startling response of the boy. "A feller painted that bench about fifteen minutes ago, and I want to see you get up."—Pathfinder.

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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Th second monthly "feed" for the senior members will be served next Tuesday evening at 6.15 closing in time for members to attend the gym class at 8.15. A good program has been arranged and all the senior members are urged to get their tickets early and plan to attend.

The meeting in the Boys Rooms Saturday morning at nine o'clock promises to be one of the best yet as Mr. E. Brewer Eddy of Boston is to be the speaker. Mr. Eddy is the brother of Shewood Eddy who is doing such splendid work in China at the present and he is sure to hold the interest of all the boys. Every boy in Quincy between the ages of ten and eighteen is invited.

The bowling tournament run off for the members of the Boys Division during the Christmas week was won by Eric Nelson with an average score for three games of 81 2-3. His score for the three strings is as follows: 89, 82, 73 total 245.

The ping-pong tournament will be finished this week and the prize offered will be awarded on Jan. 20th.

Boys Cabinet meeting this evening, preceded by a supper at 6.30 P. M. Many items of interest and importance are to be discussed and plans made which will mean a lot toward the advancement of the work in the Boys Division during the next few months.

The next Bible class feed will be served by the Ladies Auxiliary for the boys Saturday evening January 16th at six o'clock. About 50 boys sat down to the supper last month but more are expected this time.

Sixty-eight boys are now enrolled in bible study classes in the Boys Division and much interest is being shown by the boys in this part of the association work.

January 20th the third annual "Father and Son" banquet will be served in the hall. This is for the members of the Boys Division and their fathers. Those not being able to bring their father may attend with some older person. Plans have already been made which should make this the best banquet the boys have ever attended and it is hoped the boys will respond to the invitation in large numbers.

The trip to the plant of J. P. Squires & Co., in Cambridge which some of the boys took last Saturday proved very interesting as they were shown over the entire plant, gaining a fine idea of the amount of labor required before the different articles are ready for market. After the visit the boys went to Charlestown and climbed Bunker Hill Monument and before returning home visited the State House in Boston.

FANS MISS OLD TIME GAMES.

That West Quincy fans miss the basket ball games in St. Mary's hall was evidenced last evening when 100 loyal fans went to Braintree to witness the games between Braintree A. A. and Cunningham Gym. "Joe" Rourke and "Hobby" Bennett of the old Quincy A. A. team played with Braintree A. A. and "Sid" and "Dan" Duggan with Cunningham.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gladys M. Lincoln and Arthur Reed of East Weymouth.

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California Celery	15c
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Navel Oranges	27c
Florida Oranges, very large	21c
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LOOKS LIKE PLOT AGAINST HULTMAN

Mystery Deepens as New Details Come to Light

Two Men Visited Home of E. C. Hultman on Night of Brother's Adventure

It appears that the two men who were seen about the home of Court Officer Hultman late Tuesday evening also paid a visit to the home of Hon. E. C. Hultman on Washington street. It was late in the evening when the door bell at the home of ex-Senator Hultman rang, but thinking it a belated expressman he did not go to the door immediately. A few minutes later, however, he decided to go down and see if a package had been left. He found no package however but standing in the street directly opposite his home was an automobile with two men, who almost immediately drove off.

Mrs. Lydia C. Hultman, with whom her son Court Officer Hultman makes his home says that after retiring Tuesday night she could not get to sleep. Finally she got up and went to the window and looked out. As she did so an automobile drove up on the opposite side of the street and coming to a stop the two men got out. As she watched they came directly across the street. One stood at the corner of Russell Park and the other came into the yard and directly to the front door.

At this time Mrs. Hultman says that she switched on the lights all over the house and the man immediately left the yard, got into the automobile and drove off. It is thought that it was at this time they visited the home of the ex-Senator.

Mrs. Huitman further says that earlier in the evening some one called on the telephone and asked if Arthur was at home. Not desiring to give it out that she was alone, she replied that he had retired and that she did not wish to disturb him. "All right" came the answer, "I will call in the morning." No call, however has come since then.

Court Officer Hultman, who had been out for the evening, returned later and as he came up Hancock street he saw a man standing on the corner of Russell Park, but paid little attention to him. After being informed by his mother of what had transpired, he looked out of the window and saw the man still standing on the corner. After watching him a few minutes he went to the door and shouted "Do you want to see me" at the same time he started down the walk. As he did so the man shouted "if you come near me I will shoot." "I'll shoot first" cried Officer Hultman as he started for the man. At this the fellow did not stop but began to run, with the officer in pursuit.

Ordinarily Officer Hultman would have overtaken the man, but he was unable to run very fast as he had recently recovered from a sprained ankle. The result was that the fellow got away.

It is somewhat of a mystery just what the two men were after. If it was the officers life they had plenty of opportunity to shoot him the first time they saw him, and if it was burglary it seems strange that after having aroused the family they should have returned to the house. It is also somewhat of a mystery why they should have visited the home of ex-Senator Hultman.

Unfortunately Officer Hultman did not have a revolver with him at the time or there would certainly have been some shooting on his part, and he might at least have winged the fleeing man. Wednesday Officer Hultman purchased a new revolver and he wants to assure his mysterious callers that they will be sure of a warm welcome should they again call and that he will get in the first shot.

The police have as yet been unable to discover any clue to the identity or whereabouts of the men.

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SEWING CIRCLE MEETS.

The members of Lois E. Gragg Sewing circle, with their mascot Robert Haughto Dexheimer met with the president Mrs. Emma Biagdon at her home on Thursday. Sixteen were present. A most bountiful dinner was served under the direction of Mrs. Carrie Hobart, the president's mother. After dinner the meeting was called to order and officers chosen for the coming year.

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MEAT SPECIALS

FOR SATURDAY

Young Pig Pork (to roast) by strip	15½c lb	Sirloin Steak	25c lb
Young Lamb (short legs)	18 and 20c lb	Butcher Steak (Juicy and Tender)	25c lb
Corned Shoulders	13¾c lb	Country Sausage	18c lb
Lean Flank Corned Beef	10c lb	Best Creamery Butter	36c lb
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RECEPTION TO TEACHERS

Women's Clubhouse Presents Gay Scene

With the clubhouse aglow with lights and a large attendance, the reception Thursday evening, by the Educational committee of the Quincy Women's club to the teachers of the Quincy schools was one of the most enjoyable of many held under this hospitable roof.

In the receiving line were the officers of the club headed by Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, president, and Mrs. Jethro R. Mellen, chairman of the Educational committee. Mrs. Smith in the name of the club extended a cordial welcome to those present.

Among the special guests were members of the School committee, Supt. A. L. Barbour, Miss Alice G. White, librarian, and assistants at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

During the evening there was a pleasing entertainment by Miss Maude Sheerer of the Leland Powers School of Oratory who rendered Rachael Crouthers three act play "The Helpmate." There were also musical selections by a musical trio which included Max Pinkham, violin, Edward B. Packard, cello, and William E. Weston, piano.

Light refreshments were served during the evening, the pourers being Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, and Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick. The entertainment committee included, Mrs. Walter S. Pinkham, Mrs. A. F. Townsend, Mrs. W. W. Jenness, Mrs. Walter G. Brady and Mrs. Thompson B. Crane.

The reception committee included, Mrs. John W. Sanborn, Mrs. George W. Abele, Mrs. Herbert S. Barker, Mrs Frederick Barnicoat, Mrs. E. R. Blanchard, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. Wilson Marsh Mrs. John R. Richards, Mrs. Eugene R. Stone, Mrs. Caroline A. Spear, Miss Emily C. Wilde and Mrs. James F. Young.

The evenings program was in charge of the Hospitality committee which included, Mrs. W. W. Jenness, Mrs. Ezekiel C. Sargent, Mrs. Fred A. Austin, Mrs. Walter G. Brady, Mrs. Joseph P. Prout, Mrs. Charles L. Griswold, Mrs. Henry Schultz, Mrs. Arthur B. Foster, Mrs. Fred A. Drake, Mrs. Albert L. Whitman, Mrs. F. E. Horton and Mrs. Leonard C. Hewson.

The committee expressed itself as much gratified by the practically unanimous acceptance by the teachers.

PLAN RECEPTION TO FR. OWENS.

T. J. Carey Speaks at Meeting of Quincy Council.

Timothy J. Carey, agent of the State Board of Charity, gave a talk on the work of that board before the members of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, Thursday evening. Mr. Carey spoke in place of Manuel Perry who is out of town on business.

The talk followed the business meeting at which it was voted to tender Fr. Michael J. Owens, pastor of St. Johns church and chaplain of the council, a banquet and reception in Colonial hall on Jan. 28.



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AMUSEMENTS

SHUBERT THEATRE.

"The Midnight Girl" will enter upon the second week of its limited engagement at the Shubert Theatre, Boston, Monday night. This lively and entertaining young lady is sure to keep you awake, for she turns the night into day. The New York Herald, in criticising the first performance of this big new Shubert musical show, said, The "Midnight Girl struck twelve." The new attraction comes to Boston with the original cast as seen last year in New York for 22 weeks at the 44th Street Theatre. George MacFarlane, the popular and widely known singer, heads the cast, which also includes Miss Margaret Romaine, now making her first appearance in Boston. Miss Romaine is the younger sister of Hazel Dawn, and just as strikingly beautiful in a brunette way as Miss Dawn is dazzling in her own blonde attractiveness. Others in the cast of The "Midnight Girl" are Teddy Webb, the comedian; Harry Delf, the agile dancer; Denman Maley, the eccentric comic; Miss Marie Flynn, the dainty ingenue; and a host of others, including the famous Santa Claus chorus with "Every stocking well filled." Matinees are given Wednesday and Saturday.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Lew Fields brings to the Majestic Theatre, Boston, next week for an indefinite engagement after its runs at the Casino and the Shubert Theatres, New York, his latest musical play "Suzi," with Jose Collins starred in the title role, and with Tom McNaughton featured in the leading comedy roles. "Suzi" is a typical Lew Fields offering, inasmuch as it employs a company of over eighty, and has an abundance of scenic effects, a large chorus, much comedy, and twenty musical numbers. It is somewhat in the nature of an operetta, having been adapted from the Hungarian by Otto Hauerbach, author of "Madame Sherry," "High Jinks" and "The Firefly" and was staged by that veteran, George Marion. Besides Miss Collins and Mr. McNaughton, there is an exceptional cast. The music of Aladar Renyi is said to be the most delightful that has been heard in America in many years. Jose Collins, originally featured in the production by Mr. Fields, was made a star over night owing to her success in the title role. She was last seen here in two Winter Garden productions, and with "Ziefeld's Follies." Tom McNaughton has played here as principal comedian with Christie MacDonald in "The Spring Maid" and "Sweethearts."

PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

How often has your negligence lost you some enjoyment? There is an unconscious carelessness about some people that frequently deprives them of the opportunity of partaking of real entertainment. This case is most true of playgoers who very often are delinquent in making up their minds to witness certain well known attractions. With this failing it is best therefore to remind those playgoers that Cyril Maude, the distinguished English actor who is repeating his great New York and London success in "Grumpy" will shortly leave the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, where on next Monday he enters upon the tenth week of his Boston engagement. Both star and play, needless to say, hold the foremost position in present day theatricals and to see them is to enjoy the biggest theatrical treat in years. This fact alone ought to induce you to make up your mind right now and send in your order for seats. "Grumpy" is a thrilling melodrama of the high grade and written around the mysterious theft of a valuable diamond. It is offered in three acts that grips your attention from start to finish. Mr. Maude appears as Andrew Bullivant, a retired criminal lawyer, and the most extraordinary sort of character witnessed in years. The interpretation in the hands of so polished an artist as Mr. Maude is indeed a masterpiece if not his greatest dramatic triumph.

WILBUR THEATRE.

"A Pair of Sixes," the merry farce which has started off at such a rapid, care-killing pace at Ye Wilbur Theatre, Boston inaugurates a third week next Monday with every prospect of a continuance of a series of attendances crowding the theatre to its utmost capacity at every performance. The general verdict of all who have seen it is, that they never have laughed so much in one evening at a theatre as during the performance of "A Pair of Sixes." And this only goes to prove that Boston and New England have endorsed the opinion of New York theatre-goers who enjoyed its run of nearly a year there, and of Chicago where it is now in its sixth month. The New York cast is seen in the Boston engagement.

The story of "A Pair of Sixes" is a simple one, but the author has deftly surrounded it with many different angles and he has enhanced each angle with much humor. Briefly, the play is woven around two men who are in partnership in the manufacture of a dyspepsia pill. They disagree over the method of running their prosperous business and frequently have to summon their attorney to straighten out their disagreement. Their squabbles become so frequent that at the suggestion of their attorney they agree to settle their difference by playing a game of poker. It is from this card game that the play gets its name, for a pair of sixes decides the issue between the partners.

B. F KEITH'S THEATRE.

One of the greatest galaxies of stars ever gathered on one programme will be the offering at B. F. Keith's Theatre for the week of January 11th Emma Carus, one of the cleverest and most popular musical comedy favorites on the American stage, assisted by Carl Randall, the remarkable young dancer, will appear after an absence of over a year. Miss Carus is this season presenting an entirely new and original act. She introduced some wonderful modern dancing, assisted by Mr. Randall, who enjoys an international reputation as a stepper. Their engagement is positively limited to one week only. Another strong attraction will be Hughie Jennings, the famous manager of the Detroit Tigers," "and the well-known comedian, Ben Smith, in their baseball novelty, "The New Mascot," written by John C. Peebles a former Boston newspaperman. Hughie will pull grass at every performance, and utter his famous whistle and "He-Yah" coaching cry. Although he has given up active playing Hughie Jennings remains one of the greatest drawing cards in professional baseball, and the visits of the Detroit team are an event looked forward to in the various American league cities by thousands of "fans." Other strong attractions will be Percy Wenrich and Dolly Connolly; Madam Doree's "Scenes From Grand Opera" with a big company of singers; Allan Brooks & Co. in a new comedy; Corelli and Gillette; Aerial Buds; Frank Mullane; the Dancing LaVars, and many other equally strong features.

BOSTON THEATRE.

The Boston Theatre, New England's historic playhouse, and for more than fifty years the leading amusement temple of America will come into its own Tuesday evening, Jan. 12 when Klaw and Erlanger will present their new spectacular arrangement of "Ben-Hur" for a limited season. And this enterprising firm of American managers wish the public to know that their offering is the acted stage version of the Wallace drama enlisting the services of 400 people and 20 live thorough bred race horses in the chariot race scene. The fact that the Boston Theatre has of late been presenting moving picture productions they wish the public to know they are to enjoy the living interpretation and not the shadows on the screen.

Klaw and Erlanger have made superb productions of Ben-Hur, but none of them, not even the great production which they sent to astonish London playgoers three years ago compares with that which is this season being utilized to illustrate the glories of the East as shown in the story of the Prince of the House of Hur. Every mechanical device known to the theatrical mechanic, every artifice that tends to produce illusion in the scenic world, every new thing in electricity and stage lighting has been brought to bear in making the new production which Klaw and Erlanger herald as the Panama-Pacific-World's-Fair-Exposition production of "Ben-Hur" the greatest yet seen in America The picturesque beauty of the scenery in Palestine, Syria and Egypt, the glorious coloring of sky and foliage, the rich hued garments and gaudy caparisoning of man and beast in the Orient are brought together to form a never-to-be-forgotten picture of Eastern magnificence.

CORT THEATRE.

The last two weeks of Peg O' My Heart is announced at the Cort theatre, the engagement terminating Jan. 16. The several months that Oliver Morosco's delightful comedy has been playing at the Cort theatre it has been attended by thousands that seldom look to the theatre for their entertainment but the sweetness and the purity of the play has been the magnet of its unusual popularity, coupled together with a cast of players that brings you out of the mimic theatre into the real home life in the exacting English home—something that only the true artist can do convincingly. The story of the play, is happily free from, and does not tax the auditor with deep thinking problems, but evolves around a youthful miss full of the joy of living.

Peg, Miss Florence Martin, has been sent abroad at the request of a rich uncle, that has recently died, to live with her aristocratic aunt whose mission is to mould her into gentle womanhood. "Peg" though born in Ireland has been brought up in New York City and her blunt American candor, quick Celtic wit and sharp repartee is in deep contrast and upsets the traditions of the well appointed English home and though there are tears of pathos there are just as many caused from the joy of laughter.

The daintiness and charm that Miss Martin has brought to the character of "Peg" and the playing of Mr. Smith, Mr. Short and Mr. Bassett, who were in the original cast, Miss Tell, Miss Leigh and the remainder of the company will long be remembered with pleasure by those that have seen the play.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

The long expected Harvard Play, "Common Clay" was produced for the first time Friday night. It proved to be a strong drama of life among the wealthy and their dependents and justifies its title by a strong indictment of the conditions of civilization which prevent a young girl of really fine character from "running straight" until a sudden and dramatic accident makes her find her real character. The play opens in a rather unique manner with the meeting between a rich young man and a noted actress who has come to New York and been taken up by the fashionable set. In the wealthy, beautiful and clever favorite of society, Hugh Fullerton absolutely fails to recognize a girl who has been his victim years before and the impulse of Ellen Neal to tell him her real story before consenting to be his wife introduces the real play, the incidents of which pass ten years before.

A big audience gave a warm welcome to "Common Clay" and great things are predicted for its clever young author, Cleves Kinkead who, before taking up play-writing at Harvard was a newspaper man and lawyer in Louisville, Ky.

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SOLDIERS MONUMENT.

Milton Will Commemorate Its Heroes With Bronze Figure.

The Milton Monument Association, appointed to choose a soldiers' monument to commemorate the heroes of the town in the revolutionary, civil and Spanish wars, will pass on the finished model submitted by Cyrus E. Dallin next week. The model is on exhibition in the town library.

It is the work of Cyrus E. Dallin. The main feature is a bronze figure of heroic size, representing Victory in Peace. This will be set upon a pedestal of granite, flanked by four lesser pedestals surmounted by bronze eagles. On each of three sides of the main pedestal will be a bas relief and on the fourth side an appropriate inscription.

VERLICT FOR DEFENDANT.

A jury in the Norfolk Superior Court returned a verdict Thursday for the defendant in the cast of Michael D. Petrell of Randolph and Meyer Abrams of Quincy, brought to recover value of a horse sold under a guarantee it was free from glanders. The hearing before Judge McLaughlin was one of the liveliest this session.

According to the testimony Petrell asked Abrams to guarantee the horse was free from glanders. Abrams when told there were no glanders on the Petrell premises sold the horse for $250 and warranted his condition. The animal later develoed glanders and was killed and Petrell brought suit. Atty J. J. McAnarney for defendant.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

SPORTING COMMENT

Stack, All-American freshman end, has resumed studies at Penn State college after a visit with friends in Quincy. Stack gained his first athletic prominence at Dean academy.

Hats off to the new South Shore Interscholastic League, organized in Quincy Thursday afternoon by five first rate high schools. Sport will now be given the boost it has deserved.

Trapp beat Jrenhower, 27 to 251, in a special match for $50 at the City Square alleys Thursday.

"Jacka" Joyce's single to 165 in the Elks league matches breaks all existing single records. The figure was reached in competition. Previous records were Poehler 157, Moyle 153, the latter outside of competiton.

The hockey situation is tangled. The managers of the Boston Arena will not register their players and have defied the A. A. U. Its game with the B. A. A. is off.

Newton High has held its third election but still there is no track team captain. The first two attempts were ties and the third declared no election because ballots were unsigned.

Quincy High is at Reading today in its second interscholastic league clash.

Manager Louis Ross has posted $5 in gold to the man who makes a new city sitting record.

Michael J. Hardy of the Wollaston Golf Club starts Monday on a barn storming trip to the southwest and west from New Orleans to the Pacific coast. He will be accompanied by his wife, and Gilbert Nichols, the United North and South open champion will not defend his title this year.

The hockey team of Milton High school is practicing at the Boston Arena and Coach Haley is pleased with their showing. Foster Trainor is captain and Henry Whitcomb manager.

Grantland Rice makes the following comment under the heading, "Consider them Added."

Dear Sir—The writer has this from direct hearsay evidence, which should be admissible in the Supreme Court of the Dope. Near the end of the recent Yale-Harvard game, Frank Hinkey turned to Easton, a Yale sub, and said: "This is the best Harvard team I ever saw, and Tack Hardwick is the best man on it."

Which is apropos of this to your All-Around All-Americans, Thorpe, Brickley and Coy—why not add Hardwick and Truxton Hare? Both were great backs and great linemen. And both were great in so many useful ways that neither should be rated below even the celebrated trio mentioned. Harvard, '07.

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HIGHEST SINGLE IN LEAGUE

Quincy Social Clubs Do Some Rolling

C. Larson of the Quincy Social clubs bowling league broke all the records of the league in the matches at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night and helped his team get the biggest total to date.

Larson smashed the high single record with 128 and the three string total mark with 313. Other good singles were made but none tripled.

The Quincy Adams came back and took three out of four from the Franklins, their neighbors. The Nonpareils swept the Pastimes off the alleys and the Wasecas beat the Senecas 3 to 1.

NONPAREIL 4—PASTIME 0.

NONPAREIL.				
O. Djerf	102	102	90	294
Markham	95	95	91	281
S. Djerf	79	93	98	270
Rouillard	102	99	82	282
Larson	98	87	128	313
	476	476	489	1441
PASTIME.				
Blanchard	79	99	85	263
DiBona	93	87	82	262
French	90	78	85	253
Morrison	69	78	64	211
McLeod	86	98	84	268
	417	440	400	1257

QUINCY ADAMS 3—FRANKLIN 1.

QUINCY ADAMS.				
Galvin	103	86	86	275
Muer	71	78	111	266
Sullivan	76	86	86	248
Panet	97	88	82	267
Curtin	82	83	91	256
	429	421	456	1306
FRANKLIN.				
W. Carson	86	80	80	246
Clements	90	59	100	249
Ega	89	81	81	251
Bisson	83	93	87	263
E. Carson	83	80	74	237
	431	393	422	1246

WASECA 3—SENECA 1.

WASECA.				
Pinel	89	84	85	258
Costello	93	95	80	268
Allen	89	85	84	258
Wright	88	109	75	272
Sherriff	99	85	82	266
	458	458	406	1322
SENECA.				
Michael	81	81	103	265
Grassick	86	83	97	266
Crammon	86	79	70	235
Moyle	75	86	78	239
Booth	88	81	74	243
	416	410	422	1248

ACKNOWLEDGES DONATIONS.

The Associated Charities of Quincy acknowledges with grateful thanks donations of money and supplies received from churches, societies and private individuals for the relief of the poor at Thanksgiving and Christmas. Donations of food and clothing were sent to the office and money to be used for relief at the discretion of the secretary. This money was used sometimes for dinners, sometimes for children's shoes, and sometimes for coal. One gift of $8 provided coal, shoes and rubbers and a dinner consisting of the following:—roast pork, potatoes, onions, condensed milk, apples, oranges, mince meat, butter, sugar and tea. As in a large number of families men are out of work and there is much sickness, the kindness and generosity of those who helped us in caring for the poor and the unfortunate, is greatly appreciated.

The co-operation of different societies and the fact that lists were compared and duplication avoided made it possible to aid a large number of families. It is a fact worthy of note that one woman to whom a second dinner was sent by a society refused to receive it, saying that she was already provided for and one woman sent word that she did not need a dinner, which had been promised her and that it could be sent to some family who would not have any.

WEYMOUTH GIRLS SUE.

Marion E. Sweet of Weymouth, a minor, is one of four who have entered suits for damages aggregating $90,000 against S. M. Rich chief of the Somerville fire department. It is alleged that the chief's auto knocked them down and seriously injured them when it ran on the sidewalk of Cutter street, Somerville, May 27, 1913.

BILL SENT TO CONFERENCE

House Rejects Negro Exclusion in the Immigration Measure

Washington, Jan. 8.—The immigration bill, prescribing a test of literacy for aliens coming into this country, was sent to a conference committee of the house and senate by the house, after a vigorous debate over the amendments written into the measure by the senate.

Before sending the bill to conference the house registered its disagreement to the senate amendments excluding "members of the African or black race," and exempting from the literacy test and the contract immigration provisions of law Belgian agricultural immigrants coming to this country because of conditions caused by the European war.

The house concurred in one amendment, that to exclude all persons of "constitutional psychipathic inferiority, and persons with chronic alcoholism."

Much of the debate was against the literacy test provision, despite the fact that this already had been agreed upon by both houses.

ARIZONA'S ANTI-ALIEN LAW

Declared Unconstitutional by Special Court of Federal Judges

Washington, Jan. 8.—News that the Arizona anti-alien employment law, adopted by the people of the state at the November election as an initiative measure, had been declared unconstitutional, null and void by three United States circuit judges sitting as a special federal district court at San Francisco, was received with deep interest among diplomatists here, especially at the British and Italian embassies, which protested against it, and notably at the Japanese embassy.

The decision, of course, is open for appeal to the supreme court. President Wilson has contended that each case of alleged violation of treaty rights of foreigners should be tested out on its mertis.

TO CELEBRATE AT OPENING OF CANAL

President's Plan For Spending $250,000 Is Approved

Washington, Jan. 8.—In a conference with Democratic and Republican leaders of congress President Wilson asked for an appropriation of $250,000 to defray expenses of the celebration planned for opening of the Panama canal next March.

The president summoned to the White House Senators Overman, Hoke Smith of Georgia and Gallinger, and Representatives Underwood, Sherley and Mann, and laid before them tentative plans for the celebration submitted to him by Secretaries Bryan, Garrison and Daniels.

Although the details of the program were not made public, the president told the delegation that the estimated expenditure for the celebration would be about $250,000. Democrats and Republicans alike approved the plans and expenditure.

VILLA'S PROMISE TO SCOTT

Says He Will Drive Carranza Forces From the American Border

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 8.—General Villa is moving to attack the Carranza garrisons of the Mexican border towns opposite Naco and Douglas, Ariz., with 8000 convention troops. To drive the Carranza forces out of the border towns is Villa's solution of the problem of stopping border fighting.

It became known here that Villa had communicated his intention three days ago to General Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, who is here to confer with the Mexican chief.

In his message Villa promised to expose the American towns to fire for not more than eight hours, at the end of which period he promised that the Carranza garrison would have surrendered or would be driven into the United States.

POLICE HUNT DOCTOR

Two Arrests in Connection With Death of Young Woman

Boston, Jan. 8.—Miss Irene A. Richardson, the 24-year-old daughter of the Arlington town auditor, died at an Arlington hospital, as the result, according to the authorities, of an illegal operation.

Two persons have been arrested as accessories, and the police are looking for a third. William H. Hyde, a bookkeeper, was arrested as an accessory before the fact. He is married and has three children.

Mrs. Marie Hanson is being held as an accessory after the fact.

The third person wanted is a Boston physician, who is accused of having performed the operation. Miss Richardson worked as a stenographer in her father's office.

Accused of Trying to Poison

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 8.—James J. Fahey was arrested on a charge of attempting to poison 2-year-old Peter Darcey, child of a neighboring family.

Casus Belli.

"Why did that picture agent run so fast?"

"He asked a fat woman whether she didn't want her photograph enlarged."—Philadelphia Ledger.

CZAR'S TROOPS PUSH FORWARD

Combined Operations Are on Most Gigantic Scale

TURKS ARE DISPOSED OF

Menace Against Russians In Trans-Caucasia Removed by Complete Crushing of Invaders' Defense—Little or No Change In Situation In Flanders—Recapture of Lille and Occupation of Alsatian Towns on Road to Rhine the Objects of Allies Offensive—Germans Engage In Counter-Attacks

London, Jan. 8.—Military men are taking great interest in the Russian invasion of Hungary through Ussok pass in the Carpathians and their rapid advance on Transylvania through Bukowina, simultaneously with their movement toward Cracow. These combined operations are the most gigantic undertaken in the war.

In the meantime the Russians are held by the Austro-Germans in western Galicia, and Field Marshal von Hindenberg, the German commander in northern Poland, can move but slowly because of the mud in his offensive operations against Warsaw.

A dispatch from Petrograd says that aviators have observed German artillery at the frontier railway stations, which cannot be moved on account of the softness of the roads.

It has been suggested that the Germans intend to use the Vistula for the transport of their guns, but with the Russians in possession of the northern bank this obviously would be impossible.

A complete change in the situation in the Near East may be brought about by the Russian victory over the Turks in the Caucasus. If the Turkish defeat is as sweeping as has been officially reported—the virtual destruction of two and the repulse of a third Turkish army corps—the Turkish menace against the Russians in Trans-Caucasia has been removed.

The loss of so many of Turkey's best trained officers and men, it is believed, will compel the Turks to give up any ambitions they had of invading their opponents' territories and concentrate on the defense of their own country.

Although the fighting has been intense at many points on the western front, there is little or no change in Flanders, where the fields and roads are under several feet of water.

In that territory only artillery has been able to work, but in northern France, between Lille and Arras, there has been some hard fighting, in which trenches have changed hands more than once.

The recapture of Lille in northern France, and the occupation of Alsatian towns on the road to the Rhine and the important cities in Baden are plainly marked as the two objects of the allied offensive, as disclosed in the official communiques issued in Paris.

The exact situation of Lille has been a great mystery ever since the first German invansion. It has been reported several times that the French forces were pressing hard upon the capital of the department du Nord, but there has been no substantiation of this movement from official French sources until the last few days, when the military statements from General Joffre have shown that the progress in that region has been very marked.

At the present time the allies are advancing slowly along the high road from Armentieres to Lille, with the object of interposing a strong force across the lines of communication between Lille and Roulers. They have constructed trenches to the east of Armentieres on the great highway, and are getting ready for the moment when the word comes to strike at the German lines in France. The Germans have been sending counter-attacks against the allies in this region, but, according to the British war office announcement, have been repulsed after meeting with some initial successes.

MERCIER NOT ARRESTED

Germany Denies That Cardinal Is Under Police Surveillance

The German military government of Belgium has issued an official denial of the report that Cardinal Mercier, the Belgian member of the sacred college, has been arrested by the German authorities.

The cardinal neither has been detained in the bishop's palace at Malines nor placed under police surveillance of any sort, the official announcement says. It is also denied that any priests have been arrested.

The Germans are said to take the position at this time that the point whether they are the legal rulers of Belgium is not at issue and, consequently, there will be no action on their part.

PLAGUE ATTACKS TROOPS

Many Canadians Suffering From Cerebral Meningitis

Ten members of the Canadian contingent of the British forces, encamped at Salisbury plain, have died of cerebral meningitis, and there are a score of cases under treatment, according to Lord Knutsford, president of the London hospital.

It has been reported that there was an epidemic of the disease, and that the sick were without necessary medicines and attendance. Knutsford said:

"Canadians have their own hospital and doctors, and the best Canadian and English scientific bacteriologists are engaged in fighting the disease, about which little is known."

SAYS CHILDREN MAY ACT

Judge Gives Decision of Interest to the Theatrical World

Cincinnati, Jan. 8.—Judge Yeatman discharged Manager Royal of B. F. Keith's theatre, and Eddie Foy, the comedian, both of whom had been summoned to answer the charge of exhibiting and causing to be exhibited children under 15 years of age in a theatre. Foy is playing here with his "Seven Little Foys."

Testimony was given as to how the children were educated on the road and cared for better than the average child. Yeatman, after his decision, bitterly scored meddlesome reformers who did not use judgment. His decision was as follows:

"The father and mother have certain peculiar rights in the raising of their children, notwithstanding what the state of Ohio or any other state may do. This was a wrongful arrest. There is no question about it. You (referring to prosecuting witness) have no more right to try to say what shall be done toward this family than I have, notwithstanding the statute law."

TO ASK REPARATION

State Department Takes Up Shooting of Smith and Dorsch

Washington, Jan. 8.—State department officials are preparing a note to Great Britain asking reparation for the families of Charles Dorsch and Walter Smith, the two Americans fired upon by Canadian troops while duck hunting on the Niagara river.

The representations, which will be transmitted to the British embassy, will also ask, it is understood, that the Canadian troopers be punished. Evidence has been presented to the department that they shot to kill.

Smith was killed almost instantly and Dorsch is in a precarious condition.

The British ambassador notified Bryan that the British government, without deciding the question of liability, was planning to pay damages to the family of Smith and Dorsch.

MAINE SOLONS ARE STILL IN DEADLOCK

Experience Difficulty In Selection of State Officials

Augusta, Me., Jan. 8.—No choice had been reached at the end of the second day of balloting by the joint convention of the legislature for secretary of state.

Four ballots were taken Thursday, making eight in all. Joseph E. Bunker is the Democratic candidate, Joseph E. Alexander the Republican, and Roland E. Clark the Progressive. Each received the full vote of his party, Bunker having 90 votes, Alexander 85 and Clark 5.

Anticipating a similar deadlock over members of the executive council, who are also to be elected by the legislature, Chairman Everson of the Progressive state committee submitted a proposition seeking a way out of the difficulty.

He suggested that the joint convention select an executive council of three Democrats, two Republicans and two Progressives. The proposition was taken under advisement.

CARRIES $500,000 CARGO

Mercy Ship Harpalyce Sails From Boston For Belgium

Boston, Jan. 8.—At dusk last evening the Belgian mercy ship Harpalyce left her moorings at Commonwealth docks and started for Belgium with the largest relief cargo that has yet left American shores.

A crowd of several thousand that had gathered at the dock to witness her departure cheered the Harpalyce as the tugs Saturn and Taurus began to move her away. Members of the Union Belge sang Belgium's national anthem, then the crowd joined in "America" and passed on into the Marseillaise.

Never before has such a vast gift cargo been set to any people in need. Many ships laden with foorstuffs and clothing have been sent to the Belgians, but the Harpalyce alone has carried a cargo rising 8100 tons, valued at half a million dollars.

MANY FIREMEN OVERCOME

Girls Taken Over Ladders to Safety During $50,000 Fire at Boston

Boston, Jan. 8.—Fifteen excited girls were carried down over ladders to the courtyard in the rear of the four-story building, 14-28 Oliver street, by firemen during the progress of a stubborn fire.

In addition, at least twelve firemen were overcome by smoke, two of them being taken to a hospital for treatment, and one other was badly cut and was taken to a hospital. The damage by fire, smoke and water will total about $50,000.

GREAT ATHLETIC FEATS OF 1914

Joe Loomis Performed Remarkable Exploit.

HE IS A VERSATILE RUNNER

Won Three Events Within an Hour and a Half and Was Fresh at the Finish. Homer Baker and W. R. Applegarth Also Entitled to Consideration For Feats on the Cinder Path.

Who performed the greatest athletic feat in 1914? Here, indeed, is a chance for a rare argument pro and con. Joe Loomis of the Chicago Athletic association is one guess. Loomis' performance at the national championship meeting at Baltimore in September, when he won the 100 yard dash, running high jump and 220 yard hurdle race within an hour and a half, looms up as the most meritorious single achievement of the year.

The versatility of the Loomis lad, together with the superiative ease with which he performed and his freshness after it was all done, stamps the strong legged young Chicagoan as one of the greatest performers Uncle Sam has boasted of in many and many a day. Loomis could have added the 220 yard dash to his list handily had it not interfered with his other events. He is better at the furlong than at 100 yards, in which he outfooted some of the best sprinters in the east with much to spare.

The athletic experts who saw Loomis perform at the national meet declare that a finer all around performer in the sprints, jumps and hurdles has not been seen since the days of Alvin Kraenzlein, the great University of Pennsylvania athlete who was until recently coach to the German Olympic candidates. Loomis' amazing speed, together with his great springing power and his ability to repeat again and again, make him appear as a champion in a thousand.

Homer Baker of the New York Athletic club must be credited with one of the greatest cinder path feats of 1914 also. His winning of the British half mile championship in the marvelous time of 1 minute, 54 2-5 seconds stands out as a performance in a thousand. It's wonderful enough to do that time on a home path without accomplishing it in a race run after more than 3,000 miles of traveling.

Two great furlong performances were recorded last year, these being W. R. Applegarth's 21 1-5 seconds at the British championships and a similar performance by George Parker in California. Ted Meredith did 48 2-5 for the quarter mile, and Dismond of Chicago university stepped the distance just one-fifth of a second slower. Dave Caldwell of Cornell ran the fastest half mile of the year—1 minute, 53 3-5 seconds—at the intercollegiate games at Cambridge on May 30.

It would be unjust to rate the great athletic performances of 1914 without a mention of Howard P. Drew's 100 yards in 9 3-5 seconds, done last March at a dual meeting between the University of Southern California and University of California freshmen. This performance is unquestionably the first authentic "nine three" done since 1902, when Arthur Duffey accomplished the feat at the intercollegiate games.

BASEBALL WAR HIT MINORS.

Sums Paid For Players Dropped Heavily Last Season.

It is easy to find the reason for the vote of the minor leagues recently at Omaha to remain loyal to organized baseball. During the four seasons of 1909, 1910, 1911 and 1912, when the Federals weren't cutting up such didoes, the major leagues shot into the coffers of minor league magnates a total of $1,553,220 in exchange for players. Some of these men were gold bricks, but the money stayed in the bushes just the same.

Last year these same minor leagues received $224,305, or $61,065 less than the yearly average for the four preceding years. This money doesn't include sums that were spent by certain big league magnates from "war funds" to save some of the minor league clubs, especially those of the International league, from being engulfed completely.

WESTERN FOOTBALL PLANS.

Michigan Not to Play Tigers or Dartmouth Next Fall.

Despite rumors to the contrary, neither Princeton nor Dartmouth will be on the Michigan football schedule next fall.

Pennsylvania, Cornell and Syracuse will be the only three eastern teams which Yost's men will meet next fall, according to semiofficial sources of information. A western team, probably Notre Dame, will take the date corresponding to the Crimson game of last fall, and Nebraska or South Dakota probably will get Vanderbilt's date.

This will bring the Michigan Aggies, Nebraska, Notre Dame and South Dakota to Ferry field. These teams, with Michigan, are the strongest teams in the west outside the conference, and will give a definite line next fall on the nonconference title.

ROLLOFFS BEFORE RECORD CROWD

Nichols and O'Lindy Tie for First Place

The rolloffs at the Wardwell alleys were held Wednesday night before the largest crowd on record. Matty Nicolls and Jim O'Lindy tied at 309 for first place. Erickson was third with 294, Dell fourth with 293. John Brown got the cigars for the best single, 112, and Peter Dackers secured the booby with 228.

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The Comforters

"What's the Use of Worrying?"

By EDWARD BOLTWOOD

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In the kitchen beneath Jernigan's bedroom the clock whirred and began to sound the hour. At the first jangling stroke Jernigan lifted his head and became aware, with a quick throb of gratitude, that he had been asleep. The question was, for how long? There was no daylight at the curtained window, but he was sure that it must be nearly sunrise, and in alert anxiety he counted the strokes of the clock.

Nine, ten, eleven—and silence. Jernigan groaned wearily. He had been in bed only thirty minutes, after all.

Through the doorway of the adjoining room, where his wife slept with the two children, he blinked at the white, dim hummock of Lizzie's back and listened to her placid breathing. Noiselessly he drew on some clothes, found a pair of slippers and glided swiftly down the dark stairway.

With a hand on the knob of the front door he turned and peered into his narrow parlor. The blue glare from an arc lamp in the street faintly illuminated the parlor table, revealing the bank book on it and his private account book and the sheets of paper covered with penciled figures. He hastily secreted them before he went out of doors.

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Jernigan was the bookkeeper for Mr. Ellice at the Rudale mill, as his father had been before him. He was a skilled and honest accountant. The tormenting figures had nothing to do with his employer's affairs. They represented his own endeavor to deal with the terrible fact that during the past two years he had diminished by nearly $1,000 the modest capital which he had inherited from his parents.

He looked morosely down the deserted street toward the huge mill. Its windows glowed; its looms chanted their endless, sonorous hymn of prosperity. On a hill near by was the stately, old fashioned Ellice mansion, with its tall columns of white stone. Mr. Ellice was evidently entertaining an evening party there. The lamps of motorcars shot their golden beams over the lawn, and Jernigan heard a vagrant strain of dance music.

His vague plan was to stroll as far as the office of the mill before turning back.

Behind the building he halted in bewilderment. A light gleamed from a rear window. Somebody was in the office!

Now, it was impossible for Jernigan to believe that any one had rightful business there by night without his knowledge, so he crept close to the window. He saw a man standing beside the office table. On the table were books of account and sheets of paper covered with penciled figures. The man bent over them, then paced the room, then returned doggedly to the table, then paced the room again. Jernigan caught his breath, for the man was John Ellice.

The bookkeeper stared, as if in a theater, at a counterfeit presentment of himself pacing his own parlor. Ellice's unbuttoned coat showed a loose pajama jacket; he wore slippers, and his hair was ruffled like that of one driven from his bed. His face, as he bent at the table under the light, was drawn and white.

Jernigan interpreted the picture swiftly. Indeed, there was only a single possible meaning for him, and this was a meaning which swept everything else out of his simple soul as a gigantic and appalling torrent sweeps a humble valley. The sight of an Ellice of Rudale in the torment of financial worry was to a Jernigan what the sight of a collapse of the great pyramid would have been to an ancient Egyptian. Other affairs of life for Jernigan were totally obliterated by awe stricken consternation and a sympathy almost reverent.

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Ellice snapped off the electric lamp, pushed the papers into a drawer of the table and locked it. He decided that his daughter's dance would be over, and he wondered if he could sleep. Then he smiled grimly, knowing well enough that it was not dance music which had kept him awake. His neck contracted sharply, as if something was perched on his shoulder.

His thoughts whirled back to the papers in the table drawer. Had he forgotten to jot down the loan from the Samson Trust? Of course he had! He began to compute the interest for the coming term. And what, in heaven's name, would be his next month's balance with the Atlas people? True, he might tide over this year, but— He threw open the outer door with a gesture of hopeless desperation and descended the steps.

"Who's that? Not Jernigan?"

"Yes, sir," faltered Jernigan. "If—if you can spare me a minute!"

"Why, certainly!"

Ellice managed to pull himself together. He glanced at his clerk's upturned coat collar and tremulous chin.

"You're not ill, Albert?"

"No, sir; just out for a little air."

"Quite right," approved Ellice. "Best thing in the world after a hard day's work. We're all right busy at Rudale now, eh? By Jove, it's fine to see the old concern more prosperous than ever! Well, what can I do for you?"

Jernigan was not deceived by his employer's labored nonchalance. The vision at the window had been too overpowering to allow of that. He cleared his throat diffidently.

"It's this way, Mr. Ellice. I have money, sir, to invest. Not much, of course, not over $12,000 or $15,000, but it's all my capital, and I—I'm worried about it, sir."

"Worried, Albert? You worried?"

Ellice darted a quick, suspicious glance at Jernigan's face, but the bookkeeper was gazing solemnly at the huge, clattering factory. The trustful look in his clerk's eye reminded Ellice of a confident child. For the moment Jernigan resembled a devotee in the presence of a benevolent idol.

"Your father, I understand, made safe investments," resumed Ellice. "Why not stick to them?"

"They don't suit me, sir," said the bookkeeper. "I was wondering if Rudale mill could use the money for awhile. I could turn it over to you tomorrow, and then I wouldn't have to worry any more."

Although conscious of an insane desire to laugh, Ellice was nevertheless curiously relieved. In his present mood, eager for any morsel of solace, he could convince himself that Jernigan knew almost as much about the financial condition of the Rudale mill as he did. And here was the bookkeeper desirous of placing all his money at the disposal of the plant. Ellice bit his lip. Was it possible that his own anxiety was ill founded, imaginary?

"Then I wouldn't have to worry any more," repeated Jernigan.

"No," Ellice murmured, "no, I suppose you wouldn't. Got plenty of faith in the old concern, have you, Albert?"

"Faith to burn, sir, as the boys say. Why, think of all the faith in the old mill there is in this town, Mr. Ellice! Think of the hundreds of men and women and children that trust in the mill, the same as they do that the sun shines! Gather all that trust in a lump, and a fellow would have a regular rock of comfort to stand on, wouldn't he?"

Ellice started queerly.

"I didn't know you were such a mystic," he rejoined in a changed voice.

"Excuse me, sir. I have notions, but that's only common sense. And about that money of mine?"

Without answering Ellice turned away thoughtfully, and the two strolled in silence to the wooden bridge that spanned the mill stream. They leaned on the rail, looking over the river. An hour ago Ellice had leaned on the same bridge rail and stared for a long time into the beckoning depths of that restful river. At the evil remembrance of that black hour he shuddered penitently and touched Jernigan's elbow beside him.

"Let your money stay where it is," he advised. "I can't believe that you have a right to worry, Albert. You've got the trust of your family to nerve you, just as I've got the trust of my mill hands and the village. We ought to stand on that trust and fight for it, both of us, oughtn't we? That's enough to keep us busy. Worrying's no good!"

"What bothers me," ventured Jernigan, "are the years to come—the future."

Ellice peeled a sliver from the rail and tossed it lightly on the surface of the shadowy current.

"That's the way the future takes us, I guess," said he. "It's up to us to keep afloat, that's all, and to hold the best course we can. The future? It's a big river, Jernigan, a big, big river. There's no map. Worrying won't help us to travel it."

"No, sir," muttered Jernigan.

For another minute they watched the stream as it glided steadily away into the mysterious darkness. Then Ellice glanced across the bridge at the great mill.

To the fancy of Ellice, with Jernigan's words ringing in his mind, the mill became a thing of life, a personal entity, radiant of confidence and trust. He felt, with a joyous thrill of regained manliness, that he would be worthy of its friendship and of the friendship of his people. He straightened his shoulders happily, as if they had been released from a painful burden.

"Good night," he said, "and thank you!"

"Thank me, sir? Why?"

"For a match," improvised Ellice, producing cigars from his pocket. "Will you smoke?"

"I think not." Jernigan declined. "It's late. Good night, sir!"

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Although the street was quiet and deserted, while Jernigan hastened homeward under the elms it seemed to him alive with the mighty heart of all humanity, beating in unison with his own, vexed by the same solicitudes and conquering the same fears. As he passed each lowly cottage he thought of the humble men and women therein, who faced the future with no different bravery from that required of kings and queens. If John Ellice could subdue anxiety over large affairs with such self reliant courage surely Jernigan could likewise surmount his infinitely smaller cares.

Unlatching his gate, he whistled a tune.

"Al Jernigan, where in the world"—

Lizzie paused to shield the flame of the candle as her husband opened the door.

"Why, I'd forgot to do an errand at the office. I meant not to disturb you, dear."

"But I didn't know what might happen, and I've worried like anything," she explained, smiling.

Jernigan yawned luxuriously.

"Never lend yourself trouble about what hasn't happened yet, Lizzie," said he. "What's the use of worrying?"

CHARGES WERE WITHOUT BASIS

Americans Not Sending Dum-dum Bullets to Europe

TO BE NO INVESTIGATION

Bryan Informs Germany That United States Must Refrain as a Neutral—American Manufacturers Deny Charges Brought by Germans—British Reply to Wilson Protest Conish Conciliatory on Wilson Protest

Washington, Jan. 8.—Another atrocity charge has fallen to the ground. This is made clear in the note to the German ambassador's protest against the alleged use of dum-dum bullets by the British forces, and his request for an investigation as to whether or not cartridges have been, or are being manufactured in the United States for belligerents.

Secretary Bryan's answer to von Bernstorff demonstrates that the German protest, so far as the American manufacturers mentioned are concerned, is quite without basis in fact; that these manufacturers have not only accounted for the placement of the soft-nosed bullet cartridges in small lots with sporting firms in this country, but that none of such ammunition will fit any gun used by any of the allied forces.

The note concludes with the statement that von Bernstorff cannot object, in view of the publicity given to his earlier charges, to equal publicity for the refutation.

Bryan informed the German government, through von Bernstorff, that the United States, in its effort to maintain a strict neutrality, was obliged to refrain from investigating charges that American manufacturers have beeen selling dumdum bullets to the allies.

President Wilson, Secretary Bryan stated, will use his influence to prevent, as far as possible, the sale of dumdum bullets or other objectionable ammunition to belligerent countries, whenever evidence can be brought that American manufacturers intend selling such ammunition.

The substance of "voluntary replies" from American arms and ammunition manufacturers deny emphatically the charges brought by the German government that they had sold dumdums to the British.

From London comes the statement that the British reply to the American note of protest against the holding up of American cargoes is conciliatory in form, but that England will, nevertheless, "safeguard the interests of the allies."

This means, of course, that her policy as to the search of shipments to neutral countries will stand, although she may so modify its rigor as to subject our shipping to the least possible delay.

In this connection the suggestion to be brought up before the governing board of the Pan-American union is interesting. The proposal is made by the Venezuelan delegates that a conference of neutral nations be assembled for the purpose of framing a law with reference to contraband and seizure of ships.

While release of the American cotton steamer Denver, following her detention by British authorities at Kirkwall, gave official satisfaction, it was intimated that just such incidents, with their moral effect in deterring shippers, were involved in the general shipping protest.

Even the prospect of arrest of a vessel, although released might be immediately ordered thereafter, is regarded as interference with American commerce by making shippers chary of engaging in trans-Atlantic trade.

HOWARD IS NABBED

Army Paymaster, Wanted in Vermont, Is Caught in Canada

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—John A. Howard, alleged to be a paymaster of the United States army, at the Burlington, Vt., army post, where he is said to be wanted for forgery and theft of $3800 and also for desertion, was arrested here by city detectives at the request of T. J. Russell, chief of police of Burlington.

Howard is being held for extradition papers.

Doctor Killed by Brother-In-Law

Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 8.—Dr. Vincenzo Delpiano was shot and killed at his home by his brother-in-law, Frank Canti. The shooting is said to have been the outcome of a family quarrel. Canti disappeared after the affair and has not yet been arrested.

Fatal Elevator Accident

Boston, Jan. 8.—Anthony A. Perry, 25, was almost instantly killed by a fall into the elevator well in the building at 96 Beverly street. Just how the accident happened nobody knows.

Bookbinders Owe $111,772

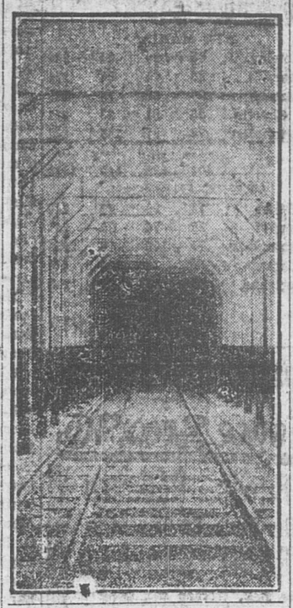
Boston, Jan. 8.—Schedules were filed in the United States district court by Macdonald & Sons, bookbinders, showing liabilities of $111,772.39 and assets of $41,704.

Not Unusual For Hayti

Washington, Jan. 8.—Another revolution has broken out in Hayti. The U. S. S. Wheeling is standing by to protect American interests.

VIEW OF SUBWAY.

Section of Tube Showing Spot Where Fire Trapped Hundreds of Persons.



THE GOTHAM SUBWAY FIRE

Probe Postponed to Give Victims an Oportunity to Recover

New York, Jan. 8.—Warning from doctors that several fatalities might result if victims of the subway disaster were compelled to leave the hospitals or their homes to testify caused District Attorney Perkins to postpone examination of witnesses.

The district attorney was informed that at least 200 victims of the fire were threatened with "smoke bronchitis" as the result of inhaling smoke and gases in the tube. In this condition, doctors said, the subway victims would become easy prey for pneumonia if they were forced to expose themselves in damp weather.

Perkins pledged himself to make the guilty pay the fullest penalty if criminal negligence can be proven.

DISSATISFIED WITH BUSINESS METHODS

Large Textile Union Secedes From the National Body

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 8.—Extensive changes among the various textile unions in New England are considered possible as a result of the unanimous vote of the Fall River Loomfixers' association to discontinue its affiliation with the United Textile Workers of America.

The association is said to be the largest union of its craft in the country. Members say the reason for the withdrawal was dissatisfaction with the business methods of the United Textile Workers, of which John Golden is president. Secretary Taylor was instructed to pay all dues up to Dec. 31 last and to return the charter of the association to the headquarters of the Textile Workers.

The local association is affiliated ith the New England Loomfixers' alliance, which includes unions in New Bedford, Lowell, Augusta, Me., Westerly, R. I., and Pawtucket, R. I. All of these unions are also connected with the United Textile Workers.

NEW ORLEANS CELEBRATION

Hundredth Anniversary of Defeat of British by Jackson

New Orleans, Jan. 8.—A three-day celebration of the 100th anniversary of peace between English-speaking nations was begun here today on the site of the last armed conflict between the United States and Great Britain.

The ceremonies were opened with the firing of a 21-gun salute, so timed that the last gun boomed at 8:20 a. m., 100 years to the minute, according to historians, after General Jackson finally triumphed over the British on the field of Chalmette.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Two horses were burned to death in an incendiary fire which did $1000 damage to the barn of Lewis Kinizinick at Waltham, Mass.

Andrew J. Mooney, a conductor on the Boston Elevated railway, died from gas poisoning. The medical examiner said it was probably a case of suicide.

William J. Gannon, street commissioner of Medford, Mass., at a salary of $2200, was suspended from service by Mayor Haines.

A $100,000 fire destroyed two apartment houses and the First Church of Christ, Scientist, at Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Dr. John J. Dowling was appointed as superintendent and medical director of the Boston city hospital.

BRAINTREE DEFEATS MILTON.

Cunningham Gym Loses By Close Score.

Cunningham gym was again taken into camp at Braintree Thursday night in a game which required five minutes overtime, by a score of 28 to 26.

When the two teams last met in Milton, a few weeks ago, the Braintree A. A. team won, also requiring an overtime period to turn the trick. At the end of the regular playing session Thursday night, the score was tied at 26 points. After more than four minutes of additional play, Joe O'Rourke of the home team received the ball on a long pass from Scollard and tossed the winning basket.

The game between the Braintree and Cunningham 2d teams, although not requiring an overtime period, was fully as interesting as the main event Braintree winning, 20 to 18, after a hard struggle. The summary of the first game:

BRAINTREE A A		CUNNINGHAM GYM
Manning, rf		lb, Carter
J. O'Rourke, lf		rb, S. Hern
Scollard, c		c, S. Dugan
Avery, rb		lf, P. Hern
Bennett, lb		rf, D. Dugan

Score, Braintree A. A. 28, Cunningham Gym 26. Goals from floor, Manning 3, O'Rourke 5, Scollard 3, Avery 3, Carter, S. Hern 4, S. Dugan 4, P. Hern 3, D. Dugan. Referee, Delorey. Scorer, Hubbard. Timer, South. Time 15 and 20m periods and 4m overtime. Attendance 500.

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To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John J. Deady late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Katherine Deady of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving surety on her official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

3t Jan. 8-15-18

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To settle an estate in Weymouth the following property is offered for immediate sale. One parcel of land situated at 156 Washington street containing about 9900 square feet, 64 feet frontage by 152 feet depth, on which is a 13 room two story double tenement house with furnace, electric lights etc. Also a stable containing 18 stalls, also 2 sheds and small shop. Could easily be made a paying investment.

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JOYCE ROLLS NEW RECORD SINGLE

Mark of 165 Best in History of Quincy Bowling

"Jacka" Joyce of West Quincy pounded out a single of 165 in the Elks league matches at the Wardwell alleys Thursday night and broke all of the existing record strings rolled since bowling became the sport two years ago.

The best mark in competition, up to Joyce's remarkable performance was 157, made by Paul Poehler in the Fore River league matches. The single was 12 better than Chester Moyles record cleanup, made at Wardwells outside of competition.

His total of 241 also gave the Elks record a substantial boost.

Joyce's single, aside from being the best ever made in Quincy, was one of the cleanest ever seen on the local lanes. It was featured by a beautiful 1—7 spare in the tenth box which netted him 16. The buy was made with the deadwood laying at a dangerous angle and only a perfect hit could have brought about the coupe.

Joyce opened his attack with a 15 spare and in the remaining nine boxes administered severe punishment to the candles. The gallery maintained that extreme care would have brought spares in the fourth and fifth boxes. His single was:

1— 15		6—17	91
2—20	35	7—18	109
3—19	54	8—20	129
4—10	64	9—20	149
5—10	74	10—16	165

The Larkins beat the Hanson's 3 to 1 and the Maloneys beat the Hildebrands 3 to 1. The summaries:

CAPT. LARKIN 3—CAPT. HANSON 1

CAPT. LARKIN.

Coyle	88	74	79	241
Hoy	100	80	79	259
Larkin	84	117	78	279
Joyce	82	165	94	341
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	429	511	405	1345

CAPT. HANSON.

Desmond	77	82	92	251
Williams	73	72	74	219
Hanson	98	84	84	266
Sweeney	96	80	82	258
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	419	393	407	1219

MALONEY 3— HILDEBRAND 1.

CAPT. MALONEY.

Reveney	66	103	72	241
Dr. Murphy	70	104	98	272
Dr. Sweeney	80	99	94	273
Thomas	75	66	77	218
T. V. Keating	88	88	88	264
	379	460	429	1268

CAPT. HILDEBRAND.

Hildebrand	72	83	70	225
George	81	85	84	250
Stone	57	57	61	175
Brown	80	75	75	230
Ross	90	88	75	253
	380	388	365	1133

MEDALS FOR HEROES.

Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels on Wednesday, presented 13 medals to the enlisted men of the United States navy who distinguished themselves during the Mexican campaign.

The presentations took place on the deck of the U. S. S. Florida in New York harbor and Admiral Fletcher who commanded the fleet during the blockade of Vera Cruz participated in the exercises.

Edward V. Gisburne of this city and Boston was unable to be present and secure his medal but it has been sent him.

INFLUX AT QUINCY MANSION.

Many of the pupils of the Howard seminary of West Bridgewater have been transferred to the Quincy Mansion school, Wollaston Park. The school has been a private one for girls and has been successfully maintained up to a short time ago. It will reopen in September.

The Howard Seminary is one of the show places of Plymouth county and was founded by Benjamin B. Howard, who died in 1867, and who in his will provided a fund for the purpose.

Edward Hayden of Sea street who was severely scalded about the hands and arms a few days ago, is reported more comfortable.



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Fresh Pork Roast	16c lb
Fresh Killed Fowl	22c lb
Star Hams about 10 lbs.	20c lb
Legs Spring Lamb	22c lb
Corn Tongue	20c lb
Cal. Navel Oranges 35c value for	27c doz
Excellent Grape Fruit	5c each
Sunkist Lemons	20c doz
Delmonte Sliced Peaches	2 cans 25c
Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple	15c can
Oro Lemon Cling Peaches	20c can
Layer Figs 25c value for	18c lb
Large Fancy Prunes	2 lbs. 25c
Choice Apricots	2 lbs. 25c
Robertson's Scotch Marmalade	20c jar
Sure Rising Buckwheat	10c pkg
Crystal Domino Syrup	10c can
Baker's Cocoanut 5c	6 pkgs. 25c
Robertson's Scotch Oat Meal, large can	55c
La Touraine Coffee	35c lb
Stanzalone Coffee	25c lb

Adams Market, Adams Bldg., Phone 1980 — FOY'S 2 Stores — Water St. Market, Water Cor. Quincy St., Phone 117

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The Glenrose Girls will hold their weekly meeting tonight at the home of Miss Mary T. Doyle on West street.

George Roullard is spending a few weeks with his parents on Copeland street.

The monthly meeting of the Granite City club will be held Saturday evening.

Rural Masonic lodge is making plans for a ladies night to be held Wednesday evening Jan. 27.

Quincy lodge of Elks reports many reservations for tables for its cabaret show Jan. 15.

The annual ball of the police relief association is scheduled for Thursday evening, Feb. 4, at Music hall.

Henry W. Tirrell of Webster, formerly of Quincy, is in town for a few days renewing acquaintances.

Joseph Brunet of Bunker Hill lane returned home today from Salem where he has been visiting relatives the past few weeks.

Probation Officer Francis W. Fahey was among the Quincy people who attended the inauguration of Gov. Walsh at the state house, Thursday.

Miss Edith Grant, teacher of book keeping at the Quincy High school has been called to Chicopee, because of the illness of her mother.

The Makaria basket ball team goes to Bridgewater Saturday night to play Bridgewater Normal school, the players leaving Quincy on the 6.24 train.

The special committee of the city council met Thursday evening and considered the temporary loan order for $500,000 introduced at the inauguration day meeting of the council.

The ladies' Auxiliary, W. B. M., met with Mrs. Lincoln, 109 Lincoln avenue, Wollaston, Wednesday afternoon. Late news from the mission fields was given but Mrs. Dickerson and Mrs. Hutchins had charge of the chapter on "The Child at Play and Work."

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Shrader nee Dorothea Power, of Braintree returned this week from a visit of two weeks at Mr. Shraders home in Mattoon, Illinois. Mr. Shrader's mother gave a luncheon for the bride last Thursday, at which Mrs. D. M. Mc Fall of this city was a guest.

Members of the Swedish Seventh Day Adventist church are requested to meet in Foresters hall, School street, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for the regular quarterly meeting election of officers for the present year and such other business as may seem necessary.

Manuel Perry, who has represented the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation in Japan and Italy gives a talk on his experiences in the latter country from which he but recently returned. Mr. Perry is an expert on turbine engines and went to Italy to superintend the installation of engines built here for the Italian navy. He was returned several months later than planned owing to the necessity of making adjustments to overcome vibration developed through the peculiar design of the ships. He was there when war broke out in Europe

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DEATHS

SANGER—In Atlantic, Georgianna, widow of C. Henry Sanger, of 98 East Squantum street, in her 83rd year.

MATTSON—In the Cullis Home, Jan. 7, Annie, widow of Frank Mattson of 46 Smith street, Quincy, in her 32 year.

THOMAS—In Braintree, Jan. 8, Miss Charlotte E. Thomas of 25 Stedman avenue, in her 54th year.

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AVE MARIA GO DOWN IN DEFEAT

The Franco-Americans beat Ave Maria, K. of C. in a West Quincy league match at St. Mary's alley Thursday night 3 to 1.

AVE MARIA.

E. Howley	85	90	84	259
J. Leary	80	75	96	251
L. Garrity	69	82	78	229
T. J. Shortle	92	91	88	271
G. Reinhalter	78	87	103	268
	404	425	449	1278

FRANCO-AMERICAN.

C. Hebert	73	90	77	240
J. Brunet	82	76	90	248
E. Larandeau	77	105	73	255
W. Larandeau	89	85	104	278
J. Bertrand	86	89	93	268
	407	445	437	1289

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$25.00 Ladies' Suits, now	$12.50
$10.00 Ladies' Coats, now	$6.98
$16.00 Ladies' Coats, now	$9.90
$20.00 Ladies' Coats, now	$12.50
$22.00 Plush Coats, now	$16.98
$12.00 Silk Dresses, now	$6.98
$20.00 Silk Dresses, now	$12.50
$3.00 Girls' Coats, now	$1.98
$5.00 Girls' Coats, now	$2.98
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$16.00 Men's Suits, now	$12.50
$20.00 Men's Suits, now	$16.98
$25.00 Men's Suits, now	$19.98
$10.00 Youths' Suits, now	$7.50
$17.00 Youths' Suits, now	$12.50
$3.00 Boys' Suits, now	$1.98
$5.00 Boys' Suits, now	$2.98
$7.00 Boys' Suits, now	$4.50
$15.00 Men's O'coats, now	$9.90
$25.00 Men's O'coats, now	$17.50
$5.00 Boys' O'coats, now	$2.98

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13-15 Granite St.

LARGE NUMBER ATTEND PARTY

A surprise party was tendered to Mrs. Matilda Doyle at her home, 149 West street, Thursday evening. Over 100 people were in attendance. Guests were present from Braintree, Weymouth, Milton, Neponset and Mattapan. Games of all kinds were enjoyed

During the lull in the fun making Charles Laundry presented Mrs. Doyle with a handsome clock. A quartette composed of Rebecca Goldstein Mary Fisher, James A Doyle and Clemente Patriarca rendered several selections. Miss Annie Cavanagh presided at the piano. Frank Lemieux, John Burnet and Joseph Goldstein gave dancing exhibitions. Refreshments were served.

The affair was in charge of the following committee William Doyle, William Watson, Philip Garrity and Charles Laundry. Among those present were: Eva Martell, Celina Beliveau, Lillian Beotcher, Annie Cavanagh, Kathlen Gavin, Ethel Greenhouse, Annie Jacobson, Marie Lemieux Margaret Raab, Margaret Welch, Helen Martin, Mary Doyle, Clemente Patriarca, William McDonald, Joseph Garity, Otto Burkhart, Syl Slauger, Aibert and John Rizzi, Brian Donaher, G. Roillard, John Bonifini, Rudolph Snyder, Joe Burke, George Magee, Christ Daley, Ambrose Daley, Harry Larson, Gas Condrick and Arthur Casarico.

BREAKS LEG AS PIT CAVES IN

Timothy J. Shea, 44 years, 16 Sping avenue, a teamster for the city, received a broken leg in the gravel pit near the city stables at 1.30 today when about half a cubic yard of loam slid off the side and struck him on the leg.

Shea was working beside the bank when the slid took place. Dr. W. L. Sargent was called and found his left leg broken. He was taken to the Cty Hospital in the police ambulance.

GUILD HOLDS YEARLY MEETING.

Elects Officers and Plans Reception To New Rector.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church was held Thursday and the following officers elected:

President—Mrs. Charles Chase.

Vice President—Mrs. E. W. Newcomb, Mrs. A. L. Emery.

Secretary—Mrs. Leonard C. Hewson.

Treasurer—Mrs. Charles Wilson.

A committee was appointed to arrange for the reception to be given the new Rector, Rev. William Granger next month.

Tea was served after the meeting during the social which followed by the Hospitality committee, under direction of Mrs. W. F. Torrey.

MAKES GOOD TIME.

Mayor Campbell made a flying trip to New York Thursday going over on the 1 o'clock train and returning on the midnight. While in New York he visited the automobile show now in progress there.

GOOD SLEEPERS.

Deacon—So your congregation gave you no vacation this year?"

Minister—Not a week; not a day!

Deacon—Well! well! They are the hardest people to tire out I ever heard of.—New York Weekly.

A Necessary Luxury.



"Henpeck says he doesn't know what he'd do without his automobile."

"How's that?"

"Why, when he crawls under it he knows it's the only place his wife can't follow him."—Pittsburgh Press.

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This is not a store where cheap clothes are sold, nothing but the best, and to get such high standard merchandise at such ridiculously low prices is a rare treat.

Many people have already taken advantage of this opportunity and we urge those that have not to act before this sale closes, Saturday night.

Remember it is conditions that have made this sale with a reason that these bargains are offered you.

Below we enumerate a few of them and as low as the prices seem it is but half the story, the other half you'll have to call and see the goods.

Suits — $10 to $13.50 Values — $7.95

Overcoats — $10 to $15.00 Values — $7.95

Suits and Overcoats — $15 to $22 — $12.45

Mackinaw Coats
$6 & $7 Values $3.48 $10 & $12 Values $5.98

Men's Hose

15c Cotton Hose	Sale price	8c
25c Pure Silk, (all colors)	Sale price	16c
$1.50 Pajamas		79c

Hats and Caps

$1.00 and $1.50 Grade.	Sale price	79c
3.00 Lamson & Hubbard Hats.	SALE PRICE	$2.25
2.00 Bedford Hats		$1.35

Underwear — Union Suits, Stag and Madewell Brands
$1.00 Grade. SALE PRICE 79c $1.50 Grade SALE PRICE $1.15

	SALE PRICE
$2.00 SILK SHIRTS.	$1.19
1.00 Black and White Shirts	85c
15c Arrow Collars	11c
75c Toques and Scarfs	42c
5c Handkerchiefs 2c	15c Handkerchiefs 7c
45c and 50c Ties	29c

To the first 20 people buying over $1.00 in merchandise either Friday or Saturday, shall receive a 50c beautiful Knit Tie of their own selection.

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FEAR CROOKS PLAN RAID ON QUINCY

Suspicious Characters Seen Lurking Outside Houses

Members of Underworld Recently Released from Prison May be Concerned

That the homes of former Senator Eugene Hultman on Washington street and his mother Mrs. Lydia C. Hultman of Hancock street were not the only ones "spotted" by suspicious acting characters on Tuesday night has become known and in each case the description of the man tallies with that of the man chased by Court Officer Arthur Hultman.

Each of the families although they paid particular attention to their experience gave the matter but little thought until they learned of the episode at the Hultman home and in comparing notes found they were not the only ones disturbed.

From what information has been gleaned the past few days, none of which has been furnished the police, the men in the auto made their first visit to houses on Upland road and Irving place. They promptly fled when discovered.

They are next reported at the Hultman home on Washington street and a short time later neighbors detected them trying windows at the home of Thomas Smith, the well known Granite City Club member, whose home is on Washington street.

Frank Smith, a son, was holding a telephone conversation with a member of the Pastime Club who was at the club rooms and in order to receive the phone warning of the neighbor it was necessary for the operator to break in on the wire. The man fled before pursuit could be taken up.

People living in the Washington street and City Square section are beginning to feel alarmed over the occurences and are of the opinion the entire district has been marked for a visit by burglars. Several have taken means to protect their property and revolvers and automatic pistols have been purchased.

Old offenders, whose terms in prison recently expired, according to people acquainted with the underworld, have been seen about the city the past week. It is believed they may be responsible for the spotting.

IS VERY NEAR REALIZATION

Recreation Room For Girls Practically Assured

The proposed recreation room for Quincy girls is nearing realization. A building has practically been secured and final plans may be completed at the Jan. 16 meeting of the Quincy Young Women's club of the city under whose auspices the idea is being fostered.

A general invitation has been extended the young women of the city to attend the meeting in the High school gymnasium.

The club has arranged an inviting social program. The first event will be the meeting of the dramatic, dressmaking and gymnasium classes on the evening of Jan. 13. The next will be the Valentine party on Feb. 3 to be held under the direction of Miss Sadie Abrams and the main event will be the first Gentlemen's night of the year to be held in Colonial hall on the evening of Feb. 5.

An extensive program has been arranged for the evening and will include a presentation by the dramatic class under the direction of Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, with Miss Ruth Dahl as business manager. Informal dancing will follow the production.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Sunday fair with moderate westerly winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.13
Sun sets	4.31
Length of day	9.18
Moon rises	1.56
High water, A. M.	6.00
High water, P. M.	6.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 12 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	36 degrees
Jan. 9, 1914,	39 degrees
Jan. 9, 1913,	24 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

FORE RIVER LODGE ELECTS

Fore River lodge, I. O. O. F. and M. U., elected its officers in the Johnson building Friday night and completed arrangements for the installation on Jan. 22. H. G. Wenzell of Cambridge, provincial corresponding secretary, was unable to be present. The installation will be under the direction of Past Grand, Charles W. Sears. The elected:

Noble Grand—James Bruce.
Vice Grand—John Philips.
Recording Secretary—Oscar Ford.
Permanent Secretary—George Pock.
Treasurer—William McLay.
Chaplain—J. H. Lee.
Delegate—John Davidson.

DEPUTY WILL INSTALL.

District Deputy Grand Master Sadie M. Wood, accompanied by her suite from the George L. Gill Rebekah lodge will publicly install the officers of Amana lodge of South Braintree Tuesday evening. She will be accompanied by a large delegation of local Rebekahs.

The officers of Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., will be installed the same evening.

TENDER BANQUET TO CAMPBELL

Mayor To Renew Old Acqua'ntances Tuesday

Mayor Campbell goes to Providence R. I., Tuesday to attend the complimentary banquet to be tendered him at the Crown hotel by the old time bicycle riders and his many friends in Providence. Gov. Beekman of Rhode Island and Mayor Gaynor of Providence will be present. It is expected that the banquet will be attended by upwards of 250.

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GUESTS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Owls Hold Highly Successful Dance

The Owl's dancing party in Alpha hall Friday evening was the most successful affair of its kind in the city this season. The guests included young men and women from all parts of the South Shore and Brockton.

The modern dances prevailed but there was an entire absence of anything extreme. Music was by Hamilton's orchestra.

The floor was in charge of John B. Coffey and Patrick S. Caven organizers of the club. The aids were T. L. Sullivan J. D. Coffey, Joseph B. Wade, H. S. Butters, H. K. Brady W. McGinnis, T. C. Curry, J. F. Ronayne, B. C. Tobin, T. McCluskey.

The Linger Longa Girls, Takhoma Girls and Gibson Girls of Brockton, the Maxime Girls of Holbrook, The Bachelor Girls of Dorchester and the Lucien, Glenetha, I. D. I. and Virginian Girls clubs of Quincy were represented. All of the young men's social clubs of this city had delegations present.

COMMITTEES TO BE NAMED

City Council to Meet Next Monday Evening

An adjourned meeting of the city council will be held Monday evening. There is but little business to come before the session other than reports of the special committee on the temporary loan order and on the order amending the rules of the council. After the matter of that part of the rules relating to committees is disposed of President Whiton will probably announce the make up of the standing committees of the year. It is expected that more or less new business will be introduced at the meeting.

ST. STEPHENS TO MEET.

The regular convocation of St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter will convene at 6 o'clock next Wednesday evening and supper will be served at 7 o'clock. At the close of the business session there will be an entertainment. The work of the evening will be the Royal Arch degree.

BELIEVE CONTI IS IN BOSTON

Police Expect to Arrest Braintree Man Wanted For Murder

Joseph Conti, the 21 year old South Braintree Italian and Quincy night school student who escaped from Norwalk, Ct., Thursday after the alleged murdering of Dr. Delprano, his brother-in-law and who was thought to have reached Quincy Friday is in Boston and may be arrested at any moment.

This clue was uncovered by Patrolman John Shay who was assigned to the case by Chief Hunt of the Braintree police after the Norfolk department had asked co-operation.

Assisting Patrolman Shay in his hunt for the murderer are two officers of Norwalk who reached Braintree Friday night and several local detectives.

Conti at first was thought to have made his escape to New York. The police believe it is only a matter of hours before he is arrested.

R for Revels, a frolicsome night,
E for Everyone there with delight
V for Vision, the ladies so fair,
E for 8 o'clock, the time to be there.
L for Laughter, a light-hearted throng
S for Supper, for smiles and for song.

DISTRICT COURT.

Thomas J. Joyce was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for drunkenness at Milton.

James F. Savage was sentenced to two months in the house of correction for drunkenness at Quincy.

John McDonald was fined $15 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Fred Hobart of Braintree was arraigned on complaint of his father for refusing to obey his orders and refusing to work. The court gave the boy a talking to and then sentenced him to the reformatory at Sherborn, but suspended the sentence until July on the understanding that the boy would go to work, which he promised to do.

Domenico Bellafiore who was arraigned or assault on Dennis L. Doyle at Quincy was given a hearing before Associate Judge Pratt today and found not guilty.

Frank L. Spaulding was fined $5 for assault at Weymouth.

Mrs. N. Gorham Nickerson, Jr., of Prospect avenue is convalescing at the Quincy Hospital from a recent operation.

PLANS FOR CLUBHOUSE

Granite City Club May Consider Matter

Adorning the blackboard in the rooms of the Granite City club are sketches of a proposed clubhouse which some of the members of the club are interested in. The plans show a modern clubhouse with parlor, billiard, card, and reading rooms, a kitchen, public auditorium and bowling alleys in the basement.

As yet however the club has taken no official action in regard to the matter. It is planned however to hold a meeting at an early date of those members interested in the project at which time definite action will probably be taken.

The location of the clubhouse, if built, is still undecided upon, but it will probably be somewhere near the centre. It is understood that the proposition is for the stock to be held by members of the club.

BIG QUESTIONS TO BE DISCUSSED

Many important matters are on the schedule to be acted upon at the annual meeting of the Board of Trade next Wednesday evening. They include in addition from the election of officers, reports of the secretary, treasurer and special committees, action on application for membership report of the special committee on the purchase of the property of the Quincy Lumber company for a public dock site, of the special committee on the Quincy Boulevard extension, on printing list of members with advertisements and of the committee on signboards.

AUTO ROBBERS DRUG AND ROB BRAINTREE MAN

"Pat" Frazier Is Brutally Assaulted By Four Men Near His Home

Recovers Senses Hours Afterward and Crawls on Hands and Knees to Uncle's Home

Assaulted, chloroformed, taken in a waiting auto, robbed of $86.50 and a gold watch, and then left on the side of a road in Braintree Heights in an exhausted condition is the strange experience of Michael P. Frazier, 55, of 156 Elm street, Braintree on Wednesday night.

The affair became known Friday when Frazier was taken to his home to complete his recovery from the effects of the drug administered.

Frazier's recollection of the affair, after the assault is vague. He is employed as a switchman at the South Braintree yard and was asaulted after he stepped from an electric car at Union street.

Frazier said that he stepped onto the sidewalk to avoid a muddy spot on the road and that a man jumped out of the shadows, struck him on the mouth and felled him. Three others jumped on him and to prevent him struggling one of them administered a drug. As he relapsed into unconsciousness he heard one man say "Kill him."

Frazier says he was then put in an auto and carried away. He recovered five hours later in Braintree Heights, minus his money and watch and in a weakened condition.

Hoy long he lay there he doesn't know but as his senses slowly returned he recognized the stand pipe on Braintree Heights.

Remembering his wife's uncle, Michael King lived in the vicinity, he says he crawled around until he located his house and collapsed on reaching the piazza. He roused the family by rapping on the door with a cane and they found him all but helpless.

Dr. Robertson was summoned and ordered him put to bed.

Medical assistance was called and Thursday morning Dr. Robertson, a Boston specialist, examined him and pronounced him uninjured but suffering from a shock. He was taken to his home in a carriage Friday and today is in fair condition.

The party which operated in Braintree are thought to be same which terrorized Quincy the past week.

Frazier is today suffering the inconvenience of lacerated lips and a bruised and slightly cut chin. His glasses, he thinks, fell off when he was assaulted.

He neglected reporting the matter to the police, believing his family would do so but they failed to do so.

Frazier, who had visited a sick sister in Waltham Wednesday afternoon, was well dressed when assaulted and his clothes were muddy and torn.

The watch taken was an Appleton, Tracy number 12082165. The money was in bills of various denominations.

It developed this morning that a short time before the assault and robbery took place four suspicious characters who made up an auto party had visited a small store in Braintree.

Because of the surprise Frazier is unable to clearly describe any of his assailants. Frazier has been a resident of Braintree for some years and bears a good reputation. He is married and the father of a family. He has been in the employ of the railroad for many years and since suffering a broken leg has been a switchman.

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2-10t

EDW. P. BARRY IS COUNSEL

Appears For Defendants in District Court

Hon. Edward P. Barry, who this week retired from the office of lieutenant governor, was counsel this morning for the defendant in a case heard before Judge Avery in the district court. The case was that of Joseph Kennedy who charged Richard J. Blackmore and Thomas L. Joyce with assault.

The alleged assault took place at Cohasset last September. Kennedy alleges that an automobile containing the two defendants broke down at Cohasset and that he made the necessary repairs. He stated that he furnished a new inner tube for one of the tires of the automobile, and he used some of his own tools which the defendants carried off. He also put his coat in their car while making the repairs and after he had finished the job they started to drive off.

At this he jumped on the running board, and alleges that the defendants made an assault on him knocking him off and then driving away with his inner tube, his tools and coat These he has never recovered. The case was not finished this morning but went over on continuance until next Saturday.

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POLICE RECOVER VALUABLE RING

The valuable Naval Academy ring of Lieut. Joseph Evans, of U. S. Marietta which disappeared from his home on Edgemere road on Friday afternoon was recovered this morning by Capt. Daniel R. McKay of the police department.

The ring was found in the possession of a young man employed in a City Square store who returned the property claiming he had found it in the yard.

The ring is one of the treasurer of all graduates of Annapolis and is of handsome design. It is of solid gold with eagles inscribed on both sides. Set in the centre was a piece of green jade which Lieut Evans had mounted in Japan while the ships of the navy were on their world cruise a few years ago.

The ring had been worn by Mrs. Evans earlier in the day and was missing from the table where she had placed it She notified police headquarters and Capt. McKay made the investigation. There will probably be no arrests.

Lieut. Evans has made his home in Quincy for the past three years. He made a short visit with his family during the Christmas holidays and reported for duty the last week of the old year.

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TELEPHONES

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FRESH AIR POETS.

At a recent luncheon of the Twentieth Century Club at Boston—that stamping ground for unconventional thinkers—Robert Schauffler, of Hingham who is a poet and essayist of considerable promise, said that we must subsidize aspiring poets if we are to expect real literary contributions from them.

He said that would-be poets kill their inspiration in the struggle for existence before their genius is ripened. He suggested an honorable scholarship, as it were, so that they can get out into the country, in beautiful surroundings, far from the grimy maddening whirl.

That course might produce some rare and beautiful poetry. But probably it would not be real American poetry.

If American people are most of them living in cities and enduring the struggle of city existence, the sort of poetry which will appeal to them will be city poetry, poetry which will interpret their life, not poetry of the countryside which they see only two weeks in a year.

As to providing for the poet's existence, the chances are that he will probably have to do as the rest of us—produce his goods before he is paid for them. Publishers and the public will give fitting financial support when they get what they really like.

SUITING THE TASTE.

The big city newspaper editor's excuse to the intellectual "highbrow" reader is that he gives the public what the public wants. Which may be his reason for gradually crowding the news of The Great War off the front page and replacing it, just at present, with news of a risque breach of promise suit and of another case which promises sordid, exciting details.

Or his excuse may be that he knows the war news secured has proved unsatisfying to anyone's taste and he must have a substitute.

But we hesitate to believe that he has diagnosed the public's taste correctly. It is not inconceivable that the public's taste should have improved somewhat.

In this epoch, serious and critical in the history of every people in the civilized world, it is not inconceivable that the American people are ready to have thrust before them most prominently, as the piece de resistance, something else than the spicy dishes which have been served this week.

PASSING OF AN OLD FRIEND.

The passing of the bicycle is to be regretted. More exhilerating, better exercise than walking, it supplied a real need to men and women. There is nothing yet devised which can quite take its place. Some there are who still cling to their old friend. At seven o'clock any morning when the weather and condition of the road permits President Emeritus Eliot of Harvard can be seen wheeling along by Memorial Hall in leisurely enjoyment. Who can say how great a stimulant to that still wonderful brain was the early morning spin.

HUMANITARIAN LEGISLATION.

Governor Walsh's inaugural address serves as a reminder, if one is needed, that the legislation which the people want, and the legislation that men urge who want the people's votes, is humanitarian legislation. The state realizes today as never before its responsibility to the people and is seeking to better their condition by the passage of wise laws.

A LOSS TO THE LANGUAGE.

The incorrect use for many years of the word "criticize" in the sense of blame or censure has resulted in its becoming a correct meaning of the word. The latest dictionaries permit it. This means that the English language has lost a valuable word, for there is no word which can convey exactly the meaning of "criticize" in the sense of estimate. Such is the harm which slipshod English can work.

The steady decrease in the number of Boston school pupils who require glasses eloquently attests the value of the work done by the board of health along this line in the last six years.

A FAIR AND SANE DECISION.

If Mayor Campbell means what he says about making his appointments, —and we believe he does—he has dealt a serviceable blow to the absurd and harmful theory that "to the victors belong the spoils." Rather should be written that to the efficient and honest public servant belongs the office, a theory both fair and wise. Such a theory if put into practice would make for better government.

A well known citizen arises to remark, after reading yesterday's editorial on "Wastefulness," that he has had an experience similar to that of the individual mentioned. "On Friday," he says, "I had 13 water bills, only one addressed to me, at a cost of 26 cents besides the cost of clerks' addressing."

The reception given the teachers of the city by the educational committee of the Quincy Women's club was a graceful tribute to the work of these most important public servants.

FINANCIAL NEWS.

(Special)

The first week of the new year has shown no diminution of the recuperative influences observed in our previous advices. The war is still the dominating factor, and must so continue until peace is in sight. No great changes in this respect appear to be anticipated until military preparations are energized by the approach of spring. For the time being the contending armies are at a deadlock, which can only be broken by vigorous fresh initiative. The London Stock Exchange reopened on Monday with scarcely a ripple. Transactions there have been relatively unimportant owing to the numerous restrictions still imposed. London, however, seems to be thoroughly adjusted to war conditions.

It is quite evident that at present our industrial activities are not keeping pace with the natural growth of the country. Enterprise has been checked. Capital is relatively idle and must be accumulating in spite of diminished profits in many lines of industries. As confidence is restored enterprise will revive, capital will come out of hiding and the investment situation should gradually improve. Although the usual January investment demand has not yet materialized, there are indications of coming revival. One mark of recovery is the important new issues announced this week by the St. Paul and the Pennsylvania Railroad systems. Both of these organizations are about to put out important flotations, which they would not be apt to offer unless in their opinion the situation was favorable. Another indication or reviving confidence is the increasing orders placed by the railroads for rails, cars and other materials. This changed attitude on part of railroad managers is no doubt largely due to the concessions recently granted by the interstate Commerce Commision, and the belief that the body has moderated its long-continued attitude of hostility.

Money continues very easy to good borrowers, and funds are now returning from the interior with increased freedom. There is a continued surplus of currency, which, however, is being slowly counteracted by retirement of the emergency issue under the Aldrich Vreeland act.

The tendency of prices on the New York Stock Exchange was slightly reactionary. Some disappointment is shown at the absence of the usual January investment demand, and a possible moderate offering of stocks on foreign account acted as a check to the upward movement for the present in this market. This is particularly true of international shares, but the effect is also detrimental to the whole market.

Notwithstanding war the United States is in an exceedingly strong position from either the economic or the financial standpoint. This year we get little or no European capital, we will be obliged to finance our own requirements, and perhaps lend some assistance to Europe. Our indebtedness over there is already practically paid, and we are fortunate in this respect. Canada and Argentina have already come to New York for financial assistance, and others will follow. This may be flattering to our financial pride, but these ventures into new fields will have to be tried with discretion.

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SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

THIS IS TOO MUCH.

Polly—When they came back from their wedding trip he had just $2.50 in his pocket.

Peggy—The stingy thing.—Boston Boston Transcript.

BRIGHT IDEA.

"Your hardwood floors are always so exquisitely polished," said Mrs. Jones. "How do you manage it?"

"Oh, I just put chamois rompers on the children and let them play in the house," responded Mrs. Brown.—Lippincott's.

TOO MUCH FOR BISHOP.

An English bishop offering an orange to a little child, remarked sweetly:

"Now, my little man, I shall give you this orange if you tell me where God is."

"My lord," answered the child, son of a clergyman, "I'll give you two oranges if you'll tell me where he is not."—Boston Journal.

WHY INDEED.

Greenberg had taken out an insurance policy on his stock of goods, and three hours later a fire broke out which consumed building and contents. The company could find no ground on which to refuse payment, but in sending the check the following was included in the letter: "We note that your policy was issued at noon on Thursday and the fire did not take place till three o'clock the same day. Why this delay."—Everybody's.

WHEN POT CALLS KETTLE BLACK.

The Western Indians, though not fond of work, do not approve of indolent white men. The "heap white man" is the white man who works hard, and to sit by and watch him while he toils seems to afford them never-failing pleasure.

Some young "warriors" of the Blackfoot tribe sat in the shade one day watching a group of laborers who were constructing a grade for a railroad branch in Montana. Suddenly a bicyclist, the first they had ever seen, hove in sight. He had got off the train at the last station and was going to the fort, a little farther on.

The Indians watched the wheelman without a word until he passed from view, then they expressed their sentiments. "No good white man," one remarked.

"No," declared another with great scorn.

"Heap lazy white man—sits down to walk."—Harper's Monthly.

SCISSORS PASTE

WHITMAN AS A PROSECUTOR

There can be no question that Charles S. Whitman leaves behind him a remarkable record of accomplishment in the district attorney's office. Although his showiest feats were in earlier parts of his service, last years figures, just published, prove that there was no relaxation in his efforts or reduction in his successes. The disposal of 33,926 cases in a year, with 15,900 convictions represents an extraordinary amount of work and it suggests that a very moderate policy was pursued under which punishment of real guilt and not a record of verdicts was the object aimed at.

The homicide cases are particularly impressive. Sixty convictions within the year, including six for first degree and fifteen for second degree murder, should have a very discouraging effect on evil doers inspired to kill. The total of 232 homicide convictions during Mr. Whitman's five years in office represents a warfare against this form of crime deserving of the highest praise. It may fairly be said that Mr. Whitman never lost a murder case of importance.—New York Sun.

Poole's Orchestra will play at the Revels—"nuf sed."

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COLLECTIONS ARE LIGHT

Assessors Had Trouble Getting 1914 Taxes

City Auditor Fairbanks gives the following figures showing the receipts for water, sewer assessments, sewer house connections and taxes for the year 1914, the figures being given in comparison with those of the years 1913 and 1912.

It will be noticed that the tax collections for the year 1914 were over $75,000 less than in 1913. The smallness in tax collections this year is due in great measure to the general complaint of the assessment levied this year by the assessors, and the collections would have been even less if it had not been for the personal appeal of Acting Mayor Whiton to the citizens to pay up as the city was badly in need of funds.

The delay in payment of taxes has obliged the City Treasurer to renew some of the temporary notes of last year. It is the general opinion that when the personnel of the board of assessors is announced by the mayor the latter part of the month taxes will begin to come in.

It will also be noticed that the receipts for water are nearly $7,000 in excess of the previous year, which was also due to the persistance of the acting mayor.

TAXES.	
1914	$837,030.57
1913	912,332.40
1912	697,436.93
WATER.	
1914	$129,651.91
1913	122,036.44
1912	125,655.39
SEWER ASSESSMENTS.	
1914	$17,031.04
1913	19,401.22
1912	17,612.05
SEWER HOUSE CONNECTIONS.	
1914	$9,711.43
1913	7,325.20
1912	7,950.60

ELECTION AND INSTALLATION

Court John Adams No. 144 held its regular meeting last evening at Clan MacGregor hall.

Election and installation of officers was the principal business. The following officers were elected and inducted into office:

Chief Ranger, James Conway.

Sub Chief Ranger, Joseph Kavanagh.

Treasurer, John Pritchard.

Financial Secretary, Alex. W. Russell.

Recording Secretary, Charles Osborne.

Senior Woodward, Robert B. G. Craig.

Junior Woodward, Henry Allicon.

Senior Beadle, Carl A. Carlson.

Junior Beadle, Hugh McLellan.

Trustee for three years, James Reid.

Lecturer, Andrew Murray Pirie.

Physician, Dr. John H. Reynolds.

The installation ceremonies were performed by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger, Daniel F. Ford assisted by William Hebert who acted as Herald.

There was a goodly attendance of Foresters from the three Quincy courts and also delegations from Weymouth. Lecturer Andrew M. Pirie acted as toastmaster and called on the various members for songs, stories or speeches and no declinations were accepted.

SEEK MORE EFFICIENCY.

A well attended meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Wollaston Baptist church was held Friday evening. At the business session it was voted to start a contest to secure better attendance Sunday evenings and to secure better efficiency. At present the percentage of attendance and efficiency is only 23 1-3. After the session games were played and light refreshments served.

Do you remember the bringing in of the Great Cake at the Revels last year, the Wassail Bowl Song, the brilliant and impressive Coronation Procession, with its Acolytes in red gowns with lighted tapers, Crown-Bearers, Train-Bearers, the stately King and Queen in their brilliant apparel, and the red-robed Father Christmas?

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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

MEMORIES OF EARLY QUINCY

Lysander Richards Writes of 60 Years Ago

Editor Quincy Ledger:

"When fond remembrances present them to view," not "the old oaken bucket, the moss covered bucket, or the iron bound bucket that hung in the well," because I didn't have the good fortune of using one when a boy, but Old Scots pond that stood by the hill, and Belcher's pond to show our skill as we skated and slid with the girls on the sled and saw fixed stars when we tumbled and bled.

Although it must have occurred between 65 and 70 years ago, there are some of my schoolmates living in Quincy now who can remember what a sensation there was when John Pickering, an engineer on the Old Colony Road, ran off the bridge with his engine into the Neponset river.

He was sent by the superintendent of the road on his engine alone with an important message to Plymouth. I think it was on his return that the draw at the bridge was carelessly left open, and down our friend Pickering went engine and all into the watery deep. Mr. Pickering was a Quincy man, son-in-law of Henry Wood, brother-in-law of Mrs. John Wood, now living and my schoolmate.

The Post Office, some 62 or 63 years ago was located in the Town House then called, now the City Hall, in the rooms now occupied by the City Clerk I was then acting postmaster 16 to 18 years old, in the name of Francis Williams, as I was a minor and could not bear the title of Postmaster. When Daniel Webster died I had to drape my office in black for 60 days and attend his funeral. Letters then were five and ten cents to California. My office was the only one in town except a branch at Quincy Point, the agent coming up to my office for his mail bag daily.

George H. Locke came down and took the letters going to the west part of the town and delivered them to parties from his store.

At that time the expenses of my office were between seven and ten hundred dollars. I was informed by Charles Hammond that the cost of running the Quincy office now, or was before they consolidated with the Boston office, some forty thousand dollars. In my time the population was only five or six thousand, now it is some thirty-five thousand.

There are probably some who can remember "Marm" Hayden's Apothecary, so called. It was located in a house then situated between the Quincy Insurance Co. office and the Library driveway. Mrs. Hayden lived in one half of the double house, and the late Miss Judith Spear lived in the other half. There was only one other apothecary in town.

Josiah Brigham's store was where the Quincy Daily Ledger and Patriot office is now located. The Quincy Patriot was published upstairs. Mr. Bickford had a tailoring shop in the rear of the office. In a large office of the store was the Quincy Savings Bank. Israel Munroe was its treasurer and Horace Spear his assistant. Some excitement was caused by a burglar entering the store. Two young men, Clift Rodgers and Francis Williams boarded opposite in the Burrill House. Hearing a noise in the rear part of the store in the night, they immediately dressed and ran quietly out to investigate. Mr. Williams was to guard the front door, and Mr. Rodgers was to go to the back door. The burglar espying Rodgers, drew his revolver to shoot him, but Rodgers being too smart for him tackled him and threw him to the ground. Mr. Williams ran to his assistance and secured the burglar. He was tried, convicted and sent to State Prison. It was considered a very daring act in those days.

There are some living who remember Lawyer, or Squire Gourgas, who had a little building near said store, in which was his office, later used as a millinery shop by Miss Hussey. He was an old bachelor, a very stiff, dignified, ceremonious fellow. As I remember him, I don't think he ever laughed. I went to his office during my Post office days to get my quarterly office reports to Washington sworn to.

Just below the store was Gillett's stable, on the grounds occupied by the late Mrs. Abner Packard's greenhouse. It was a very large stable and the only livery stable in town. This was before the Old Colony Railroad was built. He ran the stage from Quincy to Boston this being the only conveyance for passengers and express. He was very popular and his wife was more so. Society was eager to attend Mrs. Gillett's parties.

Farther north was Elisha Packard's store, on the corner where the Congregational church now stands. His residence, a large square colonial house, stood on the southerly part of the church grounds.

Dr. French's dental office was located about the site of Johnson's grocery store I think as I remember of going down there to have some teeth extracted as a sort of appetizer before breakfast.

In the town square was a building, on the corner of Saville street, once occupied by the Quincy Stone Bank, and later by the Quincy Savings Bank At the time I remember it, about 70 years ago, Mr. Bartlett was the cashier. The villagers were startled early one morning by the news that the bank had been burglarized. Safe breakers were rarely heard of then. Quite a sum of money was taken but there was always a mystery about it as nothing was broken about the safe or the room. The window was found raised a little, but no clew was ever found as to how and by what means the money was stolen.

Lysander S. Richards.

Marshfield Hills, Dec. 18, 1914.

PATRIOT'S OLDEST SUBSCRIBER.

Miss Charlotte Arnold who now makes her home in North Weymouth and this week reached the eightieth milestone in her life's journey has been a subscriber to the Quincy Patriot all her life. Even now when her eyesight is not what it used to be, she enjoys it just the same, if not more so. Her niece with whom she lives is called upon to read it aloud, almost word for word every week.

Don't be stumped and miss the fun of the Revels for lack of a fancy costume. It is an easy matter to make up a simple one, and often the home-made are best. Mrs. H. H. Kitson, Miss Georgiana Lane or Mrs. John D. MacKay will be glad to offer suggestions.



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REAPERS CIRCLE ELECTS.

The annual meeting of the Reapers Circle of Kings Daughters was held Friday evening with Mrs. Charles Wilson and the following officers elected:

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Vice President Miss Flora Bone.

Secretary Mrs. Charles Wilson.

Treasurer Miss Madeline Pollock.

KNIGHTS INITIATE CANDIDATE.

A regular meeting of Bethany Castle Knights of King Arthur was held Friday evening. There was an unusually large attendance of the Knights. One candidate was initiated

The Ledger would like to hear from some one who could write Wollaston news items such as personals, afternoon social affairs, etc., each day for the paper. Good pay on space to the right one either man or woman.

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In SOCIETY



Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Waterhouse of Wollaston are at Altamonte Springs Florida, where they are spending the season at The Altamonte

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Samuel N. Corthell of Newton street returned Thursday from Auburn, Maine after a three weeks visit with his sons family, the Robert Nelson Corthells.

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Mrs. Herbert Smith has been entertaining Mrs. Charles Carswell and Miss Ethel Lloyd of Gardner.

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Mrs. Charles C. Dailey of Washington street entertained at luncheon Wednesday. Her guests were Mrs. Alf Swensen, Mrs. Earl Thomas and Mrs. Theodore Penley all of Wollaston.

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Miss Etta M. Prescott of Presidents hill is in Providence, R. I., for a week, the guest of Mrs. George Andrews Tisdale at The Slade Mansion, Elmwood.

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Miss Charlotte Arnold of North Weymouth, was entertained at the home of her niece Mrs. Joshua P. Holbrook on the anniversary of her eightieth birthday Monday Jan. 4. The other guests at the dinner in her honor, were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sampson, Arthur Graves Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Holbrook and Miss Carrie E. French. Miss Arnold was born in Quincy and resided here fifty years or so, when she moved to North Weymouth and has since made her home with relatives there.

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Mr. and Mrs. John La Tour and family of Sagamore street spent the week end with relatives in Meriden, Conn.

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Mrs. Alice M. Carr and daughter Miss Janet F. Carr of Thayer street are anticipating a most delightful trip, Honolulu being the objective point and a visit to the son and brother who is in business there.

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Miss Helen Damon of Billings street and Miss Marion Letteney of Webster street returned from spending several days with friends in Mattapan.

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Lysander S. Richards and daughter Miss Eleanor Richards have left their Marshfield Hills home and are at Hotel Brunswick, Boston for the winter.

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Miss Elizabeth Freeman of Grand View avenue who went over to New York for the holidays is to make an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Chester William Nimitz of Brooklyn, not returning until next month.

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Mrs. S. E. Lewis, sister of Mrs. Mackay and Mrs. Bass and well known in this city, is to pass the winter in Passadena, California.

Miss Jean I. Gorham of Beale street returned this week, after spending Christmas in New Braintree with the Joseph H. Tituses and New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Titus of Holyoke.

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Mrs. Horace M. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school is extending an invitation to friends of the school to attend a recital by Frank Speaight, the distinguished Dickens enterpreter in Livermore hall Wednesday evening at quarter to eight. Also a concert on Friday evening by Mrs. George Green, Miss Green and Miss Soden on piano, vocal and 'cello.

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Wollaston friends of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Wright Pratt formerly of the Unitarian church are pleased that they are coming back to the States again, having been transferred from Alberta to Norfolk, Virginia. Mrs. Pratt is the niece of Mrs. E. C. Butler of Russell park.

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Mrs. A. E. Hoban and Miss Frances Hoban of Hanover spent New Year's as guests of Mrs. A. C. Demary of Quincy.

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Mrs. Howard Penniman and Miss Dorothy R. Sayward spent New Year's day with their sister, Mrs. Horace F. Bates of Hanover.

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New Years evening Miss Mary Elizabeth Patterson of Roxbury and Charles E. Houghton of 88 Glover avenue Atlantic were united in marriage by Rev. T. W. Davison at the parsonage 136 Billings street. Miss Patterson wore a beautiful steel gray travelling suit and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Miss A. M. Young of Forest Hills was bridesmaid and William A. Beattie of Quincy best man. After the ceremony the party left in a taxi for Boston where a wedding dinner was served.

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A pretty surprise, taking the form of an afternoon tea, was given Mrs. John S. Vogler of Botolph street at her home New Year's afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock. The dining room was tastily decorated for the occasion, the color scheme being red. The shades were drawn and red candles lighted. The place cards were in the shape of poinsettias. A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses, Misses Ethel and Marion Vogler after which a pleasant time was spent with music by a graphophone and recitations by Mrs. Harry Nichols. The guests were Mrs. W. Pickett, Mrs. John Fuller, Mrs. Josiah Fuller, Mrs. G. Sherwin Mrs. William E. Barnes Mrs Alexander E. Goyette, and Mrs. Harry Nichols.

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DYNAMITERS SEEK PAROLE

Good Job In Prison Construction Put Up as an Argument

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 9.—The rapidity with which they constructed the west cell house at the federal prison here was one of the arguments put forward by seventeen structural iron workers convicted in the "dynamite conspiracy" cases at Indianapolis, who appeared before the federal parole board convened here. Having served one-third of their sentences the men are eligible for parole.

When the men came back to the prison after their appeals had been denied, Warden Morgan decided to put them to work on the west cellhouse. For seven years the prison management had been trying to get this completed, but at no time were there enough iron workers in prison to finish the job.

The warden called the iron workers in and, explaining the situation, put them to work. Within six months the iron work on the cellhouse was completed.

THE "CLAIRVOYANT TRUST"

Chicago Investigation Said to Implicate New York Policemen

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Further disclosures, implicating New York policemen, were hinted at by State Attorney Hoyne following the indictment of Louis Spiegel, a New York lawyer, on a charge of conspiracy to defraud and extort.

Frank Ryan, convicted head of the "clairvoyant trust," is Spiegel's accuser. Official confirmation was given to reports that New York authorities are co-operating with Hoyne in the police expose.

Familiar with a ruse Ryan had successfully used to evade arrest and possible extradition from Boston, Spiegel, according to Ryan, forced Ryan to give him $2900 in settlement of alleged bond forfeitures.

Ryan was conducting his clairvoyant business here when Spiegel is alleged to have represented himself as a member of District Attorny Whitman's corps.

NATIVES UNFIT FOR SELF GOVERNMENT

But Shuster Thinks It Best to Free the Philippines

Washington, Jan. 9.—Only one nation in the world could take the Philippines from the United States, she would permit no other nation to take them, and, for economic and climatic reasons she does not want them herself. That nation is Japan; and she would be very glad to make a treaty of neutralization with us.

This is the opinion of W. M. Shuster, for eight years a government official in the Philippines, as narrated to the senate committee on Philippines. Shuster believed it only right that the promise of independence should be made by the United States. Independence when granted should be based on neutralization, he said, and he admitted that the violation of Belgian neutrality had changed international standards.

The Filipinos are not fit for self-government, according to our standards, Shuster said, and may never be, but they are now, according to a standard that will give them happiness. The Filipino masses, he continued, have been told by their politicians that the United States has promised them independence and believe it; persons who have made a more careful study recognize that congress never has promised independence, except as the phrase "temporary" occurs in the Philippine act.

COMERY IS INDICTED

Charged With Causing His Wife's Death by Giving Her Poison

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 9.—Among the indictments returned by the grand jury here was one charging murder against Oscar J. Comery. He is accused of killing his wife by giving her two grains of strychnine in a capsule.

An indictment was also found against Mrs. Amanda A. Harris, charging illegal operation and maintaining an unlicensed hospital. The police have carefully guarded the identity of the person operated upon. Edward J. Harris, husband of Mrs. Harris, was indicted in the same case.

Ex-City Clerk Indicted

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 9.—Ailston P. Joyce, former city clerk of Medford, was indicted by the grand jury on charges of larceny of $9692.04 from the city of Medford.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The volcano Mokuaweomec in Hawaii is in violent eruption.

Mrs. Thomas Guion, 50, of Medford, Mass., committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas.

"Much disease is bred by weeping," declared Miss Elizabeth Walter in an address before the Chicago Osteopathic association.

Members of the Illinois Women's Press association swapped unwelcome and useless Christmas gifts at their annual meeting at Chicago.

The "Old Town Meeting House" at Brookline, N. H., erected in 1797, was totally destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

DOG CASE IN COURT AGAIN

The famous Ruby Toy spaniel dog case came to the front again this morning when a suit in replevin was entered in the district court by Agnes K. Philbuck against Freeman W. Grant. The case was tried out some weeks ago in the criminal session at which time Grant was charged with the larceny of the dog from Mrs. Philbrick after which Grant was found not guilty and was discharged.

The dog was then recovered on a write of replevin by a sheriff in whose keeping the animal now is. The return of the writ was made this morning. When it will come up for trial has not been determined as yet.

TWELFTH NIGHT REVELS.

Fifth Annual Twelfth Night Revels Program Promises Much Fun.

Details have been about completed by the committee for the fifth annual Revels to be held next Friday evening at Music hall with the following program:

Bugle call.
Grand Procession of Populace.
Proclamation by Beadle.
Entrance Great Cake and Bearers.
Cutting of Cake by Beadle.
Distribution of Cake.
King and Queen discovered.
Bugle call.
Coronation procession of King and Queen, Acolytes, Crown-Bearers, Train-Bearers and Father Christmas.
Father Christmas crowns King and Queen.
King speaks to Populace.
Youths and Maidens sing and dance.
Troubadours and Cavaliers in song and rhyme.
Court Jester makes fun contagious.
Clowns bring laughter with antics.
Tournament, Knights upon fiery charges.
Populace in rollicking choruses.
Revellers take partners for Portland Fancy.
Procession to the Banquet hall.
Feasting.
Dancing.
Confetti Battle.
12 P. M. Revelry ceases.

HONORS PERPETUATED.

The custom of handing honors down from father to son and to succeeding generations seems to obtain in Woburn. The son of the first mayor has just been inaugurated mayor for the present term. Last week the Masonic lodge installed as master the son of the brother who held that office in 1886-87 and grandson of the master who ruled the lodge away back in 1866-67. We doubt if a parallel case can be cited in the jurisdiction of Massachusetts, at least in the memory of the oldest Mason. It speaks well for the families of Woburn that the good qualities of the fathers are perpetuated in such a degree as to receive recognition by the voters of the city and the members of the ancient fraternity.—Lynn Item.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Inspector of Buildings Merrill has issued the following building permits this week:

Wilton A. Dunham, removal Sea street.
K. E. Carlson, dwelling, Hilda street
Charles N. Totten, dwelling, Pawsey street.
Viktor Ruuska, alteration, Copeland street.
Catherine L. Boyden, and John F. Short, dwelling Speakman street.
Cornelius Scanlon, alteration, Robertson street.
Mrs. Bernard Wenners, dwelling Hobomack road.
E. Wuori, woodshed, Albertina street.
Matti Wainiopaa, dwelling, Sampo place.
L. L. Files, addition Sea street.
Louis H. Jacobs, addition, Babcock street.
Morton & Morden dwelling, Phillips street.
Mrs. Stevens, addition, Chubbuck street.
George Craig, Jr., woodshed, Columbia street.
Thomas McCann, store, Buckley street.

COMMITTED TO ASYLUM.

A man who gave his name as George Wetherby was arrested by Officer Olson in city square Friday night and sent to the police station on the charge of drunkenness. This morning when brought to court it was discovered that he was not right mentally and after examination by two physicians he was committed to an asylum. He gave his home address as 17b Dudley street.

HIGH SCHOOL HAS EASY SAILING

Effectively Beats Reading In Spectacular Games

Quincy High took two basketball games from Reading High Friday, its 1st team winning 27-24 and its 2nd, 26-9. Both games were hard fought and spectacular.

The first team was without the services of Crosscup at center, but Davis played the position well under the circumstances.

From the time the ball was tossed, play was fast and furious. Fouls were numerous, much too numerous in fact from a Quincy standpoint; but they came from overeagerness on the part of the opposing guards to prevent scoring rather than from any attempts to "put anything over." Because of the small floor space little clean, sensational passing could be carried out, each side covering closely.

Reading scored first on two successive fouls, and trese followed by a basket by McLeod gave them four points before Crocker broke the ice by caging the ball for Quincy. Judkins alone seemed able to find the Reading basket during the remainder of the period, he bringing the total up to nine. Baskets by Davis, Beaton and Crocker gave Quincy eight.

The second period found Quincy in better form. Having found themselves unable to break through Reading's defense by passing they resorted to distance shooting and scored sixteen points on baskets to six for Reading. Towards the end of the game fouling nearly resulted disastrously for Quincy, for by taking advantage of his free tries Judkins nearly tied the score. Seven times in the last ten minutes he scored for his team by this method. Judkins was the whole show for Reading, while Crocker, Hamlin and Beaton did best for Quincy.

The second team game was clean cut and more sensational than the first. Every Quincy man did something to bring out a cheer, Morrison, Baker, and Prout by scoring on long shots, Favreau by landing two baskets in succession with one handed shots, and Welsford by tossing a basket, while squeezed almost flat against the wall in the corner. The Reading team was so completely outclassed that it could not stay. Bachelder did the best work for Reading.

The scores follow:

QUINCY		READING
Browne rf	lb	MacKenzie
Barstow		
Crocker lf	rb	Burns
		Hutchinson
Davis c	c	Judkins
Hamlin rb	lf	Bangs
Beaton lb	rf	MacLeod

Score Q H S 27, R. H. S. 24. Goals from floor Crocker 5, Davis, Hamlin 2, Beaton 3, Barstow, MacLeod 3, Judkins 3. Goals from fouls Davis 3 Judkins 12. Referee Coady. Scorer Roache. Timer Howe. Time 15 and 20 minutes.

QUINCY 2nd		READING 2nd
Morrison rf	lb	S. Stevens
Welsford lf	rb	Davis
Favreau c	c	Nichols
Baker rb	lf	Bachelder
Prout lb	rf	C Stevens

Score Q. H. S. 2nd 26, R. H. S. 2nd 9. Goals from floor Welsford 4, Morrison 2, Favreau 3, Baker, Prout 2, Bachelder, C. Stevens.

Goals from fouls, Welsford Baker Nichols 5. Referee Coady. Scorer Roache. Timer Howe. Time 15 and 20 minutes.

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DANGERS FROM IMMIGRATION

Speaker Points out Perils to U. S. Before Atlantic Men's Club

Character of Immigrants Has Changed During Last Third Century

D. Chauncey Brewer president of the North American Civic League of Immigration was the speaker at the Men's club of Atlantic Friday in Memorial church.

Mr. Brewer told of the work of the League in putting secretaries in the principal seaports to meet the immigrants in coming to this country to teach and educate them in the privileges and responsibilities of American citizenship.

He said that it is necessary to feel the perils of the immigration problem and enlist business men to work for reforms; that at present some of the business men of the highest order are giving time and thought to this problem.

"We have been congratulating ourselves in leading the nations of the world," he said, "yet men from all nations are crowding into this country. With all of the horrors of this dreadful European war it may prove a God-send to this country as it is giving us a breathing spell, emigration for the present having greatly diminished.

"We are proceeding at a terrific speed and if we live a few years we will see things happen that former generations could not have believed possible.

"Today we see the anarchists with the red flag socialists whose motto is 'No God; No Master,' and men on the platform and in the press are always making statements to comfort them instead of sounding a clear note and backing the mayors and officers who are working for order.

"As Americans we need to consider the story of our own people, and see what we have back of us; then look at the character of what we have to do with.

"There are four periods in American history. The first was that of the Pilgrims coming to these shores—drawing up the Compact on the Mayflower—a liberty loving people.

"Perhaps the great character of that hour was Roger Williams. He called men to him who loved liberty, but they soon disagreed and quarrelled. Roger Williams put his foot down and said in the Providence plantations there must be order if there was to be liberty. In the year that has just passed the pulpits and press did not sustain the mayors who tried to keep order when there was industrial agitation.

"The second period was that of the American Revolution when the fathers took up arms and secured actual liberty. There were some red coats in Boston and the people did not like it, and when there were arms stored in Lexington and a boy was up till three o'clock in the morning, and at 4 o'clock his mother awoke him saying—'The British are coming—we must do something!'

"We must do something today. Seventy percent of the immigrants who come to this country stay right here within 50 miles of the Atlantic coast between New England and Pennsylvania. People see the great crowds coming and say they will go West and have families and in a few years their children will go to the public schools and be marching with American flags. It is a fine thought, but untrue.

Prior to 1880 the people who came here were from North and West of Europe. They loved liberty and were soon assimilated, but the last 20 years they have come from the south and east of Europe. From the abused and down trodden people of Eastern Austria, Russia, Assyria. The great hordes of Asia are also facing this way at least a million a year, and the steam-boat agents with the manufacturers and blind capitalists will help them.

The committee on hospitality who meets these are made up of scamps and renegades who rob them within thirty days after they come. A man landed in the Bowery in New York with $20.00 in Austrian gold and one of these went with him to have it exchanged and was given a one dollar bill and sent to Northern New York.

"The civil war was the third period when men fought for liberty for all.

"The period in which we live is the fourth. The question before us is can this liberty be given to all. What about the men of our times? Ask the child who are the great men of America and he will tell you the captains of industry.

"The captains of industry know a good deal about industry, but not one thing about the things which make for national prosperity.

"There can be no advance without political stability.

"The porter, boarding house keeper and interpreters are doing all they can to undermine the social conditions of the immigrant.

"A government of the people cannot exist when a large part of the population are either ignorant or vicious."

Mr. Brewer was questioned over half an hour after the address. The meeting was the first of the Club year and a fine turkey supper was served with all of its fixings.

Mr. Read announced he has received an invitation from the Park and Downs Club to attend their meeting with the pastor and that it was a step in the right direction and would extend an invitation to the other clubs presidents and ministers to meet with us.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that under the rules of the City Council, all petitions, for street rebuilding or construction, received later than May 15, will not be acted upon during the current year.

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HOUGHS NECK—A. H. Dunham, and his newsboys.
NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

SPORTING COMMENT

Frank Bruce of the Italian American A. C. is planning to build a gymnasium in the Keating block on Washington street. A track will be installed and various other equipment is being purchased.

Friends of Frank McPherson of the St. Mary's team of the West Quincy league believe he would stand a chance of winning the city championship, if he decided to enter.

McLean, Olindy, J. Dell, James Smollett, J. Sweeney, W. Dubois. P. Restelli and C. Dixon have qualified for the silver trophy offered the winner of the city championship at the Wardwell alleys on Feb. 1, 2 and 3.

The Quincy and Revere lodge of Elks have arranged a series of three matches and to stimulate interest the exalted ruler of the Revere lodge has offered a silver cup for the winner. With "Jacka" Joyce repeating his performance, which netted him a string of 165, Quincy should be the winners.

The Seniors beat the Juniors in a class game in the High school gym Friday afternoon, 12 to 10. Several varieties of basket ball were introduced. The game was fast.

Mrs. Price of the Wollaston Ladies club set a new mark in the matches at the Wardwell alleys Friday afternoon with her single of 103. The record is much less however than the Quincy Ladies bowling team, Mrs. Moran having 118, Miss Helen Olsen, 108 while Mrs. Blake has 115.

From a sporting standpoint, John Coffey and "Admiral" Caven made a grand success of the Owl Club's dance

There is little likelihood that the team which represented Quincy last season in the Boston league will be reorganized, principally because of the illness of Mrs. Paul Poehler.

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Wilson Warns Democrats Not to Break Up Solidity

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Attacks Republican Party and Defends Policies of Administration—Mexicans Entitled to Liberty—Wants Ship Purchase Law and Federal Employment Bureau

Indianapolis, Jan. 9.—President Wilson voiced what a crowd of people, assembled here to hear him make a Jackson day speech, interpreted as a hint that he might be a candidate for the presidency again in 1916.

The president had been discussing the Mexican question and referred to his belief that he knew the temperament and principles of the American people, adding that he would not be fit to stay where he was if he did not understand them.

"There may come a time," he went on, "when the American people will have to judge whether I know what I am talking about or not."

There was a slight pause and then the crowd, which included the members of the Indiana legislature, jumped up and began shouting and cheering. Realizing the construction which had been put on his words, the president held up his hands for silence and said:

"I did not mean to stir up anything. That was merely preparatory to saying that, for at least two more years, I am free to think that I know the American people."

Previously the president had attacked the Republican party, defended the record of his administration on the Mexican policy and the tariff and currency questions, and declared that a careful examination of the returns from the elections last November showed that if it had been a presidential year, a Democrat would have had a majority of about eighty in the electoral college.

The president criticised Republican senators opposing the government ship purchase bill, whom he characterized as "self-styled friends of business."

He said the Republican party has not had a new idea in thirty years and that "the Republicans do not know how to do anything but sit on the lid." He added that the country wants the ship purchase bill enacted into law and "will have it."

A warning to Democrats not to break up the solidity of the party was spoken of gravely by Mr. Wilson. He declared that any such men will gain an unenviable position for themselves, and mentioned Senators Kern and Shively of Indiana as men whom he "did not have to lie awake nights thinking about." He continued that "if a man won't play on a team he must get off the team," and later spoke of himself as "the captain of the Democratic team for the present."

The president spoke briefly of Mexico. He said the people there are entitled to liberty, "no matter how long they take in determining it." He declared that "so far as my influence goes, while I am president, nobody shall interfere with them." He said that, until the revolt against Diaz, 80 percent of the Mexicans never had a look in as to who should be their government.

"Have not European nations taken as long as they wanted and spilled as much blood as they pleased to settle their own affairs?" he continued, "And shall we deny the same right to Mexico? No, I say."

Much of Mr. Wilson's address was devoted to the independent and progressive voters He said that about one-third of the Republican party is progressive, and about two-thirds of the Democratic party is progressive. "Therefore," he added, "the Democratic party is more progressive than the Republicans."

He declared that most of the voters of the country are independent, but that it was his ambition to have them vote with the Democrats. He spoke of himself as an "animated conservative."

Referring to the European war, the president said the people of the United States should not pay too much attention to it, but should get their own affairs in such order that they can be of the greatest assistance to the countries fighting. He closed his address with a prayer that the time might come when the United States could be instrumental in restoring peace.

Business conditions were taken up briefly. He characterized talk of business depression as "a state of mind," and said the Democratic party had already done much to free business, and that its program was not yet complete. Whenever the country really wants something beside talk, he added, it turns to the Democratic party.

The president advocated the establishment of a great federal employment bureau; said some means should be found for quickening and cheapening the processes of the courts, and spoke of the necessity of congress passing the administration conservation bills.

Cheering and hand-clapping interrupted the president at frequent intervals.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

R. Smith of Somerville is spending the week end with friends in Atlantic.

Ernest Newcomb and family, formerly of Walker street, moved to Wollaston this week.

One of the striking Revels posters by Mrs. Henry H. Kitson is in the window of the Quincy Savings Bank.

The Parliamentary Law Class of the Wollaston Woman's Club met Thursday with Mrs. Harry L. Stevens.

Harold Gellespie of St. John, N. B., is the guest of his sister Mrs. William Giles of Brooks avenue.

Waldo Galligan private secretary to Col. Henry L. Kincaide has returned from a trip to Washington, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Parents and Teachers Association has been postponed from Jan. 11 to Monday evening Jan. 25.

Mr. Sleeper, choirmaster of the Newton Highlands Protestant Episcopal church is to have charge of the music at the seven o'clock service Sunday evening at the Wollaston M. E. church.

The week of prayer has been so successful at the First United Presbyterian church that the meetings will be continued next week. Services begin at 7.30 P. M. and all are invited to attend.

Rev. T. J. Farmer of East Boston preaches at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in exchange with the pastor. Mr. Farmer is state president of the Y. P. C. U. and at 4.20 will meet with all who are interested in the Y. P. C. U.

A neighborhood meeting is to be held by the Y. P. R. U. of the First Parish church, Sunday afternoon at 4.30 in the chapel. Miss Hyland will be the soloist and an address on "The Floating Hospital" will be given by the superintendent. A social hour will follow.

The Wollaston Glee Club is certainly offering an attractive program for their concert next Tuesday evening at New School Hall. The opportunity of hearing an Opera singer of note right at home is rare and all music lovers will surely avail themselves of this chance.

The Walther Men's Class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist Church Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion; prelude: "The Arguments against National Constitutional Prohibition." Regular Lesson subject Deborah and Barak delivered Israel. All men invited to this strong and growing class.

Fred R. Johnson who speaks on the problem of the unemployed before the Quincy Women's Club Tuesday afternoon, is secretary of the Boston Associated Charities and a young man experienced in Social Service. He led a ball nine called the Breadliners against the Bacilli, captained by Seymour Stone secretary of the Boston Anti-Tuberculosis Association, at Norward Civic Center on the field day of the Monday Evening Club of Boston composed of social workers. The Breadliners won over the Bacilli.

The annual meeting of Memorial church Sunday school was held in the chapel Wednesday evening. Reports were read by the officers showing a prosperous year. The following officers were elected; Rev. T. W. Davison superintendent; Deacon Herbert Tucker and Miss Jessie French assistant superintendents; C. Lawrence French, secretary; Harriet Waterhouse, assistant secretary; Gordon Sherwin treasurer, Mrs. L. Lugene Hayford superintendent cradle roll; Miss May Buckley and Miss Cora Harding leaders Kindergarten.

Memorial church is giving a rare treat to the people of the community Sunday evening in the stereopticon address of Rev. Lawrence A. Wilson of Montana, on "Redeeming the Ugliest town on Earth." Mr. Wilson went into a mining town which was under martial law because of riotings shooting, and dynamiting and established a church. He plans to put up a building with modern equipment of mens club rooms, gymnasium, for games musicales and dramatics to overcome the influence of vicious dance halls, gambling dens and saloons. Children attending the lecture must be accompanied by parents or Sunday school teachers.

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NEWS OF QUINCY BUILT BOAT

Clipper "America" Now in Coal Trade on Pacific

Hon. E. B. Meilen, formerly active here in the Brockton canal project, and now located in Seattle, has sent some interesting facts about the clipper ship America, to Dock and Water Commissioner Frank F. Crane. Once one of the proudest ships afloat, the America, which was built in Quincy, is now engaged in the coal trade on Puget Sound.

She will be remembered by many who recall the days when ship building was an active industry in Quincy. This queen of the ocean covered many a voyage that made British seamen on their slow moving craft, sit up and take notice. In her early career she rounded "The Horn" from New York to California.

Later she was sold to the Fish Packers association and for several years was used in the canning trade and in 1906 was purchased by the Coastwise Steamship and Barge Company, sailing between Seattle and San Francisco. In the spring of 1907 she was dismantled and made a coal barge. In 1908 she carried a record cargo of copper ore from Sulzer to Tacoma, Wash., weighing 3,368 tons.

The America is a 1909 ton craft and has a conveying capacity of 3,300 tons. She is 238.8 feet long, 41.1 feet beam, 19.3 feet draft and was built at the shipyard of Deacon George Thomas at Quincy Point. A picture of this old vessel and the Hayden Brown, another old clipper ship celebrated for her ability to sail close to the wind, with portions of their history were recently published in the Seattle Daily Times.

HOLD SPECIAL MATCH.

Fore River. Inspectors. Beat. Foremen.

The government inspectors at the Fore River shipyard beat the foremen in a special match at the City Square alleys Thursday.

GOV. INSPECTORS.				
Jrenhower	85	88	74	247
Trapp	74	89	76	239
Zoost	88	74	86	248
Curtiss	97	79	84	260
Olsen	93	82	87	252
	427	412	407	1246
FOREMEN.				
Regan	83	83	93	259
McNair	69	64	81	214
Shaw	86	75	85	246
Ellis	80	78	90	248
Hamilton	105	72	71	248
	423	372	420	1215

☞A number who have attended both the Copley Society Revels in Boston, and the Quincy Revels, prefer the Quincy variety, for though the decorations and costumes are of course less elaborate, the carnival spirit is much more in evidence. It is the jolliest of times—fun fast furious and festive prevails.

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JUNIOR LEAGUE HOLDS MATCHES

The teams of Captain Kelliher and Swain made clean sweeps in the Junior league matches at the Wardwell alleys Friday night.

Capt. Kelliher 4—Capt. Wrenn 0.

CAPT. KELLIHER.				
Byrne	90	98	92	280
Little	106	88	83	277
Barla	78	88	75	241
Kelliher	72	98	93	263
Sharkey	62	65	55	182
	408	437	398	1243
CAPT. WRENN.				
Gilcoine	87	90	67	244
DeSenso	58	85	57	200
Gilcoine	71	71	67	209
Griffin	85	83	90	258
Wrenn	83	89	89	261
	384	418	370	1172

Capt. Swain 4—Capt. Sullivan 0.

CAPT. SWAIN.				
O'Donnell	83	90	73	246
Curtain	87	99	87	273
Callahan	67	75	74	216
LaCount	89	78	82	249
Swain	78	104	101	283
	404	446	417	1267
CAPT. SULLIVAN.				
MaConarty	88	76	73	237
Sama	70	100	86	286
Moody	85	63	73	221
Foye	58	54	60	172
Sullivan	73	79	71	223
	374	372	373	1139

FORE RIVER LEAGUE BOWLS

The U. S. Navy bowlers needed only three more pins in their final single to divide the points with the Shipfitters in the Fore River league matches at the Coliseum alleys Friday night. As it was they were defeated 3 to 1. The N. Department was given four easy points when their opponents forfeited and the Yard had a 3 to 1 win over the Ex-Apprentices. Mills got high single, 113. Nobody tripled.

S. DEPT. 3—NAVY 1.

S. DEPT.				
Dubois	91	124	80	295
Mitchell	89	71	84	244
Strobert	73	69	71	213
Smith	108	91	100	299
Olindy	98	87	93	278
	459	442	428	1329
U. S. N.				
Mooney	87	96	110	293
Tenney	81	75	77	233
McDonald	80	92	93	265
Cadman	91	92	82	265
Melendy	88	76	107	271
	427	431	469	1327

YARD 3—EX-APPRENTICES 1.

YARD.				
Mahoney	83	83	82	248
Galvin	79	90	94	263
Golden	83	91	89	263
Mills	83	83	113	279
Smith	83	94	95	272
	411	441	473	1325
EX-APPRENTICES.				
Manning	70	80	87	237
Dixon	76	92	72	240
Johnson	76	91	91	258
Ash	82	83	87	252
Broberg	80	98	94	272
	384	444	431	1259

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Percy E. Buck to William H. Goudie, dated April 16, 1912, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, Book 1211, Page 27, for breach of condition of the same and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises therein described on Tuesday, January 19, 1915, at 3 P. M., all and singular the real estate described in said mortgage, viz:—

A certain parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and shown as Lot No. 141 on a plan of lands entitled "Plan of Lots, Adams Shore, Quincy, Mass." dated July 7, 1908, compiled by Ernest W. Branch, C. E., recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book No. 50, Plan No. 2373.

Said lot being further bounded and described as follows:—Northerly partly by Lot No. 164 and partly by Lot No. 163, as shown on said plan, fifty-six and 1-100 (56.01) feet; Easterly by Lot No. 142, as shown on said plan, ninety-five (95) feet; Southerly by Bittern Road, as shown on said plan, forty-five (45) feet; Westerly by Lot No. 140, as shown on said plan, eighty-seven and 96-100 (87.96) feet. Be all of said measurements more or less, said lot containing about 4500 square feet.

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For further particulars inquire of Leon L. Silbert, Attorney-at-Law, 444 Old South Building, Boston.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Elizabeth M. Prior of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

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WINTER STOPS HEAVY FIGHTING

Armies In East and West Battling at Isolated Points

SIBERIANS ARE AFTER TORKS

Latter Reported to Be Surrendering by Thousands In the Caucasus—Austria at Last Sends Note to Italy Protesting Against Occupation of Avlona—British Believed to Have Army of About Three Million Men—Case of Belgian Cardinal Attracts Considerable Attention

London, Jan. 9.—The winter storms and floods, while they have put an end to any military operations on a large scale, have not been able to prevent the armies in the east and west from pursuing the offensive at isolated points along the two extended fronts.

In the snow-covered hills of the Caucasus, the hardy Siberians are searching out the routed Turks, who are reported to be surrendering by thousands, while in Flanders, which is virtually all under water, the allies assert that they have found it possible to make some headway.

Only in Poland, where Field Marshal von Hindenberg's offensive is held up on the banks of the rivers which flow between him and Warsaw, and in Galicia, where the Russians have been compelled to call a halt in their advance, does there seem to be an almost entire lull in the fighting.

The Russians continue their forward movement in the Carpathians and in Bukowina, while in France infantry attacks have been made at many points, followed by artillery engagements and sapping and mining operations.

The French have advanced a few yards in the vicinity of Rheims, but were compelled to give ground in the Argonne as a result of the Germans having mined some of their first-line trenches.

With the reports of progress by the French in Alsace, which is being strenuously opposed by the Germans, the names of some German places are beginning to appear in the official communications, which would indicate that the advance, although slow, is still being made.

Austria has at last thrown down the gauntlet to Italy over the latter's occupation of Avlona, the southern Adriatic seaport of Albania.

A force of Italian marines was landed from a warship nearly three weeks ago, and immediately took possession of the place. They were subsequently replaced by a full military force from Italy, which seized all the government offices and raised the Italian flag over the port.

The slackness of Austria in taking formal congizance of such an affront has been matter for criticism all over Europe, but evidently the Vienna court has awakened at last. Dispatches from Milan say that Il Secolo, one of the most important Italian newspapers, announces that Count von Berchtold, the Austrian foreign minister, has sent to Baron Connino, the italian foreign minister, a note protesting against the occupation of Aviona.

Baron Sonnino has replied in "firm, energetic tones," according to Il Seccolo. It is understood that his reply denied Austria's right to protest against whatever action Italy might take in Albania, and announces that Italy would continue to protect her interests in Albania as she saw fit.

Viscount Haldane, the British lord high chancellor, in the house of lords, made the interesting announcement that British experts were busy producing a satisfactory equivalent to the German 62-centimetre gun which did such execution against the Belgian fortresses at the beginning of the war, and that recruiting was so satisfactory that the necessity had not arisen for conscription.

The chancellor would not disclose the strength of the British army, but military experts estimate that it cannot be less than 3,000,000 men, counting the territorials and Lord Kitchener's new army.

The reported arrest of Cardinal Mercier, the primate of Belgium, continues to attract widespread attention. The Germans explain that he was not arrested, but that he was requested to refrain from inciting the populace of Belgium.

The Dutch newspaper which first published the report of the cardinal's arrest, insists, however, on the correctness of its correspondent's statement and says that even now Mercier is not permitted to leave Malines.

PREPARING FOR THE WORST

Turkish Government Ready to Leave the Capital If Necessary

Dispatches from Constantinople describe the situation in the Turkish capital as increasingly alarming. The local authorities appear to apprehend not only attacks from the outside, but internal disorders as well.

The archives of the state have been packed up ready for removal from the city, and many of them already have been sent away.

Preparations have been completed also for the removal of the treasury, and locomotives are kept constantly under steam in the railroad yards of Stamboul to meet the possible necessity of conveying the officials of the government to a place of safety at short notice.

Preparations have been made at Adrianople for the quartering of the state officials should eventualities cause the porte to decide to quit the present capital.

CARDINAL MERCIER.

Many Protests at His Arrest by the Germans Fail to Gain Freedom.



Photo by American Press Association.

AUSTRIA HARD PRESSED

Thousands of Men Previously Rejected Called to the Colors

Austria is making a final supreme effort to raise a new army. Failure will mean either that the government will be compelled to sue for separate peace or admit to Germany that it is powerless and turn the entire defense of the dual empire over to the kaiser and his generals.

A new enrollment just ordered has called to the colors thousands previously rejected. Only those actually unable to shoot a rifle are now exempt. Even men partially disabled have been drafted into service to act as a sort of home guard.

ITALY'S ULTIMATUM

Turks Given Until Jan. 10 to Adjust the Hodeida Incident

Italy has fixed a time limit in which Turkey must apologize formally for the Hodieda incident and salute the Italian flag or suffer the consequences.

The Italian government will not be satisfied unless the reparation includes the release of the British consul, who was seized in the Italian consulate: the punishment of the violators of the consulate and a military salute to the flag. Turkey has until Jan. 10 to reply.

BRITAIN MAKES REPLY

State Department Receives Answer to America's Protest

Secretary Bryan announced the receipt of the note from Great Britain replying to the American communication of Dec. 26, respecting American commerce.

The note, which is about the same length as the American communication, will be made public on Sunday afternoon by mutual agreement between the state department and the British foreign office.

EVENING MEAL AT TABLE

Convicts In Auburn Prison Are Granted Another Privilege

Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 9.—In conformance with orders issued by State Superintendent of Prisons Riley, Warden Rattigan introduced another reform in Auburn prison by permitting convicts to eat their supper in the prison mess hall instead of eating it alone in their cells as in past years.

The supper now consists of soup, bread and tea, and the men may talk to each other in an orderly manner. In the past the prisoners took bread and tea to their cells and ate supper there.

TO RUSH ARMY BILLS

Recommendations of Garrison Backed by Senate Committee

Washington, Jan. 9.—Bills to carry out Secretary Garrison's recommendations to add 25,000 men and 1000 officers to the army and 8000 to the coast artillery corps are to be taken up by the senate military committee and pushed for passage at this session of congress.

At a special meeting of the committee it was decided to act along that line and also to consider measures for an army reserve.

Held on Poison Charge

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 9.—Charged with giving a neighbor's 2-year-old son a slice of bread with laudanum on it with the intent to poison him, Joseph J. Fahy was arraigned in court here and was held in $1000 to appear on Jan. 16.

Couple Perish In Fire

Newport, R. I., Jan. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Walker Banks, lodging house keepers, were trapped in their rooms and burned to death in the second story of a wooden building destroyed by fire.

HONORS FALL TO CARPENTERS

Building Trades Council Elects Officers

Seven of the officers elected at the annual meeting of the Building Trades Council in the Johnson building Friday night were representatives of the carpenters local union of the city. The others chosen were delegates from the painters, plumbers, lathers and plasterer's organization.

Charles F. Best, the new president is a delegate from the painters union. The remaining officers will be filled by the following delegates: Frank J. Hagan, carpenters, vice president; Thomas Fallon, carpenters, recording secretary; George E. Runnalls, carpenters, financial secretary-treasurer; David Bower, plumbers, sergeant-at-arms. William A. J. Andrew of the carpenters; Russell Lord of the lathers and George Newall of the carpenters, auditors; G. W. Winship of the carpenters, James J. Mullen of the plasterers and Henry Gross of the carpenters, trustees.

The officers were installed by Fred Lord, business agent, after which an entertainment was given. The program included mandolin and banjo solos by Fred and Russell Lord, vocal solos by Frank Lynch and Stephen Brouchane, step dancing by Harry Douglass and a description of an immigrant's difficulties by Angelo Montosse.

The Building Trades Council has been organized for some time and the two carpenters locals, painters, electricians, lathers, hod carriers, plumbers and plasterer's unions are affiliated.

A CASE OF BELATED JUSTICE.

For eleven years litigation has been in progress to decide the merits and the responsibility of the controversy between D. E. Loewe & Co., hatters, of Danbury, Conn., and the labor union members who had practised a boycott against their business because they had refused to unionize their shops. The decision of the Supreme Court just rendered promises to make these tactics expensive for those who have put them in operation, and according to its terms about two hundred labor union members must pay a total of over a quarter of a million dollars in penalties under the Sherman anti-law. Already legal proceedings have been instituted against these defendants. Their bank accounts and their homes have been attached, and in the improbable event of their being able to meet their declared liabilities outside of these foreclosure is likely to follow. These men were evidently laboring under the mistaken impression that they could employ the vicious principle of the boycott, as former President Taft called it, to injure and perhaps destroy with impunity a legitimate business legitimately conducted.—Boston Transcript.

THAT LOVING CUP.

Many people will be excused if they look askance at that recent feature in Manchester, N. H., which marked the presentation to Harry Thaw of a loving cup by a number of Manchester children. The question might fairly be asked, What did the children really have to do with the "presentation?" What was the real impulse imparted to the movement by the parents? These two questions ought to suffice for an intelligent judgment as to the "spontaneity" of the movement and of the influences that were operative in the "presentation." It is not so long ago that a vote was passed among a body of Manchester women to the effect that Thaw ought to be set at liberty." When this particular expression is recalled, we need not waste time upon the probable part played independently at a later stage by the children of Manchester.—Salem News.

Won't those be sorry on the 16th who did not join in the fun of the Revels on the 15th? We'll revel right riotously—all will be young again just for a night.



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SUNDAY SERVICES

A new announcement of services is required each week. No notices accepted to run indefinitely. When possible the subject of sermon should be given, also special services. Generous space will be given in the news columns for church news, music and week day gatherings.

First Parish In Quincy (Unitarian)—City Square. Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, Miller Stile Inn, Tel. 2107-2; office hours at church 9 to 12 A. M. Monday, Wednesday and Friday Tel. 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon by the minister: "The next Step after the War." Sunday School at 12 noon. Miss Minnie Packard, Supt. Y. P. R. U. neighborhood meeting at 4.30 P. M. Subject of address; "The Floating Hospital," by the Supt.

Bethany Congregational Church—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Message by the pastor, "Demas." Bible School at 12, classes for all ages. Christian Endeavor at 6. 7.30. Pleasant Sunday evening service. Lecture Topic: "John Wycliffe, the Morning Star of the Reformation."

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Sacrament." Golden Text: "The kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost." Wednesday 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M. week days, Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M. holidays excepted. Also Wednesday evening before and after services.

Associated Bible Students (undenominational) New Colonial Hall, Hancock Building, Quincy Centre. Free Bible Lecture Sunday at 3 P. M. for the public, speaker: C. N. Elliott of Braintree. Topic: "Blessing all the Families of the Earth. How! When. Where!" All are cordially invited. Seats free. No Collection

First Spiritualist Church—Electa Hall Johnson building, Hancock street, Quincy Meeting at 7.30 P. M. Messages by Mrs. Stratton of Boston and Mrs. S. V. Odiorne of Quincy Reading and Bible Talk by Mrs. Lottie Brooks of Boston. Come.

Washington Street Congregational Church—Quincy Point, Rev. Stephen C. Lang pastor. 10.30 Morning Worship. 12 noon, Bible school. 6.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30 P. M. Evening Praise service. The pastor will preach Sunday morning and evening. Public cordially welcome.

First Universalist Church—Washington Street, Quincy. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor, Residence 62 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain. Telephone Jamaica 1950. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Preaching by Rev. T. J. Farmer of East Boston in exchange with the pastor at 3 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 4.20, address by Mr. Farmer.

Christ Church, Episcopal—Quincy corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.45. Evening prayer at 7.30.

Calvary Baptist Church—Franklin street, Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Residence 96 Richie Road. Preaching Service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Doubting Thomas; the Value of Sacrificial Evidence." Sunday School at 11.45. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Subject: "Our Denominational Boards and Our Relation to Them." II Cor. 8.8-15. Leader, Mr. Thomas Cotterill. "Evening Service at 7. Subject: "Peculiar People." Regular prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

First Presbyterian Church—Water and Quincy Streets. Rev. Mr. Campbell of Paulding, Ohio, candidate for pastor will conduct the services. Morning worship 10.30. Bible school and mens class 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 conducted by the Ladies' Missionary Society. Italian services Sunday at 9.30. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. Revere. F. Romolo, Italian minister.

First United Presbyterian Church—Corner of School and Pleasant streets. Rev. D. B McLeod, M. A., pastor. Residence 40 Bradford st Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 and by Rev. A. B. McLeod, B. D., of Canada at 7.30. Sabbath school and Bible class 11.45. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Week of Prayer will be continued next week at 7.30 P. M. All are cordially invited to all the services.

St. Paul's Swedish M. E. Church—Corner Granite and Fort Streets Quincy. Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor. Residence 121 Glendale Road Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Union services at Swedish Baptist church at 7 o'clock. All Scandinavians are cordially invited to these evangelistic meetings.

Swedish Baptist Church—Brewers Cor. Rev Paul Hallin, pastor Residence 101 Glendale Road, Sunday school 9.30 A. M. At 10.45 A. M. sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Slave or free—which?" At 7 P. M. union service. Sermon by Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor, St. Pauls M.E. church. Extra inspiring singing. Strangers are cordially invited.

Hall Place M. E. Church—West Quincy, Rev. P. S. Neldon, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall Place. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. Epworth League devotional service at 6.00 P. M. A Deaconess will conduct the League service and also speak at the evening service at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Junior League Friday at 4 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Wollaston Congregational—Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., pastor. Res. No. 20 Marion street Tel. Quincy 1116 M. "The Children's Hour." at 10.45 A. M. Sunday for children whose parents are attending morning service. Morning Worship 10.45 sermon by the pastor. "The Exalted Position of the Christian," Sunday School at 12.15. Mr. Charles A. Campbell, Supt. Men's Bible class led by Dr. Sneath. Women's Bible class led by Mrs. A. A. Lincoln. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.30, Leader, Arthur Eastman. Intermediate Endeavor at 4.30. Leader, May Blake. Christian Endeavor at 6 P. M. Leader, Lucy Falkner. Thursday at 7.45 in the vestry the regular mid-week service led by Dr. Sneath. Topic: "Our Christian Faith." Acts 26th Chapter.

Wollaston Baptist Church—Cor. Prospect and Warren avenues. Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.15. Elford L. Durgan, Supt. Lesson subject: "Deborah and Barak deliver Israel." Junior Endeavor, 3.30. Mrs. Joseph Walther, Supt. Subject: "The story of His Temptations." Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6. Subject: "Our Denominational Boards and Our Relation to them." Leader, Deacon George B. Huntington. Evening service at 7. Preaching by the pastor. Everyone invited to these services.

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church—Hancock street, Wollaston—Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 523 Hancock street. Holy Communion at 8. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. 7.30 Evening prayer and address.

Wollaston Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. George Mervyn Bailey, pastor. Residence, 52 Brook Street. Telephone, Quincy 578-2. 10.45 A. M. Divine worship with a short sermon. Theme: "Our Relation to the Religious Past." 12 M. Sunday School, J. A. Sedgwick, Supt. Pastor in charge of men's class. 6 P. M. Epworth League Devotional service. Subject: "Good News, New News, Old News, True News." Leader: E. A. Roberts. 7 P. M. Pleasant Sunday evening service. The pastor will preach on the subject: "How many Real Christians are there in Wollaston?"

Atlantic M. E. Church—corner Newbury avenue and Squantum Streets. Rev. E. C. Pollard, pastor. Residence 19 Wesley Street, Newton, phone 2167 W. Morning service at 10.45. The pastor will preach. Theme: "Waiting upon the Lord." What the phrase implies—viz. Submission to His Will. They loving Him with all of the Heart and walking in His Fear. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth League at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 P. M.

Memorial Congregational Church—Atlantic Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. Morning service 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "Meeting Reactions." Sunday School 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Senior Endeavor at 6. Evening service at 7 P. M. Stereopticon address by Rev. Lawrence A. Wilson of Montana. Theme: "Redeeming the Ugliest Town on Earth." A cordial welcome to all.

First Church Of Squantum—Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor. Sunday School exercises at 3 P. M. Preaching service at 4 P. M. Sermon by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

TWELFTH NIGHT IN OLDEN TIMES

Twelfth Night is so called because it is the twelfth after Christmas. It comes on the eve of Epiphany, the church festival which celebrates the first appearance of Christ to the Gentiles. ("Epiphany" is derived from the Greek and means "manifestation" or "appearance.") These Gentiles were the three wise men from the East, who, according to the legend were three kings, Jasper, Melchior and Balthazar. They followed the guidance of the wonderful star and came to Bethlehem, where they found the Holy Child and his mother and they laid their gifts at his feet and worshipped him.

In England, the religious side was not much emphasized, but the eve of Epiphany or Twelfth Night was a time of great joy and merrymaking. The Twelfth Night cake, a large and elaborately decorated confection, had a bean and a pea baked in it. When the company was assembled, the cake was cut and the pieces distributed among the guests. He who drew the piece with the bean in it, was the king of the revels; she who held the piece containing the pea, was the queen. It was usually arranged before hand that these honors should fall upon the host and hostess.

Then the newly-elected king was raised high on the shoulders of his friends and with a piece of chalk marked three crosses on the rafters of the ceiling so that the evil spirits would keep away. So the Bean King was chosen and by custom supported this character until midnight. Sometimes Twelfth Night cards were distributed, having on them each the picture and name of some member of a royal court, such as, a page, a maid of honor, a jester, and so on. The guest was required to assume and keep throughout the evening the part that the card he drew named for him, thus a mock court was formed and every one was expected, under extreme and ludicrous penalties, to do obeisance to the king of the revels and fulfil all his royal commands. And often the Bean King proved himself a veritable Lord of Misrule and required all sorts of mirth-provoking performances from his loyal and obedient followers.

Other joyous features were not lacking; there were pies filled with live frogs that hopped out when the crust was cut; there were egg shells, very fragile, filled with rose water, with which the company pelted one another.

Twelfth Night was celebrated with great splendor at court, in the universities, and at the Inns of Court, where the young lawyers studied. Among the people of lower rank and in the country also, it was an occasion for festivities. In Staffordshire, for instance, the young men would perform the "Hays," their traditional dance, and a huge pot of ale and plenty of cakes were on hand by general contribution at the inn for the refreshment of all comers.

Shakespeare's play "Twelfth night" was produced in 1602 at some festivities in the hall of the Middle Temple, in celebration of Twelfth Night. In this play old Sir Toby expresses the spirit of the season when he remarks to the steward, Malrolio, who doesn't enjoy a rollicking good time, "Dost think, because thou art virtuous, there will be no more cakes and ale?"

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QUINCY MAY GET ITS BOULEVARD

Mayor Stirs Up Inquiry Into Reason For Delay

Park Commissioners Will Hold Conference Over Matter

One of the early matters taken up by Mayor Campbell, on taking office this week was to dig into the question of completing the Furnace Brook park, or Quincy Shore boulevard from its present terminus at Wollaston beach to Hancock street, for the performance of which work $100,000 has been appropriated.

This morning Mayor Campbell received notice from the Metropolitan Park Commissioners requesting that he arrange for a conference to be held early next week to go over the matter. At this confernce in addition to the mayor, Dock and Water Front Commissioner Crane, the park commissioners, Senator Langelier and Representatives Sandberg and Ericson, will be present.

The conference will be held in the office of the Metropolitan Park Commissioners in Boston.

Mayor Campbell, as well as many other citizens of Quincy think it about time something was done toward the completion of this work and is loosing no time in pushing it.

HOLD BUNDLE WHIST PARTY.

St. Mary's Catholic Guild held a bundle whist at the home of the president, Mrs. S. E. Little, Friday evening. A special souvenir was awarded to Miss Ethel Burns for the highest score. Tables were in charge of Miss Annie Foley.

After the whist there were refreshments and music. The Guild is to hold a whist and dancing party at St. Joseph's hall on January 20.



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BRIEFS

John Rogers of Beverly passed Friday in Quincy as the guest of friends.

Miss Nellie Hinds of Waltham has been spending the holidays with her folks in Milton.

Mrs. Henry Ellis of Wollaston has been spending a few days with Miss Emma Wade of Bridgewater.

The one blow on the fire alarm circuits at 4.05 this morning was caused by a break in one of the circuits.

Frank Egan of Andover is visiting his mother Mrs. Mary Egan of Cross street.

John Faircloth, a popular conductor on the Bay State St. Ry. Co., has resumed work after a short illness.

The Corinthian club has arranged for its annual dance in Alpha hall on Jan. 15.

The Quality club entertains its friends at a dancing party in Hibernian hall on the evening of Jan. 22.

James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Forrest of Hancock street, who has been ill with scarlet fever is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Cutler who were recently married are home from their honeymoon and are living at 119 Quincy street.

The treasurer of Memorial church has paid for the lot of land adjoining the church purchased last fall for a parish house and plans are under way to remove all indebtedness from the church as soon as possible.

Charles P. Reynolds of Milton is one of the entertainment committee for a dinner to be given January 20 at the Harvard Union by the class of 1918 of Harvard.

Frank Palma and aKte Mangual, two of the younger Italians of the city were married at Boston Dec. 13 by Rev. Mario Marcucci according to a return filed at the office of City Cierk Crane this morning.

City Clerk Crane has sent out a request to the physicians of the city asking them to make immediate returns of births of 1914, also to the clergymen asking them to make returns of marriages performed during the year 1914.

St. Chrysostom's Woman's Guild has an all day meeting next Wednesday beginning at ten o'clock. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Klingenhagen, Mrs. Hobson and Mrs. Poch. At half past two the annual meeting of the Guild will be held.

Miss Ethel Hobart being unable to speak Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Quincy Women's Club, Miss Lillian P. Richards, vice president of the Mass. Asso. of Women Workers will take her place. She will speak on the value of girls clubs.

The cabaret show under the auspices of Quincy lodge of Elks is scheduled for next Wednesday evening at Music hall. The committee in charge promise many novel features for the affair.

The annual parish meeting of St. Chrysostom's parish will be held at eight o'clock Monday night in the parish house. After the business there will be a social hour when refreshments will be served by members of the Woman's Guild.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bacon of Weston have been entertaining Miss Pearl Trumbull of Quincy and George Bacon of Bowdoin College '15. The most enjoyable event held in their honor was a toboggan party. Among the guests was Hartley Hofferses of this city.

Mrs. George A. Ryden (Lavinia Deane) of Wood Lynne, New Jersey, who slipped near her home and broke her arm two week ago, is getting along nicely. The bone was set fifteen minutes after the accident and with a nurse in attendance it is expected that another month will see her fully convalescent.

The Heather Circle held its regular meeting this week with Miss Margaret McPherson of Saville avenue. The regular business was transacted and reports were read. The evening was a most enjoyable one and refreshment were served by the hostess. A vote of thanks was extended to Miss McPherson for her hospitality. The next meeting will be held with the Misses Miller of Liberty street, South Quincy.

TO MAKE TEST MONDAY.

Today being a short day the mayor did not do anything about sending out test letters from his Boston office to see how quickly they will be delivered at the Quincy office. The mayor has given orders to the chief clerk in his Boston office to start Monday morning at 9 o'clock and mail him a letter every hour, addressed to his office at City Hall, Quincy.

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PROTESTS AGAINST LICENSE.

Delcevare King of this city was one of those who opposed the granting of a bar license at the Toy Theatre building at the hearing before the Boston license commissioners Friday. The petition was denied.

Against granting of the application were arrayed prominent business men clergymen and social workers in all lines men and women alike. The stockholders in the Toy Theatre were among them and presented a statement that the theatre had about its aims the presenting of plays for children and that a bar in the building would have a demoralizing effect.

☞Miss Annie L. Prescott has $1.00, also the 75 cent tickets for "The Revels" for those in costume and also balcony seats at $1.00 each. Tickets are in great demand this year as every one seems to be going to "The Revels" either to take part or look on.

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Congress Will Quit With Piles of Unfinished Business

BIG SUPPLY BILLS IN DANGER

Crowded Condition of Calendar Makes It Doubtful If They Can Go to President For Signature Before Adjournment—Miscellaneous Measures of Importance Await Action

Washington, Jan. 9.—Four out of the eight big appropriation bills reported thus far have passed the house, and one, the District of Columbia bill, has been reported to the senate. There remain to be passed by the house at this session the Indian appropriation bill, the river and harbor bill, the army bill, and the agricultural bill. The navy appropriation bill has not yet been reported.

The crowded condition of the calendar makes it a question of doubt at this time whether both houses can pass the necessary supply bills, agree upon them, and send them to the president for signature before the close of the Sixty-Third congress.

Besides the appropriation bills the house calendars are congested with miscellaneous and important measures. The committee of the whole house on the state of the union, for example, has pending before it over 125 bills, each, of course, with a favorable committee report back of it. These bills cover a multitude of legislative progress and include the radium conservation bill, the bill giving effect to the provisions of the fisheries treaty between the United States and Great Britain, several public building bills, the bill to create the coast guard and others.

On the house calendar waiting action are eighty bills and joint resolutions, many of which have been urged for years by various interests. The Palmer national child labor bill is one of the most notable measures on this list.

On the private calendar of the house are nearly 150 bills authorizing the payment of money to various individuals and corporations, correcting military records and providing, as in the case of the bill for the relief of Wickliff Fry, who lost a horse while hired by the United States geological survey, for restoring property to persons to whom the federal government is indebted.

Over half a hundred bills remain on the calendar for unanimous consent, and the prospects are that they will remain there for some time. About seventy-five motions to discharge committees are before the house, most of these motions having been filed in the early days of the session. Their effect is to clog the calendar and obstruct business.

Of the forty-nine legislative days remaining to this session, twenty-one are already scheduled for special purposes. This means that there are but twenty-eight days left in which the house can consider appropriations and the ship purchase bill.

The special legislative days, of course, will probably aid the leaders in their task of trying to clear the slate before the end of congress, but in all probability the Sixty-Third congress will pass out of existence with one of the greatest piles of unfinished business ever left by a federal congress.

TRICKED MANY CFFICIALS

Prisoner Mistaken For Woman Until Ordered to Take Bath

Boston, Jan. 9.—Patrolmen O'Neil and Gilman are busy explaining why they did not penetrate the disguise of Nathan Bullock when they placed him under arrest for disorderly conduct under the name of Elizabeth Leonard.

It was not until Bullock was asked to take a bath at the Deer island house of correction that it became known the charming Elizabeth was in reality Nathan Bullock.

When arrested the prisoner gave the name of Elizabeth Leonard, and kept up the masquerade in the city prison and in court, where a sentence of three months was imposed for disorderly conduct.

When ordered to take a bath at the house of correction the prisoner was finally compelled to confess his identity. He was given a suit of men's clothes.

EFFORT TO PLACE BLAME

New York Authorities Begin Probe of Subway Disaster

New York, Jan. 9.—District Attorney Perkins began formal investigation into the subway disaster which cost the life of one woman and injuries to hundreds of other persons.

Perkins said he was taking the investigation up to ascertain whether the accident was due to criminal negligence of either the road officials or its employes. He proposes to ask manslaughter indictments should the investigation reveal there had been such negligence.

Value of American Dollar Increases

Berne, Switz., Jan. 9.—The American dollar is now worth $1.05 in Berne. This represents a remarkable rise since the opening of the war, when checks on America yielded only 70 cents.

A BOON TO NATURE



are healthy children. Guide their footsteps a right. Sweet are not injurious if properly baked from the best. We use the highest quality of raw material that's possible to use. You can feel safe when giving the children cakes, pies and cookies fashioned from our bakery. But always

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Jan 8-2t

SAVES LIFE OF NEW BORN BABE

Infant Treated by Pulmotor is Now Alive and Happy

The usefulness of the pulmotor was again demonstrated today, when it was successfully used in bringing to life a newly born infant. The infant, a boy, was born to the family of Thomas Di Tullio at 79 Union street at 7.30 this morning.

Dr. Hardwick, who was called, found that while the heart of the infant was beating, there was no respiration. Word was immediately sent to the Police station for the pulmotor and assisted by Dr. Jones this was applied. The result was almost immediate, for inside of half an hour the infant's lungs were working all right and he is now apparently as healthy and lively as any newly born child.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Grossman's Clothes Shop.
Nathan Ames.
Automobile For Sale.
Notice.
Costumes for Revels.
Classified

OUR HALF YEARLY

Mark-Down Sale Is Now On.

Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, and Furnishings Included. Orent-Payson Co., 1387 Hancock St., Quincy.

UNION SERVICES BEGIN.

The opening meeting of the union mission services of the Swedish Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches will be held Sunday evening at the Swedish Baptist church. Meetings will also be held on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evening at the same church. At the Sunday evening meeting there will be special music by the junior chorus and special singers. These meetings will continue for three weeks a week at each church.

WHY THE KIDS SMILED.

For the first time this year the no-school signal of the town was sounded on Thursday morning, owing to the severe storm, which lasted only until the signal was sounded, and then the sun came out bright.—Lynn Item.

SURFACING MACHINE $40.

Large size, used only six months, must sell immediately. Good Bargain Make appointment and come and see it. E. Stuart, 191 St. Botolph Street, Boston. Tel. Back Bay 6527-J.

8-2t

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE A LOT ON

Washington Park

FIVE NEW HOUSES will be ready to be occupied by the first of December. Two new houses already sold. This land is bound to go. Come yourself, look it over and be convinced.

It is called the best piece of land in Braintree or Quincy

Houses built to suit the purchaser on easy terms

DON'T WAIT! The Property is Carefully Restricted BUY NOW!

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NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy will be held at

UNION HALL

Cor. Hancock and Cottage Streets

On MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 18, 1915

At 8 o'clock

for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

In view of the great increase in the activities and usefulness of the Hospital, it is very desirable that there should be a large attendance at this meeting.

WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t

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CONFER ON BRIDGE OVER NEPONSET

Is Feeling That State Should Bear Expenses

Quincy Representatives Discuss Matter In Office of Mayor of Boston

Mayor Campbell is attending a conference today at the office of Mayor Curley in Boston on the matter of a new bridge over the Neponset river between Atlantic and Neponset to take the place of the present wooden structure. In addition to Mayor Campbell, Hon. John F. Merrill, chairman of the County Commissioners, Senator Langeller and Representatives Sandberg and Ericson were present at the conference.

The matter of a new bridge to take the place of the present structure has been before the legislature for several years. It was thought that the bill would go through the legislature last year but late in the session it went over until this year. It is reported at the state house that the bill will probably go through this year as the Metropolitan Park Commissioners expect to begin work very soon in completing the Boston end of the boulevard to Neponset bridge.

Takings for the boulevard on the Quincy side have already been made which will complete the boulevard to the corner of Atlantic street where it will connect with the Quincy Shore Reservation.

It is understood from what are considered reliable sources that the Park Commissioners are about ready to begin work on extending the Quincy Shore reservation to Hancock street for which the sum of $100,000 is available.

It is desired however that the state should take up and stand the expense of building the bridge which is necessary over Black's creek in Quincy otherwise the expense of $100,000 all of which is actually needed to complete.

Representative Sandberg will probably introduce a bill in the legislature this week calling for the state to build this bridge. Representative Sandberg says that this is really a matter that interests the whole metropolitan district and therefore should be paid for by the state under a special act.

It is also announced that the conference between Mayor Campbell our representatives in the legislature and the Park Commissioners of which mention was made Saturday will probably be delayed a few days until the proposed bill of Representative Sandberg is introduced .

Masquerade Costumes FOR RENT $1.00 and Upwards
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MISS HARRIET B. PIERCE
MISS ANNIE L. PRESCOTT
MRS. A. D. ROPES
MRS. C. R. SAFFORD
WINSLOW SEARS
MRS. J. O. SHORT
MISS GRACE WHEELER

2-10t

MAKARIA BEATS BRIDGEWATER

Members of New Basket Ball Team Win Glory

For the first time in this generation a Quincy team successfully invaded Bridgewater Saturday night. Makaria with its newly organized basket ball team defeated the Normal School by a score of 38—24 in an exceedingly fast and exciting game. At the end of the first half Makaria was on the large end of a 16—13 score.

The last half brought out better shooting from the floor as the Quincy boys solved the wire backgrounds of the baskets . It would be exceedingly hard to pick a star. The referee overlooked a few fouls calling three against Makaria and none in their favor.

Jenkins who was playing left back came up the floor many times in whirlwind style and was high scorer, caging eight. The other back, Eaton played a wonderful defensive game and his passing helped to enlarge the score. Smith at center helped by getting the jump invariably on his man. Glover held Dunn the Normal School captain scoreless for the first time this season while he himself succeeded in scoring five goals. L. Andrews got four pretty baskets all from difficult angles.

A crowd of 18 Royal Rooters journeyed along with the team and did their part by cheering. The singing by a chorus of 150 Normal School girls was a feature. The score

MAKARIA		BRIDGEWATER
Glover, rf		rf, Dunn
L. Andrews, lf		lf, Mack
Smith, c		c, W. Andrews
Eaton, rb		rb, Clowes
Jenkins lb		lb, Wheeler

Goals from floor Glover 5, L. Andrews 4. Smith 2, Jenkins 8, Mack, W. Andrews 3 Clowes 4, Wheeler 3.

Goals from foul Wheeler 2.

Time 20 min. periods. Referee A. Pratt. Scorer R. Pratt. Attendance 350.

R for Revels, a frolicsome night,
E for Everyone there with delight
V for Vision, the ladies so fair,
E for 8 o'clock, the time to be there.
L for Laughter, a light-hearted throng
S for Supper, for smiles and for song.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity.
Probably rain or snow Tuesday.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.12
Sun sets	4.33
Length of day	9.21
Moon rises	4.33
High water, A. M.	8.00
High water, P. M.	8.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 15 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	34 degrees
Jan. 11, 1914,	22 degrees
Jan. 11, 1913,	44 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

PLAN TO DEVELOP VACANT LAND

Wollaston Men Want Real Estate Exchange

A number of the residents of Wollaston are talking up the question of forming a real estate exchange in that section of the city, the object being to take up the undeveloped property in the ward and develop it. The plan is that each member of the exchange shall pay in the sum of $300 a year in monthly payments.

Vacant land is to be acquired as fast as possible, and the exchange will develop the land and erect houses upon it. About all that has been done at the present time however is to send letters to a large number of citizens of the ward asking them if they favor the plan and if they will become stockholders.

Such an organization, it is claimed can not result otherwise than to build up the section. At the present time Wollaston is building up very fast perhaps faster than any other section in the city.

There however is still much desirable undeveloped building land in the ward and this association if formed proposes to take hold of it and immediately begin development.

WEDDING AND SILVER WEDDING

Large Number Attend Reception After Marriage

Over 100 members of the Swedish Congregational church made the wedding reception of Emma Danielson of Quincy, a graduate nurse of the Butler Hospital of Providence, R. I. and Henry Berglund of Attleboro on Saturday night the occasion for tendering Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Danielson, parents of the bride, a reception in honor of the 25th anniversary of their marriage

The affair took place at 184 Glendale road, the home of the parents, and the silver anniversary reception was a decided surprise.

The marriage ceremony had just been performed by Rev. C. A. Bjornbom of Malden, formerly of this city when the guests arrived. The Misses Esther and Ruth Danielson, sisters of the bride, who were the attendants, and knew of the plans, extended the welcome.

Several speeches were made, explaining the presence of the large gathering and then Eric G. Bergfors of the Board of Assessors presented Mr. and Mrs. Danielson with a solid silver service. Mr. Danielson was also given a plate of silver coins from the men members of the church and a large box of flowers from the Sunday School class.

Mr. and Mrs. Danielson were married in Quincy 25 years ago and have made their home here since then. The bride of the evening is their oldest daughter. Mr. Berglund the groom, is prominently identified with a manufacturing jewelry concern of Attleboro. They will make their home there.

PUBLIC INVITED.

Members of the Parent-Teachers associations, educators, and the public generally are invited by the Philanthropy committee of the Quincy Women's club, to attend the meeting of the club Tuesday afternoon at the clubhouse on Presidents hill.

Miss Jenny Purchase will report on relief work for the Salem fire sufferers; Miss Lillian P. Richards will speak on girls clubs; Fred Johnson on the problems of the unemployed and Miss Frances G. Curtis on the school nurse as home and school visitor.

Miss Curtis' talk should interest a large number as the club is contemplating paying the salary of a nurse for the Quincy schools.

DO YOU WANT BUSINESS?
ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

PULLS ALARM IN NIGHT CLOTHES

Miss Lee Saves Family From Probable Death

The alarm from Box 272 at 2.05 Sunday morning was for a fire in the house of William Lee on Thompson street. The fire evidently started from some rubbish in the basement and worked up through the floors and behind the partitions. The fire filled the house full of suffocating smoke. A ceiling fire is one of the most difficult that firemen have to contend with, and this proved no exception to the rule. Chief Billings estimates that the loss will be between $1,000 and $1,500.

That lives were not lost at the fire is due to the daughter of Mr. Lee who was awakened by the smoke which filled her room. Miss Lee jumped out of bed and ran across the floor barefooted, blistering her feet on the hot floor, and rushing through the street to the alarm box in her night robe. As she ran through the house she shouted a warning to the others in the family. But for her quickness more serious results might have followed.

G. A. R. RELIEF ASSOCIATION

A well attended meeting was held in the office of Mayor Campbell at City Hall Saturday evening to take the necessary steps to incorporate the Grand Army Relief association. The necessary papers of incorporation were drawn up and the following officers were elected.

President, Joseph L. Whiton.
Vice President, Edward J. Fegan.
Secretary and Treasurer, Walter E. Piper.
Auditor, Eugene R. Stone.
Directors, the above with, Chester I Campbell, Charles W. Dill, Dr. John H. Ash, William R. French, Frank M. Chubbuck and John L. Hamilton.

It was reported that about $300 had been subscribed, although up to the present time no concerted effort had been made to get subscriptions. By-laws were adopted at the meeting. There will be a mass meeting Jan. 30, at which the ward committees will report

MURTO GALLIVAN.

Murto Gallivan, father of Officer Jeremiah Gallivan of Braintree, and for 64 years a well known resident of that town died this morning aged 91 years. In his younger days Mr. Gallivan was a boot crimper and was almost as well known in Quincy as in Braintree. He was also prominently identified with St. John's church in Quincy at the time that parish included Braintree. He was the oldest Catholic in Braintree.

He was twice married. He is survived by four sons and three daughters

AGAIN POSTPONED.

At the request of the City of Boston the sale of the City of Boston property at Squantum, which was postponed until this morning has again been put off for a week. It is understood that the matter is in the process of adjustment and that the sale will be continued from time to time until an agreement is reached when the tax will be settled and the sale called off.

SLIGHT FIRE.

The alarm from Box 727 at 5.25 Saturday afternoon was for a slight fire in the forge shop at Scammell's plant on Quincy avenue. The fire evidently started from sparks from the forge.

JOHN HUGHES.

John Hughes, a long time South Quincy resident, died at his home at 92 Pleasant street, Sunday in his 66th year. He was well known in this city and is survived by several children.

SOPHIE HIGGINS, A. L. C. M.
Diplomas and Medal
From London College of Music
Pianoforte and Theory
54 Broadway Quincy
Jan. 11-3t

MISS McCLEAN PASSES AWAY

Was Taken Sick With Scarlet Fever Monday

Jessie McLean, the 23 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McLean of 57 Washington street, died at the Homoeopathic Hospital at Brighton, Saturday, a victim of scarlet fever. Her funeral took place Saturday afternoon and burial was in Mt Wollaston cemetery, Rev. D. B. McLeod of the United Presbyterian church conducted the services.

Jessie McLean is the first adult to die of scarlet fever in Quincy for many years. She suffered the attack last Monday and on Wednesday was removed to the contagious hospital. Although she was ill with scarlet fever the doctors believe they also found well developed symptoms of diphtheria She was a very popular young lady and had a host of friends.

QUIETLY OBSERVE 90TH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Catherine M. Whittaker Is In Good Health

Mrs. Catherine Morrison Whittaker of Braintree quietly observed her 90th birthday Sunday at her home on Elm street Among those present were Miss Nancy T. Morrison of Newburyport, the 76 year old sister of Mrs. Whittaker.

Many flowers were received during the day and a large number called and paid their compliments to the aged resident.

Mrs. Whittaker was born in Hopkinton, N. H., and after living in Maine for awhile moved to Massachusetts. She was married to John Whittaker in Wenham about 40 years ago. She was the mother of two sons, both of whom died some years ago.

Mrs. Whittaker is a direct lineal descendant of Hanah Dustin who met a tragic death at the hands of the Indians in colonial days. She retains considerable of the vigor of her ancestor and does her own sewing and housework.

She lives with her nephew, Lyman Morrison.

SUFFERS SHOCK.

The many friends of Albert W. Fay of Wolloston will be sorry to learn that he suffered a slight shock to his left side Sunday morning. He was found early Sunday morning by Mrs. Fay. It was said this morning that he was resting comfortably .

A Christmas party will be held at Christ church parish house on the evening of January 22 for the senior members, teachers and officers of the Sunday School.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

The Quincy Whist Club
Whist Parties every Wednesday evening, Union Hall, Alpha Hall block. Tickets 25 cents. Suitable souvenirs given 11-2t.

CABARET SHOW AND DANCING PARTY
Under Auspices
Quincy Lodge of Elks
MUSIC HALL
Wednesday Evening, Jan 13
Artists of exceptional ability will appear
Cabaret 8 to 10. Dancing 10 to 12
Beautiful Souvenirs for Ladies
Tables Seat 4 — Tickets $1.00 each
Admission to balcony 50 cents
Light Refreshments
Jan. 11-2t

BEGIN TO BUILD SUBMARINES

Fore River Yard Shows Signs of Unusual Activity

Rumor Says That Order Is for 10 Submarines Instead of Merely Four

Unusual activity was noticed at the Fore River yard this morning and inquiry among the workmen led to the report that orders had been received to rush work on four submarines and that in consequence of that order active work had been commenced. Just who the boats are for is not known as no information will be given out at the companys office, although it is admitted that the report that work had been commenced on the four boats was true.

Others who claim to have inside information state that the order is not simply for four submarines but for ten of this class of fighting machines.

Saturday a large number of what were apparently skilled workmen made their appearance in the Fore River district seeking rooms, one party saying that six of these men applied to him for rooms.

It is also understood from the same authority that a large gang of riveters who were laid off some weeks ago when work became slack, have all been called back and reported for duty this morning.

It is also reported that the orders starting work on the submarines came from Mr. Schwab and that the work will be pushed forward day and night.

MAKING GOOD IN SOUTH AMERICA

Walter Kelley Was Once at Fore River

Walter P. Kelley, who was one of the most popular electrical engineers at the Fore River shipyard is now the junior member of the firm of Bonci and Kelley consulting engineers at Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Mr. Kelley is well known in this city He is the son of John Kelley of Arlington, who covers Boston City Hall for the Boston Globe. He graduated from Tufts college, class of 1914, as an electrical engineer and was appointed to a responsible position at the Fore River shipyard a few days later. While there he superintended the installation of electrical work in the Rivadavia, the Argentine dreadnought.

His duties brought him in constant touch with representatives of that Latin country and as a friendship with them developed there also came a renewal of his boyhood desire to live in South America.

On arriving at a definite conclusion Mr. Kelley took up the study of Spanish to equip himself for his proposed "invasion" and within a few months had made good progress toward the mastery of the language.

Mr. Kelley sailed from Boston four months ago on the transport Chaco which brought part of the crew to man the Rivadavia. The ship, in command of Capt. Thomas Nelson Page, cousin of Nelson Page, the author, was warped to its berth at the docks at Buenos Aires in a few days less than is usually required to make the passage.

Less than a month elapsed between the time he took up his residence and his entrance into a business partnership. A late letter states his outlook is bright and that there is plenty of work for engineers because the country is undergoing a rapid development.

WORD FROM RIVADAVIA.

Officers Send Letters and Cards To Their Friends Here.

Cards and letters confirming the dispatch published in the Daily Ledger last Monday to the effect that the Rivadavia had coaled at and sailed from the Barbadoes Islands were received this morning.

Most of them are belated Christmas tidings and are from the officers who superintended the construction of the ship at the Fore River shipyard and are in command of her on the homeward passage.

Among those who remembered their Quincy friends was Sidney Grossman of South Quincy, who was a clerk at the office of the Argentine Commission and who was given permission to take the trip.

ELECT OFFICERS.

At the regular meeting of Quincy Branch No. 61 United Irish Land League held in Cahill's hall Sunday evening the following officers were elected.

President—Peter McConnarty.
Vice President—Samuel T. Drew.
Secretary—Daniel Ahern.
Treasurer—Enos Costa.
Executive Committee—Michael Coffey, Daniel Donahue, Richard J. Gray Timothy Sullivan, James Morrisey,
Sergeant-at-arms—Francis Clinton.

The officers elected will be installed in their respective chairs next Sunday evening.

Y. P. R. U. MEETING.

A neighborhood meeting of the Young People's Religious Union was held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the chapel of the First church and was largely attended. The speaker was Mr. Briggs, manager of the Floating hospital, who gave an interesting talk on the work of the hospital. There was special music in charge of Miss Catherine Saville. with Miss Edith Hyland as soloist. A social hour followed at the close of the meeting at which time light refreshments were served by Miss Marjorie Brooks and Miss Marian Edwards.

MRS. MARIA L. YOUNG.

Mrs. Maria L. Young wife of Mr. Eddie C. Young died Jan. 6 at their home in Randolph. She was a daughter of Mr. Simon B. Corliss; sister to Mrs. Alma B. Wales Mr. Ralph K. Corliss all of Randolph Mr. Cyrus Corliss of Roxbury and Mrs. Walter H. Berry of Quincy.

Burial was in Milton. She is survived by her husband and one son, Martin E. Young.

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A seven passenger Rambler car, beautiful design, and most comfortable riding car made. This car has been well taken care of and operated less than 16,000 miles or about half a year's ordinary run.
Will sell for any reasonable offer.
You can see and inspect the car at my garage No. 1280 Hancock Street, Quincy.
J. S. SWINGLE.
Jan. 4-6t

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THE DUTY OF PUBLIC OFFICIALS.

These are troublous days, days of unemployment and crime. Poverty and crime stalk hand in hand and we have seen more of both than is normal. With Hamlet we can say with feeling that the times are out of joint. Self restraint and thoughtfulness are required from all, especially public servants. Lawlessness should be curbed with a strong hand.

The mayor of Quincy in his inaugural address referred to the need of better discipline in the local police department. He knew whereof he spoke: better discipline is needed. Policemen are human and no one expects them to be otherwise, but we do expect them to perform their duties and see that the law is observed. Officer Doran with a sense of duty to the people who paid him was "on the job" and did good work in apprehending a criminal attempting to rob a local store a few days ago.

It would be well if all police officers were as mindful of their obligations. It is not a pleasant task for an officer faithfully to patrol his beat in the chill of the early morning hours, but duty is often unpleasant. The man who fails in his duty can not complain if that duty is taken from him.

One of the missions of a newspaper, as we understand it, is to report to the people for their consideration and their action the names of public servants who fail to do their duty. This the Ledger intends to do so far as its knowledge may extend.

KEEPING A DIARY.

It was not many years ago that a large part of the population started out in January to keep diaries. It was the one safe and orthodox present to hang on a Christmas tree, if you couldn't possibly think of anything else. The little, black covered note books sold for this purpose were as prim in appearance as the stiffly written record inscribed therein.

Comparatively few people keep diaries today. In the quiet life of former times the journal habit was a convenient means of killing time. If you couldn't find a thing else to do, you could always dig out the dusty little journals and read about the frolics of previous years.

The diary habit had its value. It promoted a meditative, contemplative, and philosophic attitude toward existence, it led to reflection on the meaning of life and the temporary nature of mundane pleasures. But those are points of view that the modern world is too busy to cultivate.

A SEVERE ARRAIGNMENT.

The order of the president of Simmons College that all the girls shall leave the building by 4.30 P. M. is a severe arraignment of the Boston police department. There can be little question that this action is a direct result of the assault on Miss Clara Clausen, who was robbed on the Riverway opposite the Notre Dame Academy on Dec. 23 and of the failure as the Simmons college authorities view it, of the police to make the Fenway after dark a safe place for women.

FOR WOMEN READERS.

They tell us we should have editorials which will interest "women readers."

Whereat we are puzzled. What do they mean "interest" women Aren't women interested in everything nowadays? Isn't this woman's age? Is woman's place still in the home? Aren't women interested in everything that men are, except lodge meetings?

The "Fox Trot" is a "mongrel dance," says Donald Brian, formerly a star of the "Merry Widow" and now playing a leading role in the "Girl From Utah." After such a characterization from so distinguished a figure in the dancing world perhaps this Terpsichorean hybrid will lose something of its popularity among the fashionable folk.

Wrist watches are passing. The latest is the slipper watch, a tiny timepiece concealed in the bow of milady's shoe. How easy now for the former call to be kept to the conventional length of time when a casual flit of the foot brings to view the whirring hands.

Medford is having a lot of excitement lately. First indictments are returned against its city clerk for larceny of $9000, and then its new mayor walks into the central fire station and finds the doors open and the place deserted.

It appears always to require a serious accident to wake people to the need of "safety first" regulations, and investigations New York's public service commission has virtually ordered steel cars for New York's subways as a result of the serious accident the other day.

Talk about luck. George Whitted of the Boston Braves saves Owner Gaffney from sinking to his death in Georgia quicksand. Result — a new contract for Whitted at a larger salary.

GOOD ADVICE TO QUINCY

Salem News Comments Editorially on City

The Salem Evening News in a recent editorial gives the city of Quincy some good advice. The editorial reads:—

When the acting mayor of Quincy assumed office, last October, following the death of the chief executive, he found that only about $40,000 of the year's taxes had been paid. Within a period covering about three months nearly $1,000,000 in real estate and poll taxes had been paid. To these revenues must be added $130,000 in water assessments. "It was said at City hall that this was the first year the entire water levy had been paid." On the other hand, "despite the large amount of taxes paid, the city has received only about half of the 1914 taxes due."

Quincy is one of the cities in this commonwealth where the collection department has a plain duty to perform. That duty is to educate property owners and others liable to taxation to recognition of the fact that taxes are levied to be paid. There is a leniency in tax collection that makes for rank delinquencies and puts a premium upon hypocritical whining, evasions and injustices. Where these factors are in evidence, the way to reform is neither narrow nor hard to discover. In view of the three months' record to which attention has here been directed, Quincy ought to be able, by and by, to make a showing in tax collections as profitable to the treasury as it would be promotive of a number of legitimate interests, both municipal and private.

THAT CHANT OF HATE.

"To hate," says Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, "is not a Germanic trait; the vendetta belongs to the Latin races." Yet the Latins take the opposite view; they admit the superior efficiency and industry of Northerners, but hold that they are less kind-hearted and more tenacious of ill-will. In this connection it should be noted that long before the "Chant of Hate against England" Germanic literature was praised for its supremacy in the expression of hate. In his scholarly work, "The Mediaeval Mind," Dr. Henry Osborn Taylor wrote of the Nibelungenlied: "Not much love in this tale, only hate insatiable. But the greatness of hate may show the passional power of the hating soul. The centuries have raised to high relief the elemental Teutonic qualities of hate, greed, courage and devotion." The professors of literature will not agree with the German chancellor that "to hate is not a Germanic trait."—Springfield Republican.

MINISTER'S MONDAY CLUB.

At the Ministers' Monday club in Boston, of which the Wollaston Unitarian minister is secretary, the session was devoted to a consideration of "The Cross as a symbol of Christianity," with the Rev. Theodore D. Bacon of Salem and Edward Cummings of Boston as speakers.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that under the rules of the City Council, all petitions, for street rebuilding or construction, received later than May 15, will not be acted upon during the current year.

GEORGE T. MAGEE,
Clerk of Council.

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BLEASE FREES THOUSAND MEN

Full Pardon For Those Who Have Not Violated Parole

NEGROES INCLUDED IN ORDER

Prisoners In Various County Chain Gangs Expected to Receive Executive Clemency—Another Batch of Convicts Freed In Addition to Those Included In Blanket List

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 11.—One thousand full and free pardons were granted by Governor Blease to former prisoners who had been paroled in the last four years, "during good behavior."

The wholesale order was announced when the governor signed a proclamation, red ink being used for the signature. This order automatically restores citizenship to whites and blacks alike.

The blanket list of pardons did not interfere with the regular output of the "pardon factory." Eighteen men slayers were included in an additional list of thirty-eight prisoners to receive clemency. Fifteen pardons, twelve paroles and eleven commutations were granted.

Blease was inaugurated in January, 1911. Since that date he has granted clemency in 1674 cases, the 1000 pardons just granted not being included in that number.

The governor has addressed a long telegram to all the county supervisors asking for the number of prisoners confined in county chain gangs. It is estimated that there are approximately 2500 prisoners distributed throughout the various counties in the state and the inference here is that the chief executive may extend his clemency program to county convicts.

The governor says in his proclamation:

"I have thought fit to pardon, and by these presents do grant a pardon to each and every person or persons so paroled by me during my terms of office as the governor of South Carolina.

"This pardon is nitended to apply and is granted only to such persons whose parole or paroles contain the one condition, 'during good behavior,' and does not, nor is it intended to, grant full pardon to any person or persons who have been paroled under any other condition."

The governor is credited with making the boast that he would leave the penitentiaries empty when he left the governor's chair.

STRIKE IS CALLED OFF

Engine Crews on Bangor and Aroostook Quit Two Years Ago

Bangor, Me., Jan. 11.—The strike of engineers and firemen of the Bangor and Aroostook railroad, which went into effect Jan. 18, 1912, has been called off by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

The men now drawing strike benefits have been notified that such will cease with the next payment, which will be on or about Jan. 20.

This ends a notable strike with a complete victory for the road, which made no concession whatever. The road claims that the strike was practically broken two weeks after it was called.

The strike followed the refusal of the road to meet a demand for an increase in wages, readjustment of working hours and better accommodations at terminals.

RESEMBLES A MERMAID

Woman Gives Birth to Monstosity Which Puzzles Scientists

Baltimore, Jan. 11.—An infant born to a negress of Salisbury, Md., and which died at birth, is a puzzle to scientists of the state university and to those of Johns Hopkins.

The body, which measures twenty-eight inches, is proportioned so as to resemble in every detail the mythical mermaid. From the waist line it tapers into a solid mass, at the end of which the feet protrude like a V, forming a finny-like substance.

To the child's diaphragm, from the tip of the so-called tail, the bones, which have merged into one, are covered with a rough, scaly skin, partly ossified. The skin of the babe is nearly white.

Lawyer Indicted For Larceny

Boston, Jan. 11.—A secret indictment was returned by the Suffolk county grand jury against a Boston lawyer for the larceny of $35,000. The name of the lawyer will not be made public until he is brought into court and arraigned.

Boy Bites Off Own Tongue

Weymouth, Mass., Jan. 11.—A slip on the ice at Elias pond may cost 9-year-old John Russo his speech. The boy's teeth snapped together, almost completely severing his tongue. Physicians say it will be exceedingly difficult to bring about recovery.

Whale Peppered For Submarine

Rotterdam, Jan. 11.—A dead whale which drifted ashore on the northern part of the Dutch coast was found to be riddled with three-inch shells and had obviously been mistaken for a submarine.

CHURCH HOLDS CONFERENCE

Hall Place M. E. Chose Officers for Ensuing Year

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Hall Place M. E. church was held in the parsonage Friday evening with the District Superintendent, Rev. Dillon Bronson, D. D. presiding. On motion Miss Hilda Francis was elected secretary, A. D. Stewart was confirmed as superintendent of the Sunday school and Mrs. Fred L. Badger as president of the Ladies Aid. The reports given indicate the good condition of the church and work. The pastor reported nineteen received from probation on Jan. 3rd. and three by letter since the last report. Two certificates of dismissal were given.

The Sunday School superintendent, A. D. Stewart reported the school to be in fine condition. the average attendance for the year showing an increase of 40 per cent over last year, and the average attendance for the last quarter showing an increase of sixty per cent over the same period last year. The Home Department has 48 members and the Cradle Roll has 17 members. The Brotherhood was reported by D. H. McNeill, President.

The Epworth League, reported by President J. M. Francis, and the Junior League, reported by Supt. Mrs. D. H. McNeill are doing good work in their respective Leagues and a fine interest is taken in the work.

Mrs. W. A. McCormick reported a most successful year by the Ladies Aid Society.

Treasurer of the Board of Trustees reported several improvements in the church property and these are all paid for.

Mrs. P. S. Neldon, president of the newly organized Queen Esther Circle reported that a box of new children's clothes made by the members, were sent to the East Boston Medical Mission at Christmas and that the Circle had pledged $15.00 to help a Mexican girl in one of the Mission Schools.

The district superintendent, by unanimous vote of the board was requested to return the pastor for another year.

The following committees were appointed by the pastor for the coming year.

Trustees: Robert Newcomb, H. F. Doble, F. W. Fuller, C. S. Jose, Chas. A. Goucher, J. M. Francis, Henry Geer D. H McNeill, Albert Clark.

Stewards: F. W. Fuller, Chas. S. Jose, Robert Newcomb, John Pearce, J. J. Nicholls, J. M. Francis, C. A. Goucher, A. D. Stewart, Hilda Francis, Mrs. Fred L. Badger.

Foreign Missions: A. D. Stewart J. M. Francis, Mrs. F. L. Badger, Alice McCormick, Edna Burke.

Home Missions: A. D. Stewart, J. M Francis, Mrs. F. W. Fuller, Jennie Manhire, Edna Miller.

Freedmen's Aid: Arthur Jordan, Susie Edwards, Rita Hunter, Robert McCormick.

Sunday School: Mrs. Robert Newcomb, Mrs. Grace Wentzel, D. H. McNeill.

Tracts: Ernest Briggs, Elizabeth Conway, Addie Newcomb, Harold McCormick.

Temperance: Warren Jordan, Ethel Newcomb, Ethel Nicholls, Harold Norris.

Education: Jessie Burke, Mrs. A. D. Stewart, Mrs. J. M. Francis.

Church Records: J. M. Francis.

Auditing Committee: Edward Newcomb, C. A. Goucher.

Parsonage & Furniture: Ladies Aid Society.

Church Music: C. A. Goucher, Miss Hilda Francis, Miss M. K. Shirley.

Estimating Committee: A. D. Stewart C. A. Goucher, Robert Newcomb.

MEETING AND SOCIAL.

The Chickatawbut Social club met Friday evening at the home of Kimball Roberts on Crescent street. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Roberts played the piano and Jerome Reinhalter gave a few selections. Ice cream and cake were served.

The Ledger would like to hear from some one who could write Wollaston news items such as personals, afternoon social affairs, etc., each day for the paper. Good pay on space to the right one either man or woman.

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Song of the Ticker

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Though wars destroy and nations bleed,
I pledge a better day and creed.

I buzz and whir and jerk and stop,
Then chase quotations to the top.
And men may buy and men may sell,
For I perform my mission well.

I run my happy course with zest,
And glad the secrets in my breast,
Of mines and ships and wealth to be,
And wide flung signs of industry.

Ta-ra, tarum, like kettle drum,
I beat quick step for joys to come.
The past is dead. Long live today!
I'm off again, hip, hip, hooray!

—H. S. Haskins in New York Sun.

SPENT $20,000,000 TO FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS.

Sixty-six Per Cent Came From Public Funds Last Year.

More than $20,500,000 was spent last year in the campaign against tuberculosis in the United States. Of this sum 66.8 per cent was derived from public funds, either federal, state, county or municipal, and the remainder was contributed by private philanthropy. These are some of the figures contained in the annual statistical statement of the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Institutional care and treatment of consumptives in hospitals and sanitaria make up the largest share of the total expenditures. More than $17,300,000 was spent for this purpose, with an additional $925,000 for special treatment of tuberculous insane and prisoners. These figures include not only the cost of maintenance, but in some instances the cost of construction of institutions. Anti-tuberculosis associations spent the next largest sum, amounting to a little over $900,000. Care of patients in dispensaries and by visiting nurses cost almost as much, approximately $860,000. The growth of the open air school movement is shown in the fact that last year more than $30,000 was spent for this purpose, as against $10,000 expended five years ago. State and city boards of health spent $200,000 directly on tuberculosis work.

In the last five years the percentage of money spent from public funds has steadily increased from 53 per cent in 1909 to 69.3 per cent in 1913 and 66.8 per cent last year. The National association considers this increase significant, since it indicates a shifting of the burden of institutional care of the consumptive from the private purse to the general public purse, where it rightly belongs.

Altogether, New York city and the other cities and the counties, towns and villages of the state spent more public and private funds last year in the tuberculosis campaign than any other two states in the Union, due largely to the increased and rapidly developing movement for city and county care of the tuberculous. Pennsylvania, which has occupied second place for the past four years, was superseded last year by Illinois, with Massachusetts in fourth place and Colorado in fifth place.

CUBISTS COLONIZE IN SPAIN.

Post Impressionists, Futurists and Others Have Defied the War.

It has been thought that among the victims of the war the advanced schools of painters—post impressionists, futurists, cubists, simultaneists—in a village near San Sebastian received a deathblow. Letters from a Spanish village near San Sebastian received in Paris from one of the best known of the simultaneist leaders show that this is exaggerated. This leader, a Frenchman, was excused from military service owing to supposed mental deficiency, although he is physically strong. He took refuge in Spain. Immediately after mobilization he was joined by advanced French, German, Austrian and Russian artists. Later, when it appeared that Italy might join in the war, Italian futurists joined him, and several Servians were also there.

These artists report that the war has not killed modern painting. Every particular movement is making vigorous war against every other one in the village. The village is replacing Paris as the center of modern painting.

RABBIT KILLING AIDS BELGIUM

Five Cent Bounty a Head Will Go For Relief Abroad.

A new and unusual plan to raise money to feed starving Belgians has gone into effect in Oregon. The scheme originated with a United States government official. It provides that, until further notice, for every rabbit killed in a large section of Oregon 5 cents will be deposited to the credit of the Belgian relief committee in New York.

The idea of making the scalp bounty paid by the government to abate the rabbit nuisance a source of revenue for the Belgian charity was outlined in a letter received at the offices of the committee.

The relief committee has written to the author of the letter approving the plan, and the first remittance from Oregon rabbit bounties is expected soon.

Russia Seeks Best Use For Alcohol.

The Russian government announces that it has set aside a considerable sum of money for the purpose of organizing an international competition for the discovery of new technical methods of utilizing industrial alcohol. Prizes amounting to over $50,000 will be awarded.

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PANAMA FAIR OPENING.

Will Occur February twentieth—War Causes No Change In Plans.

According to advices sent to the railroads of the country, the great Panama Pacific Exposition at San Francisco will open right on time and be in nearly all respects the same as if there were no European war at all.

February 20 is the official opening day of the big show. It will continue until December 4, 1915. The exposition is now 97 per cent. completed. A fully completed exposition is therefore assured for the opening day, something of a record for such shows.

It is announced that not a single nation that had agreed to participate before the war has withdrawn. Japan, the Netherlands and Argentina have asked for additional space. Russia, Great Britain and Germany never had been counted in the list of official participants, although both Great Britain and Germany will have extensive exhibits. There are 42 foreign nations officially participating. But if Europe had not a single pavilion or exhibit, the Exposition would still stand as the most wonderful show of its kind, according to its promoters:

California's other exposition-The Panama-California Exposition at San Diego opened on New Year's Day and will continue for a year. This exposition covers 618 acres. All the exhibits of manufactories and industries are "in the making" rather than the finished product only, in which respect the exposition is unique.

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GLENROSE GIRLS.

The Glenrose Girls held their regular meeting Friday evening at the home of Miss Mary T. Doyle on West street. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed by all. Men were allowed to enter after the meeting concluded. Mildred Donaher rendered a few solos while Caroline Reinhalter played on the piano. William Schatzel gave an exhibition dance. Refreshments were served by the girls.

Among those present were Elizabeth Williams, Mary Welsh, Rose Cormack, Elizabeth Schaetzl, Margaret Raab, Mary Doyle, Annie Kavanaugh, Mary Gill, Violet Perry, Caroline Reinhalter, Mildred Doyle, Marie Lemieux, Philip Garity, Alfred Ready, John Rizzi, James Joyce, William Cazzalio, William Benzi, Andrew Christie, William Schaetzl, Harry Brunet, Hugh Williams, Albert Rizzi and Charles Laundry.

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Feb. 10-tf

Among Our Churches

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL

The subject of Mr. Willmott's morning discourse was "Demas," the one time companion and fellow-worker of Paul who writes to Timothy from his Roman prison that Demas had forsaken him in his need, having loved this present world. He was now Paul the Aged. He had fought a good fight and was ready for the end.

At first reading we feel sorry for Paul in his loneliness but Paul is full of courage, he is above pity, his soul is in the heavens. On second though we are sorry for Demas who once stood as a disciple of Christ marching shoulder to shoulder with one of the great figures of the Christian world.

Why it touches us so keenly that Demas forsook Paul is because it is such a common tragedy. To leave the highest for the lowest cannot be compensated for. Why did he go? It was not a sudden thing. For months and years a disintegration had been going on in him. At the hour of testing he went where he had long been at heart.

Tomorrow you may see by the papers that some one high in church or state has done some terrible deed. This is not a sudden thing. God knew it was in his heart long before it appeared to the world. He had been losing his moral grip.

Some Christians have a habit of apologizing for their church and their Christianity whereas they should be proud of both.

There are others who for social reasons are disloyal to their church. Be ware lest in the insidious flank movement of social life we forsake our Christ. The things that allure are the butterflies, the bubbles of life. Stand with the apostle Paul that you too may be able to say, 'I have fought a good fight.'"

The Christian Endeavor was held at 6 P. M., preceded by a short prayer meeting. Dr. C. T. Sherman was leader.

A mission study class is about to be started under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Miller.

"John Wycliffe, the Morning Star of the Protestant Reformation," was the subject of the pastor's Sunday evening sermon. It was an exceptionally strong address even for Mr. Willmott.

The regular meeting of the Philathea class will be held in the ladies' parlor this evening. All young women are invited to come.

Bethany Social Evening Tuesday. Light refreshments served. There will be no admission to this social.

An all day sewing meeting in the chapel Wednesday to make things for the Mountain Whites. Basket lunch. All women invited.

Bethany Brotherhood Wednesday evening. Speaker, Prof. Daniel Evans of Cambridge. Subject "Racial Antipathies." This lecture has caused widespread comment in the public press. All men are invited.

Regular Thursday evening prayer meeting.

Bethany Castle Knights of King Arthur, will convene in their hall Friday evening.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL.

Nearly every available seat was occupied Sunday morning at the public worship. The quartet rendered very acceptably the selections "Hear, O Hear" by Warren and "God is Love" by Shelley. Miss Clifford sang in a very effective manner "Oh, that I had Wings" by Barnes. The pastor, Dr. Sneath spoke upon the topic "The Exalted Position of the Christian."

He said in part: "Sir Oliver Lodge has told us in the last week that it is his conviction that in the universe here is a type of being much higher than man. One wonders in the light of such a statement what will become of the human race. The mastodon and dinosau rus have become extinct. Shall man in like manner pass out of existence?

"This morning we will recognize that the Christian life is the most rational life, that it is a life of consistency, that it is a life with an ideal of righteousness and that it has the assurance of an ultimate sinlessness and perfection of life. As such it is worthy to abide forever. And so we may declare that whatever types of life exist in the universe higher than the Christian ideal as realized in the life of Christ, we will be content to say with the psalmist, "I shall be satisfied when I awake in my likeness."

Illness has kept the soprano, Miss Faca-Tammany, away from the church services for more than a month. Her place is being very acceptably filled by Miss Marjorie Dudley Clifford of Roxbury.

The annual meeting of the church for the hearing of reports and the election of officers will be held on Wednesday evening. A turkey supper will be served only to members of the church because of limited accommodations. The supper is in charge of Mrs. George H. Murray and a large corps of helpers.

On Thursday evening at the midweek meeting the topic will be "Our Christian Faith" and the pastor will conduct a question drawer.

On Friday evening all past and present members of the Y. P. S. C. E. will meet at the parsonage as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Sneath. Several matters of importance will be considered in the course of the evening.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST.

The pastor, Rev. Joseph Walther, Sunday morning on the subject; "Redemption by the Blood."

The pastor pointed out that we have here a part of God's own word to his people. For many years they had been enslaved. Repeatedly God had through Moses demanded their freedom but Pharoah refused. God said: Let my first born go else I will take your first born." Pharoah refused and consequently God took Egypt's first born.

The people were not saved because of their character and good works alone. These without doubt count, but according to Scripture they are not enough. Nor was their offering to be something other than blood, this was Cain's mistake. He brought of the fruit of the ground, while Abel his brother brought of the first of the flock and of the fatlings and Jehovah had respect unto Abel and his offering but unto Cain and his offering he had not respect.

There are a good many who offer Cain's kind of sacrifice today. Education, culture, benevolent acts, friendly deeds. Their own righteous and moral character. But the bible says that without shedding of blood there is no remission of sin. This idea runs all through the scripture. As there was no other method of salvation for the Israelites, so there is for us no other name under heaven given among men whereby we must be saved.

The Sunday School followed the morning services.

The Junior Endeavor meeting at 2.30 was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Walther. Subject: "The story of his temptations."

Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 was under the leadership of George B. Huntington. Subject "Our Denominational Boards and our relation to them."

At the evening service the pastor spoke from the subject: "God's Desire for All Men." The choir sang morning and evening.

Thursday evening at 7.45 the regular midweek meeting will be held in the chapel.

Friday evening at 6.30, supper and entertainment for all men of the church and congregation and invited friends. Fine supper by the women of the church, organization of men's club and novel entertainment, is the program of the evening.

Starting next Sunday a kindergarten for children whose parents are attending the morning service will be held.

ATLANTIC M. E. CHURCH.

The pastor took for his text, Psa. 27—14, "Wait upon the Lord, be of good courage and He will strengthen thine heart. Wait, I say on the Lord."

He said: "The burden of the sermon is to tell what is involved in the phrase, "Wait upon the Lord." We see in it, first, to bow in submission to His will, secondly, to love Him with all the heart, thirdly, to walk in His fear. The speaker proceeded to unfold these propositions. That submission was the key that unlocked the storehouse of Heaven. That it was the basis of Christian character. God has a right to command. It is our duty to obey. God has planned that man's happiness shall lie in perfect obedience to his commands. Submission to his will is the grand work of Christian character. To love God is the sum and end of the law. No one can look out on the beauty of Nature on the great scheme of Redemption without saving—"Behold The Goodness of God.

"Why should we love God? He commands it. It presupposes reconciliation to Him. Waiting upon God implies implicit trust in Him. Criminals hold their existence and enjoy their life independent of any condition on their part—not so with man. He is placed under a different rule. His happiness depends on obedience to His maker. Trusting leads us to feel our weakness and dependence upon Him. It also leads to peace of mind and soul. How far dare we trust him? Indeed He has set no bounds—our trust is commensurate with his commands. Not to trust God in dishonorable in us. It is to bring upon us condemnation. Associated with Love and Trust comes the fear of God—not servile fears such as the sinner has when conscious of his sins but a reverential fear such as man has after his conversion.

PARK AND DOWNS.

Rev. William B. Ayers on Sunday delivered a sermon on, "Freedom from the Law."

The minister described religion as being something broader and bigger than mere denials, mere rules of life and conduct. When a man has to call in a lawyer to tell him whether he is breaking the law or not he surely is breaking the law, in the strictest sense of the word.

The law breaker cannot afford to be ignorant of the law. The man whose spirit is in harmony with the spirit of the law need not bother to learn its letter or its details. Evil man is never free from the law.

Religion is not a matter of rules which men must always keep in mind and always consciously obey. It is a spirit, an attitude toward life itself. It is practice made into habit—habit grown into an automatic adjustability. So that the nature of a man is to do the right thing with no doubt, no hesitancy.

Men learn through discipline and practice their trades but the time comes when apprenticeship is at an end and the workers do automatically and almost unconsciously what they have trained themselves to do. Thus a man grows into the Christian spirit the Christ way of doing things. And thus a man becomes free from all the petty details of rules and laws. His spirit has become divine. It is linked with God's spirit. It unconsciously works in harmony with God's will.

The evening service was another in the series "Great Religious Lessons from the War." This was an introductory talk on England, the subject being "Opportunism and Expediency" At the close of the service the choir rendered some excellent selections including an especially pleasing duet by Mrs. Hazzard and Miss Brown.

The annual church meeting and supper will be held Wednesday evening. This is also the occasion of the fifth anniversary celebrated by the church of its calling the present pastor.

On Friday at 6.45 p. m. the "Men's Forum" will convene. There will be a supper, followed by business meeting and program. Louis K. Liggett of United Drug Co. will speak on "Co-operative Commercialism." Hon Chester I. Campbell will attend. Men who cannot attend the supper are invited to go to the meeting afterward.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

A good congregation, two anthems by the Girls' Choir, a noble poem entitled "Only one Step" appropriate selections from the Scriptures and hymns all had their share in making the morning service of worship most helpful. The sermon was from the Beatitude "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God."

The pastor, Rev. Carl G. Horst said: "To see God is to apprehend him. to be conscious of his presence in the world and in our lives. We cannot see God with our physical eyes any more than we can see a friend. But just as we know our friend through the manifestation of him through the body, so we know God through his manifestations in the world.

The pure in heart are blessed because they belong to all the world of pure hearts that are doing God's will, because they can look at life purely and because they help increase the good in the world.

Quite a number from the Wollaston Y. P. R. U. attended the neighborhood meeting in the First Parish, Quincy yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Alliance will be held Wednesday at 2.3 in the vestry. The Rev. Florence Buck will speak on "The Religious Experiences of a Little Child." All are cordially invited.

The Unitarian Parish Entertainment Committee will hold an old fashioned social in Brasee hall Tuesday evening Jan. 19. The committee in charge are G. Ernest Carr, Ralph W. Oldham, Roy C. Baker, George Brown and Clifton H. Baker.

The New England Associate Alliance meets in the First Congregational church, Somerville, Thursday at 10.30 o'clock. A splendid program with a fine list of speakers has been arranged Take the Highland Avenue car at the North Station or Sullivan Square and get off at Trull lane. Many women from the Wollaston parish are planning to go.

The Wollaston Unitarian Club meets in the vestry Tuesday. Dinner at 6.30 p. m. The well known astronomer, the Rev. Joel H. Metcalf, Ph. D., of Winchester will lecture on "Religion and Astronomy." It promises to be an unusually interesting meeting.

The response to the appeal sent out from the national Unitarian headquarters to the Unitarian Sunday Schools of America in behalf of the children of Europe, made destitute by the war, has been most generous.

With the completion of the parish house we shall be able to seat three hundred at dinner. All men in the community are invited to join the Wollaston Unitarian Club, the oldest and are of the best Men's club in Quincy. Send your name to Dr. Charles E. Monroe, President; John E. Simmons, Secretary or Rev. Carl G. Horst.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST.

Mrs. S. V. Odiorne Conductor. Meeting 7.30 was opened with song service, prayer and bible reading, Mrs. E. True Stratton of Boston delivered a lecture on the bible truths of spiritualism and the Gifts bestowed upon us individually by God. She also gave many messages which were well received. Mrs. S. V. Odiorne gave many good messages and the audience had a very pleasant evening. Meeting on Tuesday at 3.00 and 8.00 at the home of Mrs. S. V. Odiorne 8 Mechanic street also on Thursday evening at 8 a developing class will be open to all. Next Sunday Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough will lecture.

ROCKEFELLER CALLS EASY.

Oil Man Has Telephones Scattered All Over His Estate.

John D. Rockefeller now has an elaborate telephone system of his own In his house near Tarrytown, N. Y., are thirty-three telephones operated under an interlocking device so that Mr. Rockefeller can talk from one room to another. As soon as he begins to talk all other connections are cut off.

Distributed around the estate are nearly forty telephones in addition to those in the house. There is a telephone at every gate and at certain distances around the course. The system is so arranged that, no matter where Mr. Rockefeller desires to roam, the telephone follows him. This is done because Mr. Rockefeller is often wanted on important matters in a hurry, and guards stationed near the telephone can reach him quickly.

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TRADE SECRETS FOR HOUSEWIVES

Cuts of Meat Explained by Demonstrator.

AMUSING QUESTIONS ASKED

One Woman Wanted to Know How She Was to Tell Cut When Ordering by Telephone—Each Woman Present Got Diagram Showing Side of Beef and How It Is Sliced.

Crowds filled the headquarters of the National Housewives' league in New York city to learn the different cuts of meat and see beef, veal, lamb and mutton cut by an expert. It was the informal opening of the headquarters for real work, and, although the meeting was called for 10:30 o'clock, the women began to arrive at 9. They had notebooks, in which they jotted down the facts given them, they asked interested questions, and the women at the rear stood up through the long demonstration.

Theodore Carlewitz, who demonstrates at Teachers' college and other places where educational work in domestic science is carried on, did the talking, while two assistants cut up the meat. Each woman present received a diagram showing a side of beef, with the various cuts marked off.

Some of the questions set the audience laughing. The women had been told that an economical housekeeper with a family of some size would buy an entire crossrib piece of beef—fourteen pounds at 21 cents a pound—from which she would get two steaks, a pot roast and a good soup. Or she was told that she would get a good steak from this same piece by buying the first cut of the crossrib.

"But how can you be sure you get that first cut?" asked a woman from the front row of seats.

"See the whole crossrib," answered Carlewitz.

"But if you ordered by telephone?" she continued, and the other women shouted with laughter.

"Ladies," said Mrs. Julian Heath when there was quiet again, "don't do it."

"A skirt steak is one you will find very good," said the demonstrator a little later. "It is only 18 cents a pound, and some people like the flavor."

"How do you spell 'skirt'?" called another woman at the side, her pencil poised in air, and the audience shouted again as the demonstrator replied, "S-k-i-r-t!"

Describes a Chuck Steak.

"A chuck steak," said Carlewitz, beginning on his side of beef, "may be had now for 19 cents and a chuck roast for 16. This steak has not the taste of the sirloin, but is more nourishing than the porterhouse. From the cheaper grade of chuck, with the bone out, you get a pot roast, but it is coarse. The top chuck at 19 cents makes a fine pot roast.

"The first and second ribs are 24 cents a pound. The fourth, at 20 cents, is just as good and perhaps better. The ninth and tenth rib outside roll roast has no bone and no waste and is 18 cents, but is not as tender. The inside roll roast is nice and tender. It is 25 cents, but it is economical. Five pounds of it will equal eight pounds of rib roast."

The flank fat of the beef, at 9 cents a pound, is the best for rendering—to use for deep fat frying or things of that kind—better than suet, as it does not get rancid, according to the expert.

"The top sirloin makes a good pot roast and beef a la mode and, bought whole, is 20 cents a pound," he continued. "The first cut will cost 23 cents. The porterhouse steak, from the loin of beef, costs 25 cents a pound and the Delmonico steak 23 cents. The short sirloin will weigh in the neighborhood of a pound and is good for small families. It is tender and of good flavor, is 25 cents a pound, but in demand and hard to get. The flat bone sirloin of beef is better than the round (there is about 2 cents difference in the price), and the fillet is in this. A fillet of beef costs 60 cents a pound. A whole fillet in a good loin of beef will weigh about seven pounds.

"The bottom round of beef makes corned beef, beef a la mode and pot roast, at 24, 25 and 26 cents a pound. The round end of the rump, at 22 cents a pound, is used to make corned beef. The leg of beef makes soup stock, 9 cents with the bone and 17 cents without, and a piece of the bone thrown in. The neck of beef makes soup, but nothing is as good as the leg."

Carlewitz told his audience how to tell lamb from mutton. The bone of the lamb cuts through, but the mutton will only break at the joint.

Here's a Model New York.

A model of New York city, twenty-six feet square and showing every detail of the great metropolis from skyscrapers to bridges and transportation lines, is faithfully reproduced at the Panama-Pacific International exposition. Visitors to the exposition will get the same view of New York as an aviator hovering in his machine some hundreds of feet above the city. Even the steamships at the docks and the statue of Liberty are shown, and at night the miniature city will be beautifully illuminated.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

A cabinet meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies of the city will be held at Bethany church this evening.

Michael Monahan of Crescent street has gone to New York on a short business trip.

Bernard Reilly of Bedford street returned from a trip through Maine Friday.

Mrs. Irving Kemp of Bennington street is recovering after a serious attack of rheumatism.

Anna, the 10 year old daughter of Peter McConarty of Pearl street is confined to her home with the measles

Alice Cashman of East Milton is the guest of Mrs Annie Watson of Cross street.

Miss Annie Burns, teacher at the Willard school, has been kept to her home by sickness the past week.

Louis Hain of Roslindale spent Sunday with his grandmother Mrs. Mary Owens of Willard street.

St. Francis Court, M. C. O. F., will hold its installation of officers at 8 P. M. Tuesday in Hibernian hall.

A social evening will be enjoyed at Bethany church Tuesday. There will be games refreshments and a general good time.

Miss Mary Alexander, 38 Bennington street, has returned from a three weeks visit with friends at Peabody and Beverly.

Mrs. Otho Hayward will be the speaker at the regular meeting Tuesday evening of St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church.

Merrymount lodge, Knights of Pythias will confer the rank of knight full form, on three candidates, Wednesday evening.

English Ivy Lodge, Order Daughters of St. George will hold a whist party in Clan MacGregor hall on Friday evening Jan. 15 at eight o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Philathea class of Bethany Congregational church will be held at 7.45 this evening in the ladies' parlor at the church.

The newly elected officers of St. Francis court, M. C. O. F., of West Quincy will be installed Tuesday evening by Deputy High Chief Ranger, William H. Donlon.

Mrs. Bernard Reilly of Bedford street returned home Saturday morning from New Orleans where she has been visiting her parents since before Christmas.

The many friends of Miss Helen Lyons of West street will be sorry to hear that she has been taken to Carney Hospital where she will undergo a serious operation.

At the meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club next Tuesday evening the Rev. Joel H. Metcalf of Winchester, a prominent astronomer will speak on "Religion and Astronomy."

Mrs. H. Sands Burgess of Braintree who was at the Kincaide theatre last week had five encores at the closing of her act Saturday and received a beautiful bouquet of pinks and roses from the Kincaide theatre and two from friends.

Miss Frances G. Curtis who speaks tomorrow afternoon at the meeting of the Quincy Women's Club has had long experience on the State Board of Charity dealing with the State's minor wards and on the school board, in affairs concerning the care and education of children. She is eminently fitted to speak on the subject of school nursing which is just now claiming the attention of club members. The meeting is open to the public and men and women of the city will be welcome.

Miss Annie L. Prescott has $1.00, also the 75 cent tickets for "The Revels" for those in costume and also balcony seats at $1.00 each. Tickets are in great demand this year as every one seems to be going to "The Revels" either to take part or look on.

RADIUM FAILS TO SAVE PATIENT

Lawyer Conquered Tongue Cancer; Succumbs to Another.

REAL TROUBLE IN THROAT.

Deeper Growth Not Discovered Until Long After Treatment—City Solicitor of Asbury Park, N. J., Asked Reporters to Watch Developments—Thought Permanent Cure Was Effected.

Eight months after he called the reporters into his office to tell them that radium had cured his cancer of the tongue City Solicitor Samuel A. Patterson of Asbury Park, N. J., died of cancer. He had been pronounced free from the disease and had been so much benefited that he was able to resume the work he had dropped, but when his throat began to trouble him it was found that the radium had not touched the growth in that part and that what it had burned away was a mere offshoot of the real trouble.

Mr. Patterson was first aware that something was wrong with him about fifteen months ago. As he was arguing a case in the court of common pleas at Freehold, N. J., a jagged tooth, from which the gold crown had come off, cut his tongue. He consulted a doctor and he advised him that he was suffering from cancer.

Determined to make a fight for it, Mr. Patterson went to New York and had a treatment with radium. Just about then the case of Congressman Bremner was arousing great interest. He had been treated by Dr. Howard A. Kelly of Baltimore and had had eleven tubes of radium applied to the cancer in his shoulder for twelve hours at a stretch. Mr. Patterson went to Baltimore to consult Dr. Kelly. By this time his tongue had become so much affected that he had had to abandon cases which he was trying in the courts. His enunciation had become thick and painful, and it was difficult for even his intimate friends to understand him.

Inflicted Painful Burns.

Dr. Kelly told him that he thought he had a chance. Mr. Patterson was willing to try anything, and for two hours he submitted to the application of radium tubes to the right side of his tongue and neck. They inflicted such painful burns that it was impossible for him to wear a collar for two weeks, but they produced at once a notable improvement in his powers of speech.

Then he made a second trip to Baltimore, and this time submitted to the treatment for about an hour. It seemed then that he was practically cured, and he was able to talk so clearly that he resumed his duties. Dr. Kelly had told him to come back a third time, but when he paid that visit his tongue had improved so greatly that it was decided that no more radium was necessary, and he was discharged as cured.

It was then that Mr. Patterson called in the reporters to bear about his case. They found that his tongue was still discolored and looked brownish and that its flesh was hard and his speech was still thick. These symptoms, he assured the newspaper men, he had been told by the doctor were purely the result of the radium treatment and that as soon as the effect of the burns wore off he would speak as well as ever he did.

For some weeks after this Mr. Patterson kept to his court work and did not again complain of any trouble with his tongue. It was, however, the deeper cancer, which was not discovered for some time afterward and had not been affected by the radium treatment, which in the end proved fatal.

Mr. Patterson was fifty-three years old. He graduated from Columbia Law school and served as city solicitor for Asbury Park for two terms.

Adjourned meeting of the city council this evening. The main interest in tonight's meeting is over the committee appointments, which will probably be announced.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

EXPECT FAST GAME.

High School Boys to Play Winthrop High.

Quincy and Winthrop high in an interscholastic game in the basket ball card for Tuesday. The contest takes place in the Quincy gym and promises to border on the sensational. "Link" Crossen, regular center, who has been ill, is expected back in position and this should strengthen the quintette.

Quincy's normal form is uncertain, for after losing to Wellesley in a loosely played game Tuesday they came back Friday and beat Reading. Winthrop is reported to be faster than Reading and hardly equal to Wellesley. If this is true, with the advantage of a home court, Quincy's five should return a victory.

POEHLER HAS 110.

Poehler has an average of 110 in the Boston City League and 109 in the Suburban league.

TRIPLE IN CLAN LEAGUE.

The triple tie in the Scottish Clans League remains. The MacGregors of Quincy, the McPhails and Ramsays have all won 45 and lost 11 points.

HAS SERVED 28 YEARS.

Is Secretary-Treasurer of Sunday School.

Herbert W. Marshall has been secretary and treasurer of the Sunday school of the Wollaston Congregational church for 28 years. He made his annual report on Sunday. The present membership of the school is 330. The current expenses for 1914 were $202. Money gifts for missions and charity were $65 and the contribution for the new parish house was $200.

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PROMISES TO MAKE REDRESS

British Reply to Note on Shipping Is Friendly In Tone

SOME GRATIFYING ADMISSIONS

Controversy Will Resolve Itself Into Frank Discussion of Points at Issue—Principles as Stated by America Are Conceded—Britain's Statistics Considered Misleading

Washington, Jan. 11.—Great Britain's preliminary reply to the note from the United States government requesting an improvement in the treatment of American commerce by the British fleet was made public here and in London by mutual agreement between the state department and the British foreign office.

The British communication concurs with the view of the United States that commerce between neutral nations should be interfered with only when imperatively necessary, and officials of the Washington government construed it as conceding that the principles expressed by the American note were just and upheld by the previously accepted usages of international law.

The only formal comment made was contained in a brief statement issued by Secretary Bryan, who said:

"This answer being preliminary and not being intended as a complete reply, we will postpone comment until the full answer is received."

Briefly, the British note, while conceding the principles of the American government's contentions, points out difficulties in actual practice, refers to alleged fraudulent practices by shippers and cites statistics showing an increase rather than a decrease in certain neutral commerce, in support of Great Britain's suspicions that Germany and Austria have been indirectly obtaining contraband through neutral countries.

The note promises, however, that Great Britain will "make redress" whenever the action of the British fleet "may unintentionally exceed" the limits of international law.

While they are generally reserved in their comment, it may be stated authoritatively that high officials of the United State government regard the tone of the note as entirely friendly.

The admission by great Britain of one of the chief points in the American note—that the relations between neutrals were those of normal times, of peace and not of war—was gratifying to officials, who believed that the controversy would now resolve itself into a frank discussion of what were the actual necessities of the case which impel interference by a belligerent when suspecting that the ultimate destination of a neutral cargo is belligerent territory.

The statistics brought forth to show that commerce between the United States and neutral countries contiguous to Germany and Austria had increased materially since the outbreak of the war were regarded here as misleading.

As to the increase in shipments of copper to Italy, it was pointed ont that the Italian ambassador has already explained that Italy, which had previously obtained copper from Germany and Austria for her manufactures, now was forced to import from the United States because of the embargo on exportation which the belligerents themselves had imposed.

The admission of Great Britain that as to foodstuffs and conditional contraband, Lord Salisbury's doctrine, quoted in the American note, would be followed in practice by the British, foodstuffs being held up only when destined to an enemy force, also was pleasing to American officials.

There is every reason to believe that the United States will not accept the view of Great Britain that cargoes must be taken into port for extended examination. While statistics advanced show that only forty-five cargoes out of 773 have actually gotten into the prize courts, officials here note that no mention is made in the British note of the great number of cargoes detained and subsequently released.

It was not the loss already suffered by the American commerce which brought forth the American note, but the desire to prevent commerce in the future from being mistreated.

Officials regarded as novel the argument of Great Britain that it could not give unlimited adherence to the rules with respect to conditional contraband destined for belligerent countries because Britain's enemies had departed "from hitherto accepted rules of civilization and humanity."

It was suggested that American commerce should not be forced to suffer because of circumstances over which this government or the American people would have no possible control.

As a whole, the note of the British government was regarded as satisfactory, though the state department will marshal statistics and facts to dispute some of its contentions.

In the meantime improvements being put into effect daily by the allies in the treatment of neutral commerce are counted upon to ameliorate the situation generally.

SPORTING COMMENT

The leadership in the Junior league depends on the outcome of the match between the teams of Captains Swain and Kelliher, both of which are tied for first place with five points won and three lost. The pinfall of the former is 2507 and the latter 2435. The Sullivan's and Wren's will jockey for third place, each having three points won and five lost. The pinfall of the Sullivans is 2833 and the latter 2417. Little holds the record single 106 and Swain the three string mark with 283. High team total belongs to the Swains 1267.

Harry Cole's record showing of 435 with the Lynn team in an Inter-city League match last winter included a single of 166, one better than "Jacka" Joyce smasher in the Elks league contests at the Wardwell Alleys, Thursday night. Cole's remarkable showing is still the talk of bowling circles. Cole made four strikes and four spares in his big single. Joyce made three strikes and five spares. A comparison is interesting. The Cole single follows:

1	20	6	16—103
2	17—37	7	7—110
3	10—47	8	20—130
4	20—67	9	17—147
5	20—87	10	19—166

Interest in the Fore River league centres from now out in the individual prizes. The league constitution reads. "No player to receive more than one individual prize and 75 per cent of games must be played to render a player eligible for prize money. In case a player wins two or more prizes he must select the highest and waive the others." Olindy leads with a single of 153 and a total of 360. The Machine Gallery heads the league, and holds 505 for record single and 1442 for team total.

A call fireman has to be a real sport to neglect responding to an alarm since Chief Billings has increased the fine from 50 cents to $2. Under the old ruling a man could fail to report at each call and still have a substantial balance due from his salary. Not now, though.

Favreau of High school, junior interscholastic tennis champion will have to play harder than ever this year to defend his title. Willard Crocker, captain of the basket ball and tennis team will be a formidable opponent if he enters the tournament.

Harry Carlson of Brockton and "Al" Davies have been suspended for faking at the amateur bouts of the Quincy A. A. Tuesday night. Davies substituted in the special when J. J. Sullivan failed to appear. Referee Jack Norton ruled them outside the ropes.

A new minor base ball league in New England is to be formed. Each organization will be financed by local capital, but the players will be furnished gratuitously by the Federal league directors.

The pool singles and doubles between the Nonpareils and Quincy Adams in the Social Clubs League will be contests worth seeing. The players are considered the fastest in the city. The Pastime club will be the scene of the battle.

The Franklins, Pastimes and Nonpareils are tied with a point apiece in the card division.

The Nonpareils head the bowling division with 14 points. Quincy Adams are runners up with 11 points and the Wasecas trail them with 10 points.

Three new state rooms are being added to the interior layout of the schooner Vagrant at the Baker Basin at Quincy Point. B. B. Hill of Lowell is its new owner.

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WILL ESCAPE NEW TRIAL

But Indictment Against Mrs. Carman Will Not Be Dismissed

Mineola, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Florence A Carman, out on $25,000 bail, after failure by a Nassau county jury to agree on a verdict at her trial for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, will not be tried again.

The indictment, however, will not be dismissed, at least as long as District Attorney Smith is county prosecutor.

The opinion seems to prevail in Nassau county that if Mrs. Carman were retried the jury would come no nearer arriving at an unanimous decision regarding her guilt or innocence than the other twelve men who tried to solve the murder mystery.

Smith made it clear that any attempt to have the indictment dismissed will meet with vigorous opposition from him as long as he retains office. Nothing has developed since the trial of Mrs. Carman to alter his conviction that he was justified in seeking an indictment for murder in the first degree and forcing Mrs. Carman to fight for her life.

LOOT HIDDEN IN MATTRESS

Youth Who Lodged In Y. M. C. A. Rooms Is Placed Under Arrest

Malden, Mass., Jan. 11.—A lumpy mattress in the Malden Y. M. C. A. sleeping rooms, interfering with the comfort of the occupant of the bed, prompted an investigation that revealed a hidden box of miscellaneous jewelry, and led to the arrest of an 18-year-old boy who had formerly slept in the bed, on the charge of breaking and entering and larceny.

George L. De Quoy, who has been making his home at the Y. M. C. A. for some time, is the boy under arrest. Part of the jewelry, including two watches, three rings and a necklace of amethysts and pearls, has been identified, the police say, as part of the loot taken from the home of Halsey E. Abbey on Oct. 17.

WANTS TO ANSWER HOMICIDE CHARGE

Mrs. Rogers Learns That She Caused Death of Babies

New York, Jan. 11.—A charge of homicide was preferred against the woman known as Mrs. Ida Sniffen Rogers, who gave her two babies a fatal dose of poison and attempted to commit suicide.

Just before the charge was entered Mrs. Rogers was told for the first time that her babies were dead. For a few minutes she appeared dazed; then she went.

To Lorlys E. Rogers, the New York lawyer, who was known to her neighbors as her husband, Mrs. Rogers said she wanted to live to face the charge of homicide which District Attorney Martin of the Bronx has made.

At Rogers' office it was said that an attorney had been retained to defend the woman.

POLICE FIND FIFTY BOMBS

Owner of Explosives Held For Trenton Church Outrage

Trenton, Jan. 11.—Inalle Gabrele, who was arrested by the Trenton police after they had found about fifty dynamite bombs and fuses in his trunk at his boarding house, was charged with attempting to wreck St. Joachim's church, where an unexploded bomb was found. Gabrele pleaded not guilty and in default of $5000 bail was sent to jail.

In searching for the man who placed the bomb in the church, the police were led to Gabrele's boarding house, where they found the bombs hidden in his trunk.

MARSHALL WILDER DEAD

Slight Attack of Pneumonia Hastens End of Famous Humorist

St. Paul, Jan. 11.—Marshall P. Wilder, author and humorist, died at a hotel of heart disease complicated by a slight attack of pneumonia.

Since the death of his wife, more than a year ago, Wilder had been visibly depressed, his friends said, and this had affected his health. Two weeks ago he caught a cold which developed into pneumonia. Wilder was born in Geneva, N. Y., in 1859.

New Head of Reformatory

Boston, Jan. 11.—Cyrus R. Adams, head of the St. Charles, Ills., school for boys, has been chosen to take charge of the Massachusetts reformatory at Concord on Feb. 1. He succeeds Superintendent Baker.

Pure Food Expert Quits School

Westfield, Mass., Jan. 11.—Lewis B. Allyn, an instructor at the state normal school here, who has been prominent in pure food campaigns, has resigned. He will devote his time to writing on the subject.

Seeking Pelletier Pardon

Houlton, Me., Jan. 11.—Efforts to obtain a pardon for Alice Pelletier, sentenced to state prison as an accessory to the killing of Mildred Sullivan of Houlton, have been begun by counsel.

Woman Dies In Church

Marlboro, Mass., Jan. 11.—While mass was being sung in the church of the Immaculate Conception here Mrs. Timothy H. Honen died after she had been stricken in her pew.

PLENTY OF GUNS PROTECT CANAL

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COL. GOETHALS CONFIDENT.

Builder of Great Waterway Tells Congress Committee That Big Guns Defending It Compare Favorably With Best on Any Foreign Warship—Equipped With Five Modern Forts.

Colonel George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal and governor of the canal zone, told a subcommittee of the house committee on appropriations that the guns defending the canal were the equal of the best guns on any foreign warship. He denied the assertion that foreign ships could demolish the Panama forts while keeping out of range of the guns mounted on the canal defenses. High ranking officials of the army sustained his statements.

Colonel Goethals appeared before the subcommittee with Major General J. B. Aleshire, quartermaster general; Brigadier General William Crozier, chief of ordnance, and Brigadier General Erasmus M. Weaver, chief of coast artillery, to discuss the items in the appropriation bill having to do with fortifications. Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of the subcommittee, conducted the discussion on canal fortifications.

The statements by Colonel Goethals were made in executive session behind closed doors, and in the hearing it was enjoined on those present that what he said was to be regarded as confidential.

The subject of chief interest was whether the canal could be defended against attack in the emergency of war. To questions asked in a long and painstaking series by Chairman Fitzgerald, Colonel Goethals told the committee that the plans for the protection of the canal were ample to make its defense as sure as was humanly possible.

Five Modern Forts.

There are five modern forts there, constructed from plans made by the engineer corps, with the strongest work known in modern defense construction. The placing of these forts has been the study of joint boards of army and navy officers of the highest expert standing. In these fortifications, when complete, are to be one sixteen-inch gun, ten fourteen-inch guns, twenty-eight twelve-inch mortars and twelve six-inch guns. In all there are embraced in the plan for the defense of the two approaches to the canal zone fifty-one guns, all of the highest power employed in coast defense.

The six inch guns are placed where they serve as auxiliary to the mine field, a very important element of defense at both approaches. These six inch guns are to be used to command the mine fields and drive off small boats that might attempt to sweep them.

In all his statements in regard to the fortifications at Panama Colonel Goethals had the assistance of the general officers who were with him. At the outset of the hearing Chairman Fitzgerald told them that they were all responsible for the work to be done on the bill and that every item should have their joint attention and most painstaking care because of the vital importance of the canal as a military base entering into the strength and effective operation of the fleet.

The matter of trails along the zone, so that cavalry, field artillery and infantry might move rapidly for the protection of the canal from attack by land; the placing of more searchlights to make the coast artillery guns more effective; the development of the torpedo defense of both Colon and Panama; the provision of larger and better equipped yards for submarines and the stationing of a larger fleet of these vessels at both ends of the canal were fully discussed, and provision for them, it is declared, will appear in the bill in ample amounts for all work along these lines that can be accomplished during the coming year.

To the question whether the guns now at the canal would match those that might be sent against them in the event of war Colonel Goethals replied that he thought they were equal to any such guns.

"Do you think," asked Mr. Fitzgerald, "that the big guns of foreign warships could stand off and reach us and demolish our forts and guns without our being able to reach them?"

"No, I don't," replied Colonel Goethals. "Our guns are of equal range, so far as our information goes."

Guns of Large Caliber.

The explanation was made by General Crozier that the seacoast guns at Panama were of as large caliber as any that would be likely to be brought against them, but that they were of less length, and so had to be used with a high trajectory and a low muzzle velocity to secure the greatest range required: They would carry the largest shells used in such guns—shells weighing 1,200 pounds and carrying 200 pounds of high explosive, which is all that if not more than can be claimed for the guns that might be engaged.

Colonel Goethals said there was an ample supply of ammunition on the isthmus—enough to supply the guns during their reasonable life in any possible engagement up to the point of being eroded so as to be worthless.

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INSTALLATION OF DIV. 4, A. O. H.

James L. White of Walpole, president of the Hibernian divisions of Norfolk county installed President Edward Finn and the officers of Div. 4 in Hibernian hall, West Quincy, on Saturday night. He was assisted by Edward Powers and James Kelly, both of Div. 5 of Quincy.

Among those present were: President Edward O'Shea of Div. 17 of Atlantic, President John Donahue of Div. 5, Quincy, President James O'Dowd of Div. 22, and former President Michael McNally of Div. 17. They together with the installing officers, delivered speeches. Those installed were:

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Vice President—Bernard Griffin.
Recording Secretary—Daniel Scully
Financial Secretary—James Reynolds.
Sergeant-at-arms—John Ferreter.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Jeanne B. Hill late of Quincy in said County, deceased:
Whereas, Christine B. Hill has presented to said Court an application for a distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator of the estate of said deceased, among the next of kin of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said distribution should not be made according to said application. And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.
Witness James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Dec. 29 Jan. 4-11

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Bany late of Quincy in said County, deceased:
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Maynard C. King of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 2-4-11

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Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Elmer E. Prior late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Elizabeth M. Prior of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 9-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To all persons interested in the estate of Lydia L. Morton late of Quincy in said County, deceased
Whereas, Thomas E. Bixby executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 1-4-11

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Carrie H. Durgin late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Grace L. Durgin of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 5-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court
To all persons interested in the estate of Joseph F. Berry late of Quincy in said County, deceased:
Whereas, George H. Brown the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the fifteenth account of his trust under said will. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Dec. 28 Jan. 4-11

DO YOU WANT BUSINESS? ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

BIG GUNS KEEP HARD AT WORK

Infantry In West Handicapped by Water and Mud

FRENCH PUSHING OFFENSIVE

Reported to Have Made Gains at Heavy Cost—Dunkirk Terrified by Determined Efforts of German Aviators to Wreck City—New Battle Impending In Poland, Where Germans Have Assembled About a Million Men For New Attempt—Bulgaria to "Sound" Italy on War

London, Jan. 11.—The German and French official reports of the most recent fighting in the western field are almost a repetition of those issued on preceding days.

A British eye-witness, who has been the official historian of events at the front, lays stress on the important part played by the artillery and high explosives in modern warfare and claims superiority for the allies in artillery, which is being used to its full strength.

From the coast to the river Oise, where the country is under water and the rivers are flooded, the big guns have been engaged continuously, but the water and mud prevent the infantry from coming into action.

Along the Aisne valley, however, from the Champagne district as far as western Argonne, the French are pushing their offensive and organizing the ground which they have gained. These gains have been made at heavy cost.

In western Argonne the Germans also claim to have made gains and to have repulsed an attempt by the French to carry their trenches in the Woevre and in Alsace.

Another desperate German aeroplane raid was made on the French port of Dunkirk, and although the damage is reported as comparatively unimportant, the city was thrown into a state of terror.

The frequency of these attacks upon Dunkirk shows that the Germans are making a determined effort to wreck the city.

Although to the terrified inhabitants it appeared as though a perfect cloud of airships hovered above the city, observers say that there were in all probably a dozen. Thirty bombs were dropped, but owing to precautions that had been taken following previous visits of the same kind, there were few victims. So far as it is known a number of persons were wounded by the exploding bombs, but none is reported killed. No estimate of the property damage has been made.

The aeroplanes came from the direc of Zeebrugge, Germany's great airship and submarine base, forty miles further up the North sea coast.

The opening of another great battle north of Warsaw is expected at any time. The Germans have assembled about a million men for their new attempt, in spite of which they have apparently not weakened their lines at other points. It is supposed their reinforcements have come mostly from France and Belgium and from East Prussia.

Grand Duke Nicholas has been transferring great masses of infantry, cavalry and artillery from the concentration points in the rear of Warsaw to the north of the Vistula, and has also hurriedly constructed trenches to protect the ground which is now under the direct shelter of the great Russian fortress of Novogeorgiewsk, sixteen miles north of Warsaw.

In the meantime the Germans maintain their offensive along the Bzura and Rawka rivers, and have not relaxed in their pressure on various towns in the region west of Warsaw and south of the Vistula. The Russians have been compelled to keep large forces at all of these points, but have been able to find plenty of troops to meet the Germans on virtually equal terms in their new offensive, north of Warsaw.

In southern Poland and on the Cracow front there has been a cessation of all but artillery and minor infantry actions, largely owing to incessant rains and floods of melting snow.

Seemingly, the Russians believe the report that the Turkish cruiser Goeben, formerly of the German navy, has been damaged, for their Black sea fleet, which is superior to the Turkish fleet without the Goeben, has been attacking Turkish ports and destroying their shipping.

There is no development in the Near East, beyond the report from Sofia that M. Guenadieff, the former Bulgarian minister of foreign affairs, is leaving for Rome on a semi-official mission, the object of which is to ascertain the attitude of Italy toward the possible future co-operation of Italo-Bulgarian interests in the European war.

KILLED ON BATTLEFIELD

Fate of Grand Duke Alexander, Brother-In-Law of the Czar

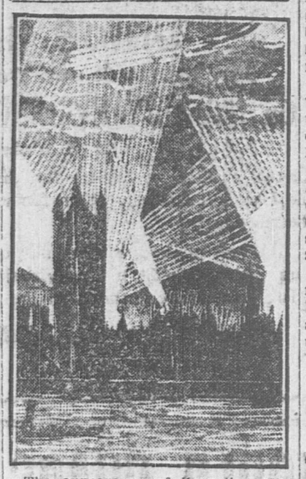
The German imperial press bureau makes the following announcement:

An official statement from Constantinople says Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, brother-in-law of the czar, was killed in the fighting at Miandoab, Persia.

Alexander was not only a brother-in-law of the Czar of Russia, but also he was a second cousin. He visited America in the fall of 1913. His mission to America was a secret one, according to reports at the time, and had to do with the placing of a large order for a rapid fire, air cooled automatic aeroplane rifle for the Russian government.

LONDON AT NIGHT.

Artist's Conception of City as Searchlights Turn Night Into Day.



The appearance of Zeppelins over Dunkirk has renewed alarm in London, and few English people would be surprised if bombs were dropped on that city. Extensive preparations to resist an aerial attack have been made. This is an artist's conception of how the city looks at night when the hugh searchlights are transforming night into day.

SLAUGHTER OF TURKS

But Three Hundred Survivors of Force of Six Thousand Men

Climatic conditions were responsible more for the overwhelming defeat of the Turks at the hands of the Russians at Sari Kamysh that the superiority of the czar's troops, according to Iskan Pasha, leader of the Ninth Turkish army corps, which was virtually annihilated, a dispatch from Petrograd states.

Iskan Pasha arrived at Tiflis, together with the other officers of his corps who were taken prisoners at the same time. An indication of the terrible attack the Russians made upon their enemies is found in the statement of the Turkish commander to the effect that only 300 remained out of 6000 of his troops that went into battle.

PRISON CAMPS IN EUROPE

President Wilson's Envoy Finds Prisoners Are Not Ill-Treated

President Wilson's first engagement after returning to Washington from Indianapolis was with Chandler Anderson, who has been investigating the detention camps for prisoners of war in different European countries.

Anderson, who was formerly counselor of the state department, recently visited France, Germany, Austria and Great Britain for the department and inspected the detention camps for interned nationals of hostile nations.

He reported that charges that these prisoners were being ill-treated were unfounded and that as far as his observation went they were receiving the same treatment as the soldiers who guard the camps.

Anderson gave the president first hand information of conditions in the nations at war, but said there was no discussion of peace prospects.

THE SUNDAY REVIVAL

Great Crush as Converts Respond to Call of Evangelist

Philadelphia, Jan. 11.—Eight seething torrents of men and women surged down the eight sawdust trails in the "Bully" Sunday tabernacle and joined in a weeping, singing, shouting sea of humanity at the feet of the evangelist Sunday afternoon and last night.

At the first service 660 and at the second 640 persons publicly announced their faith in Almighty God and gripped the hand of the evangelist who has come to "rid this city of the devil and his works."

It was his first call for converts and the effect of his appeal, following terrrific denunciation of modern sins such as the fox trot, the maxixe, the hesitation and other of the latest dances, was instantaneous.

Tackled by Auto Bandits

Braintree, Mass., Jan. 11.—Michael P. Frazer, a railroad switchman, was attacked by auto bandits on Union street, cloroformed and thrown into the car, robbed of $86.50 and a gold watch, and left unconscious nearly two miles from the scene of the hold-up.

Great Flurry in Wheat Market

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Wheat shot up here and as high as $1.41¾ a bushel was paid for May, the chief speculative option.

DOCTOR IS INDICTED

No Bill Against Hyde, Who Was Accused In Richardson Case

Boston, Jan. 11.—The chief developments in the case of Miss Irene A. Richardson of Arlington, who died as the result of an alleged illegal operation, was the secret indictment of a physician by the Suffolk county grand jury, and the return of no bill in the case of William D. Hyde, who had been arrested as an accessory before the fact.

The physician has retained counsel, who said his client would be in court today or tomorrow. The principal evidence against the doctor is Miss Richardson's dying declaration.

Efforts will be made by counsel for Mrs. Marie Hanson, now held in jail charged with being an accessory after the fact in the death of Miss Richardson, to have her bonds reduced from $2500 to $1000.

Mrs. Hanson secured bail in the former amount, but was surrendered by her bondsmen, the Misses Lolia and Annie Watson, they feeling that they were getting too much notoriety.

ARMY OF 103,895

Provided For In Military Bill Indorsed by Secretary Garrison

Washington, Jan. 11.—Secretary Garrison, in a letter to Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the senate military committee, indorses the bill which the Oregon senator has introduced to carry out Garrison's recommendation for the increase of the regular army.

The Chamberlain bill would authorize maintenance of the mobile army at its maximum strength, with an increase of 1000 officers. It would raise the enlisted strength of the line of the army, exclusive of the Philippine Scouts, to 103,895, and would provide a mobile army of 50,000 for continental United States. With the Philippine Scouts the total line strength would be 109,628. At present the enlisted strength, including the scouts, is 87,454.

KILLS GUEST AND TAKES OWN LIFE

Police Are Unable to Fathom Cause of Double Tragedy

Boston, Jan. 11.—Within a few minutes after Wilho Maempaa and his guest, Carl Mannista, had been left dining together and laughing and talking, they were found dead from bullet wounds on the floor of the Maempaa home in Norwood.

The police declared it a case of murder and suicide by Maempaa, but were unable to explain its cause.

Mannista, who moved to Philadelphia three weeks ago with his wife and baby girl, returned for a short visit. He called on Maempaa and was lunching with him when Mrs. Maempaa says she went down stairs to wait on trade in her husband's variety store. She had been there about five minutes when she heard two shots.

Returning to her tenement, she discovered Mannista dead. Near by was her husband unconscious. He died before a physician arrived.

DOCTORED IN CONFERENCE

Negro Exclusion Clause Stricken From the Immigration Bill

Washington, Jan. 11.—House and senate conferees on amendments to the immigration bill agreed to eliminate the senate provisions barring negroes and exempting Belgian farmers from the literacy test and certain other requirements.

All other differences, none substantial, were compromised, and the perfected bill will next be presented to both houses for final passage before it goes to the president, who will hold public hearings on the literacy test before deciding whether to sign or veto it.

Opposed to Filipino Autonomy

Washington, Jan. 11.—Newton W. Gilbert of Indiana, former vice governor of the Philippine Islands, before the senate committee on the Philippines opposed early independence for the Filipinos.

Human Has Cattle Disease

Baltimore, Jan. 11.—One of the first cases on record of a human being with a hoof and mouth disease is that of Carlisle S. Lentz, a student.

$8,135,000 For Indians

Washington, Jan. 11.—The house passed the Indian appropriation bill carrying $8,135,000.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

John W. Harkins was struck and killed at Everett, Mass., by an automobile operated by Charles T. Hillier.

The Johnson hotel, two garages and a dwelling at Willimantic, Conn., burned at a loss estimated at from $60,000 to $100,000.

The body of an unidentified man, probably a laborer, cut in two by a train, was found at Cambridge, Mass.

Arthur H. Ballou, 70, a wealthy retired business man, was crushed to death in an elevator at Utica, N. Y.

Don Gonzalo de Quesada, Cuban minister to Germany, died suddenly of apoplexy at Berlin. He formerly represented Cuba at Washington.

Otto Habach, 55, financial editor of the New York Staats Zeitung and widely known in German-American circles in this country, died at New York of a complication of diseases.

Incognita

By F. A. MITCHEL

It so happened that King Caspar of Walkaria and Queen Bertha of Zingerland inherited their kingdoms when very young. Their domains joined, but they had never met, for during their childhood their fathers had been at continual warfare. When these two kings died—about the same time—the cabinets of both countries decided to make a match between the young king and the young queen.

Queen Bertha would not consent to the match without some acquaintance with the man she was to marry. She therefore insisted on their meeting in one of her palaces near the border line between the two kingdoms, the king to be attended by three men and the queen by three women. To this the king gladly assented.

Before leaving for the rendezvous the queen said to a maid of honor, who was also her bosom friend: "I wish you to exchange places with me at this meeting, you to personate me, I to personate you. This will be easy, for I have purposely limited the number of my attendants so that there are only two besides ourselves to be in the secret."

When the king met the substitute queen, whose name was Catherine, he was well pleased with her, for not only the queen herself, but her attendants, were beautiful women. Bertha had charged Catherine to treat her with some severity lest by her accustomed deference she betray the secret. During the first interview Catherine spoke to Bertha somewhat sharply, and the king's notice was turned from the spurious to the real queen, who bore the reproof with becoming meekness. Indeed, King Caspar was charmed that the maid showed no temper whatever, while the reproof, which seemed to be uncalled for, prejudiced him against her supposed mistress.

Queen Bertha had gone to the meeting with no other object than to overlook her future husband incognita. But from the moment she saw him she was much smitten with him and resolved to win him if possible. She directed Catherine to lose no opportunity to show her severity while in the king's presence. Catherine, who was an excellent actress, played her part remarkably well. Did she order the queen to do her any service, no matter how speedily the duty was performed, the spurious queen would reprimand her. At such times the real queen would cast down her eyes, bearing the injustice with angelic sweetness.

One morning Catherine sent Bertha to the royal garden for some flowers and when she returned scolded her for not getting the kind she wished. Nevertheless she handed several of the choicest to King Caspar, whose brows were knit at the harsh treatment of the maid of honor. Taking the gift, he selected the most beautiful flower, a rose, and handed it to Bertha.

As might have been expected had the play been a reality, Catherine after this, with the queen's concurrence, redoubled her harshness to Bertha, who availed herself of the opportunity to show herself an angel of patience. This excited the king's sympathy and admiration for the poor maid to such an extent that he resolved to break off the negotiations.

When Bertha considered the fruit ripe for plucking she contrived to meet the king in a corridor in the palace as if by chance. He stopped her and, despite her pretended efforts to get by him, forced her to chat with him. This she did with her eyes bent upon the floor in well affected modesty. While they were together a door opened and Catherine came out into the corridor. With fire in her eye she ordered Bertha to her room, then said to the king:

"If this is a sample of your majesty's constancy I think we had better go no further in this matter."

"As your majesty pleases," replied the king with a formal bow.

Thus was the king turned from one woman to another. Queen Bertha and her maids of honor returned to Zingerland and King Caspar to Walkaria. But the king did not remain there long before he took a step which he must take with great care, since his failure to marry the queen of Zingerland had made him unpopular in both kingdoms. He sent a confidential friend to Zingerland to learn if he could marry one whom he supposed to be the queen's maid of honor.

King Caspar had no hope that he would be permitted the woman of his choice. The queen had shown herself insanely jealous of her maid of honor and would doubtless refuse his request with some harsh accompanying message. During his messenger's absence he walked the floor impatiently and with anxiety, waiting for his answer.

His emissary returned with a surprise, announcing that the maid was the queen and the queen was the maid. Without losing a moment the king mounted his horse and, summoning his escort, rode night and day to the capital of Zingerland and, appearing before Queen Bertha bespattered with mud from his quick ride, knelt before her and kissed her hand. When he looked up he saw her face bent down upon him filled with merriment.

Turning his eyes to a maid of honor standing by the queen, she saw Catherine looking at him with the same amused expression.

And so it was that the two kingdoms were united and there were no more wars.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Kerrigan, late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament, of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John F. Kerrigan of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in said Quincy, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 7-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of George W. Morton late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Thomas E. Bixby the administrator d. b. n. n. n. a. of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County, on the thirteenth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 1-4-11

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If there is anything new under the sun, the chances are that it's in The World Almanac. This is a sweeping statement. For its justification one may point with much confidence to the files of this most regular of annuals. For particular and current instances, reference is recommended to the issue for 1915, now just at hand.

As one reads this book, the time seems very far removed, indeed, when an almanac was merely a booklet of calendar pages, with wise remarks about the sun, the moon, a few planets, the tides, and the best time for planting various kinds of seeds. Here set forth, besides election and census returns, sporting records, industrial and financial reports, a New York City gazetteer, and the countless formal informatory departments to which the years have accustomed readers of The World Almanac, are a review of the war in Europe; notes on the wars of the world; the political State platforms of 1914; details of the special or emergency tax; analysis of the prison population; factory statistics; workmen's compensation laws; occupations in the United States; the Federal Reserve Act; the Federal Trade Commission; statistics of foreign born population in the United States; a description of the Mexican situation; facts about the Chinese Republic; the progress and plans of the Palisades Driveway; a paper on the aeroplane and aviation generally in war, and too many other things to receive even a reviewer's bare mention.

Of course this book has more than a thousand pages. It outgrew ordinary almanac dimensions long ago. It will carry its own "Happy New Year" welcome to librarians, students, professors, statesmen, editors and readers in general all over the land.

DISTRICT COURT.

Michael A. Griffin of Weymouth, Thomas Allen of Randolph and Joseph Henry of Quincy were fined $15 each for drunkenness.

CZAR NOT IN QUINCY.

Looked For A Time As If His Auto Was.

A splendidly squipped 60 H. P. Oldsmobile runabout, bearing the Imperial Coat of Arms of Russia is attracting considerable attention at the Central garage where it was left for repairs about midnight Thursday.

The machine is registered in the name of Lawrence B. Flint, 64 Alton place, Brookline and was used while he made his home in Petrograd.

Adjustible headlights, peculiarly made battery boxes, lamps of German manufacture and Russian made tires gives the machine a foreign appearance and attached to the side of the seat is the imperial seal in gold, blue and white, set off with the Old English letters, "K. A. C." with a brass metal tag bearing the number 1113.

The machine was carrying five passengers from Cohasset to Boston when tire trouble developed. Samuel Pompeo of the emergency corps of the garage took them to the Hotel Somerset, Boston.

MRS. ELLEN A. MARKHAM.

Ellen A. Markham, who conducted a variety store at Sea street and Manet avenue, Houghs Neck, died Sunday after a short illness. She was in her 55th year and was the wife of William Markham, by whom she is survived.

LEAVE FOR FLORIDA.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sturtevant of Adams street ,their daughter Mrs. Weeks and Miss Dorothy Edwards of Greenleaf street left this noon for Jacksonville, Fla., At Jacksonville, the party will board the Sturtevant power cruiser the "Grey Duck," and will cruise in Southern water.

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NORTH QUINCY CATHOLIC CLUB

The annual election of the Catholic Club of North Quincy, whose membership is largely from Wollaston, Atlantic and Squantum resulted as follows: John J. Cussick, president; Philip R. Guyen, vice-president; E. F. Flynn, recording secretary; Carl J. Maiback, financial secretary; Frank L. Aulback treasurer. After a warm contest for the board of directors, W. T. Moran, L. A. Twitchell, Edward McMasters, Edward Gallagher and William Stone were elected.

Installation of officers will take place on the 22nd of January after which a banquet will be served by a Boston caterer. The first of the series of winter dancing parties will be held in the second week in Feburary.

The Bowling Club held its weekly contest on Friday evening at Murray's Alleys and a team was selected to roll against the Norfolk Lodge of Redmen on next Wednesday evening. Philip R. Guyen was chosen captain. The bowling team is ambitions to meet teams from other clubs and societies in Quincy and will be taken care of W. J. Stone of Wollaston.

BRIEFS

President Whiton of the city council and Mrs. Whiton leave Tuesday for New York for a few days visit.

Deputy Grand Warden Miss Margaret A. Trainor will visit Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., in Protection hall Friday evening. A delegation will attend the installation of the officers of Enterprise lodge at Brockton on Thursday evening.

Salvatore Lo Presti, manager of the Boston Musical Comedy Company, is the guest of his parents on Centre street for a few days. Mr. Lo Presti has just returned from a trip through Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York and Pennsylvania. His company is now playing in Boston.

SOMEWHAT MYSTERIOUS.

The alarm from Box 173 at 12.05 this morning was for a mysterious fire in the entry way of the house of I. Cutler at 42 Winthrop Park. There was some clothing hanging in the entry and it is supposed that the fire started in some way among this clothing. The firemen confined the blaze to the entry, and the damage was but slight. Mr. Cutler claimed that he had a fur coat hanging in the entry, but the firemen found no trace of it and there was considerable mystery as to how and where it disappeared to. The loss was slight.

FIRST UNION MEETING.

The first of the union meetings to be held by the Swedish Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches was held Sunday evening at the Swedish Baptist church on Granite street and was very largely attended. The meeting was in charge of Rev. A. E. Hillman. There was special music by the union choirs of the three churches under the leadership of Rev. A. G. Sporrong of the Swedish Congregational church. Other meetings will be held this week on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at the Swedish Baptist church.

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DEATHS

MARKHAM—In Quincy, Jan. 10, Ellen A., widow of William G. Markham Funeral services at 1485 Hancock street, Tuesday, Jan. 12 at 2.30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. 11-1t

McLEAN—In Homoeopathic Hospital, Brighton, Jan. 9, Jessie McLean, the 23 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McLean of 57 Washington street.

HUGHES—In Quincy, Jan. 10, John Hughes of 92 Pleasant street, in his 67th year.

HEUSER—In Wollaston, Jan. 10, Karl Ludwig Heuser of 301 Beach street, in his 72nd year.

GALLIVAN—In Braintree, Jan. 11, Merto Gallivan, aged 91 years.

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SHE COURTED CRITICISM.

And the Queen Got Rather More Than She Anticipated.

In her youth Queen Elizabeth of Roumania spent much time on the training of her voice, and, encouraged by flatterers, came to believe herself to be a singer of unusual talent. At length, says Bibliothek der Unterhaltung und des Wissens, she decided to have her voice tried by some great teacher. So she went one day, dressed very simply and without the usual retinue of servants, to see Professor Dumanois of Bukharest and urged him to give his frank opinion on the quality of her voice and her future prospects. He tested her voice with great care, first with the simple scales, then with a song and lastly with an operatic aria.

When the trial was over the professor said, "I cannot say that you have a wonderful voice. You sing fairly well and with not a little feeling. I might undertake to train you to sing in operetta, but to speak quite frankly you haven't the looks for it."

Up to this time the teacher had not known that the rank of the aspirant was any higher than that of scores of other young ladies equally ambitious, who constantly came to him. But his surprise was great when the lady handed him the visiting card of the queen, and he found that he had before him no less a personage than royalty itself. The queen thanked him heartily for the frank way in which he had judged her musical ability and went home with her ambition in that direction decidedly diminished.

MINORITY PRESIDENTS.

Elections That Were Not In Accord With the Popular Vote.

One on God's side is a majority, said Wendell Phillips. Luckily for American presidents majorities are not required, else a good many of them never would have reached the White House.

Pennsylvania's only president, James Buchanan, had nearly 40,000 fewer votes than his competitors. Old Rough and Ready Taylor landed the job with only 47 per cent of all the ballots cast.

Lincoln was a decisive minority president, and he went to the White House with only forty out of every hundred votes that were polled. Woodrow Wilson got into office by an almost equally slim majority, having a trifle more than 40 per cent of all ballots.

Neither time he was chosen president did Grover Cleveland have half the votes of the United States with him. Strangely enough, the other time he was nominated and when he was beaten by Harrison, Cleveland, although the loser, had the greater number of votes by nearly 100,000.

Hence Cleveland won twice on a minority, but lost once with a plurality.

Tilden had not only more votes than Hayes, but more than all his competitors combined, yet he wasn't president. Garfield, like Hayes, was a minority winner.

There seems to be as great luck in a minority as in the divine right of majorities.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Turn About.

Mr. Kipling, while on a visit to Mr. Hardy, went to see a house which the author of "Life's Little Ironies" thought would suit him. When Mr. Kipling moved out of earshot, Mr. Hardy observed to the occupant:

"I may mention to you that this gentleman is no other than Mr. Rudyard Kipling."

"Is that so?" she replied. "I never heard the name before."

Presently Mr. Kipling, in turn, found himself alone with the lady and remarked:

"Possibly you may not be aware that the gentleman who brought me here today is Mr. Hardy, the eminent author."

"Oh, indeed," was her reply. "I don't know his name."—London Express.

The First Thing.

Not capital or labor or land or goods, but human relations lie at the root of all social reforms. All questions between employers and employed are to be solved in that way. Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, what is right and just and loving and fair between man and man. The discovery of that is the only solution of all these stormy questions.—F. D. Maurice in Ohio State Journal.

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HOW NAVIES SIZE UP SINCE THE WAR

Ratings Are Much the Same Despite Losses.

UNITED STATES BAD THIRD.

Kaiser's Lead May Have Been Increased Owing to Dreadnoughts Built and Building—Great Britain Has Lost Three Battleships, One Dreadnought and Two Pre-Dreadnoughts.

Naval experts in Washington have thrown up their hands in despair over the task of calculating officially the present relative strength of the British, German and United States navies, but approximate figures indicate that in total warship tonnage the British, notwithstanding their losses, are more than twice as strong as the Germans, while in battleship tonnage the Germans have a trifle more than half as much as the British navy.

The relative strength of the United States has hardly been affected one way or the other by the war developments. This country ranked as the third naval power before the war and is still in third place.

Though the naval losses on each side are believed to be fully known, there are practically no data obtainable as to what additions Great Britain and Germany have made to their navies since the outbreak of the war.

In the opinion of the officers here Great Britain, in spite of her losses, is now a good deal stronger on the sea than she was on Aug. 1, when the war began. This is due to the rapid completion of vessels under construction and the taking over of vessels building in England for foreign navies.

Germany is also known to have rapidly completed construction of vessels, but definite information of the extent of the additions to either navy is unobtainable.

The Basis For Comparison.

The figures for construction, built and building a year ago seem to afford the best obtainable basis for a comparison of the German and British strength. According to these figures and not considering any losses, Germany would now have a total warship tonnage of 1,228,208, while that of Great Britain would be 2,591,291, or slightly more than twice that of Germany.

The losses on each side, however, have been considerable. Without including small vessels belonging to Germany which have been interned or the German battle cruisers Goeben and Breslau, which are in the war, but confined to action with the Turkish fleet, Germany has lost a total of 103,840 tons, according to the best obtainable information.

England, on the other hand, has lost 173,145 tons, or 70 per cent more than have the Germans. Deducting these losses, the present tonnage of both sides would appear to be about 2,481,156 for Great Britain and 1,124,368 for Germany.

Naval strength today, however, is largely measured in battleship strength. Assuming that battleships under construction a year ago have been completed, the probable British battleship strength, irrespective of losses, would be now 1,310,235 tons. On the same basis the German battleship strength would be 690,100 tons, or a trifle more than half that of Great Britain.

Great Britain, however, has lost three battleships—one Dreadnought, the Audacious, of 24,000 tons, and two pre-Dreadnought battleships, the Formidable and Bulwark, of 15,000 tons each, making a total loss in battleships of 54,000 tons.

Germany has lost no battleships, so that the proportion between the two on this basis is more nearly represented now by 1,256,235 for Great Britain and 690,100 for Germany.

A year ago Great Britain had seventy-two battleships built and building, while Germany had thirty built and building. Great Britain, however, is believed to have added to her list more first class ships than has Germany. Of these first class ships thirty-two of the British side were Dreadnoughts, while Germany had nineteen Dreadnoughts built and building.

Only one of the British ships lost, the Audacious, was of the Dreadnought type, so that as far as superior fighting battleships is concerned Great Britain has lost but one unit since the outbreak of the war. The loss of trained officers and men who have gone down with the British warships is considered by both American and British authorities to be a far more serious matter than the losses of the vessels themselves. The same is true with respect to the German naval losses.

The American Navy.

The superiority of the British navy over that of the United States, so far as tonnage strength is concerned, is so great that the proportion between the two has hardly been affected by the British losses. The total tonnage of the British navy, allowing for losses, is now estimated at 2,420,156 tons, while that of the United States, calculated on the same basis, is only 921,844.

The relative battleship strength of Germany and the United States has not been changed a particle by the war except as the conflict has caused Germany to hasten construction in progress and probably to begin entirely new construction.

NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy will be held at

UNION HALL

Cor. Hancock and Cottage Streets

On MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 18, 1915

At 8 o'clock

for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

In view of the great increase in the activities and usefulness of the Hospital, it is very desirable that there should be a large attendance at this meeting.

WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t

WORLD CHAOS IF RELIGION FAILS

Rev. Mr. Hudson Preaches on "Next Step After War"

Need Wiser Methods Than Those of Billy Sunday to Restore Power of God

"The next Step after the War" was the subject of Mr. Hudson's sermon at the First Parish. He said that most of those who have publicly discussed the probable outcome of the European war have dealt largely with guesses as to relocation of boundary lines and the limitations of military power which would be enforced upon the defeated or exhausted combatants.

"Few seem to realize," he said, that this war marks the end of an era of one-sided development, and that the outcome must be either world-chaos or an entire readjustment of the working ideals of civilization.

Since our own Civil war and the Franco-Prussian war in Europe the civilized world has been developing and capitalizing its material resources to a degree unknown and undreamed of in the centuries preceding At the same time the authority of the moral law, necessary to direct all this sudden accumulation of energy, has been as rapidly declining. Individual conscience among the masses has been weakened by the passing of belief in the supernatural; corporate conscience has been entirely wanting; and national conscience has been largely controlled by the selfish interests of the capitalistic class.

The world has been given over to the rule of materialism under what was supposed to be an enlightened self-interest. But selfishness, however enlightened, is still selfishness. It breeds envy, suspicion, hostility, and hate.

From such a condition among nations with conflicting interests war was inevitable, regardless of who actually began the hostilities. And no peace can be patched up which will have any permanent value which does not restore the authority of the moral law as the controlling influence both in public and in private life. This involves a profound, widespread, and intelligent revival of positive religious faith. Self-interest and materialism have shown themselves dangerous guides.

But the situation is one which requires wise and thoughtful religious leadership. The spectacular methods of "Billy Sunday" do not meet the need. They may do a little good among ignorant and undisciplined lives; but they are likely to do much more harm by their gross misinterpretation of real religion and the consequent feeling of disgust among thoughtful people.

What is needed is a more general realization among the busy men and women of the world, that the words "God" and "the Soul" represent actual, living realities, although the soul cannot be found by a surgeon with his scalpel, nor can God by discovered by an astronomer through a telescope. Gross materialism is quite as absurd as gross supernaturalism. Both have broken down in the light of present experience.

The world is ready for the restoration of religious faith upon a higher level of general intelligence. If this war is to be followed by peace, prosperity and progress, then the guilty nations must be ready to join in humble obedience to that Divine Power which under many names, has always been the guide of human destiny. We who hold the name of Christians have our great opportunity to respond to the world's present need with such earnestness and zeal that Christian ideals shall take the place of greed and selfishness and power.

DIVISION 22 INSTALLATION

County Secretary James Knox and suite installed the officers of Div. 22 A. O. H. in their hall on Copeland street, Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large number of visitors.

With the close of the ritual came speeches by Mr. Knox, State Treasurer Dennis J. Slattery, Pres. James E. Foley of Div. 3 of Randolph, Pres. John J. Donahue of Div. 5 of Quincy, Pres. Edward Finn of Div. 4 of West Quincy, Pres. Edward Shea, Past President Michael McNally, Edward J. Fegan and William Shannahan, all of Div. 17 of Atlantic.

A concert program was rendered by Richard Callahan of Quincy, John Hoey of Randolph, James Donovan of Div. 22 and Daniel Scully of Div. 4. The officers installed were:

President—James O'Dowd.
Vice President—Richard E. Barry.
Recording Secretary—Joseph J. McNealy.
Financial Secretary—James J. McDonald.
Treasurer—John S. Dolan.
Chairman of Standing Committee—John Collins.

UNITY SEWING CLUB.

The Unity Sewing Club met Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Theodore Andrews on Euclid avenue. After a short business meeting whist was enjoyed by all until 10.30. Souvenirs were won by Marion Duffy and Mrs. John Brownrick. Refreshments were served. Among the guests were Mrs. Lee. Hurley, Mrs. Philip Garity, Mrs. Charles Millett, Mr. and Mrs. George Moorehead, Miss Mary Connors, Miss Louise Connors, Miss Celia Connors and Grace Brownrick.

KARL LUDWIG HEUSER.

Karl Ludwig Heuser, 72, a retired Boston business man and a prominent German throughout the suburban district died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John O'Neil of 301 Beach street, Wollaston. Several children survive him. The funeral will take place Tuesday noon and the body will be taken to Gethsemane cemetery, West Roxbury, for burial.

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BOY CLAIMS THUGS TRIED TO ROB HIM

John Griffin Has Thrilling Adventure With Auto Bandits

Manages to Escape After Hearing Threat to "Split Him"

The fact that John Griffin, a 17 year old Phipps street boy, was held up by auto bandits within sight of his home about 11 o'clock Wednesday night and that his escape was due to his sudden dash for home when one of the party of four threatened to "split him," became known today.

The holdup of young Griffin occurred about the same time that Michael P. Frazier, the Braintree switchman, regained consciousness on Braintree Heights and found that the thieves who bundled him into an auto at Union street, South Braintree, had abandoned him after taking $86.50 and a gold watch.

Griffin's description of the man who accosted him answers that of the person who was chased from the Hultman premises on Hancock street Tuesday night. He did not get a look at the man's three companions.

Griffin first became aware of the highwaymen when he stepped out of a shadow and asked for a match. The man in a surly tone then asked: "how much money have you got?" As Griffin answered "none" the auto which up to this time had been hidden, came into view and the bandit passed along the information to its three passengers with the query "shall I split him?"

Griffin turned and dashed from the spot for home, when he heard the threat.

Griffin told no one of his experience until Sunday when he mentioned it to his associates in the Junior bowling league.

The possibility is that Griffin's waylayers and the Frazier highwaymen were the same and that they were making their way out of Braintree by a roundabout way when Griffin loomed into sight as a moonlight prospect.

Griffin has not reported to the police. He has told friends that he intended to get a permit to carry a gun.

BERMAN MAKES ASSIGNMENT

John Berman doing business under the name of the Berman Furniture Company made an assignment this morning to Benjamin A. Robinsin and Elmer L. Curtis for the benefit of their creditors.

PETITIONER IN BANKRUPTCY

Alexander D. Smith one of the granite manufacturers at South Quincy is a petitioner in bankruptcy. His liabilities are given as $3,105.59 and his assets as $394.25.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity.

Wednesday probably rain or snow, not much change in temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.12
Sun sets	4.34
Length of day	9.22
Moon rises	5.44
High water, A. M.	9.00
High water, P. M.	9.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 16 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	38 degrees
Jan. 12, 1914,	33 degrees
Jan. 12, 1913,	60 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

ICE MEN SMILE WITH DELIGHT

Local Dealers House Some Big Crops

The local ice men have been unusually fortunate this winter in housing their summer's supply of ice. Usually it is not until January, and some years not until February that they are able to house any crop. When it goes so late the dealers get so worried that they will cut their ponds even if the ice is not more than six inches thick. This winter however a long spell of cold weather in December made ice fast and almost before many were aware of it the local men had begun to fill their houses.

The Meadow Brook company, whose main pond is at South Quincy, were able to fill their house to its capacity with as handsome ice as was ever cut. It averages ten inches in thickness and is as clear as crystal. In order to store all ice possible the company raised its elevator so as to put in an additional tier, so that they now have in the vicinity of 400,000 tons. At their house in what is known as Wendell's quarry they were only able to house about half the capacity of their house, as a sudden warm spell with rain ruined the ice.

The Sheppard Ice Co. have two houses, one at East Braintree and one at South Braintree. The house at South Braintree is practically full while that at East Braintree is about half full. The men at work filling the East Braintree house when the warm spell came. The ice this year is the best for a number of years. Freezing quickly, it did not have an opportunity to accumulate any foreign matter.

The Eaton Ice company have several ponds, one on Adams street, one at West Quincy known as the Fallon pond and one near Newcomb Square. The house on Adams street is about two-thirds full and the average thickness is 12 inches. The ice made quickly and is very clear. At Newcomb Square the warm spell came beting. The Fallon pond house is ting. The Fallon pand house is filled.

A half dozen of the young women clerks at city hall occupied a box at the Boston Opera house Monday evening as the guests of Mayor Campbell.

Consider This Sale

if you contemplate buying an

AUTOMOBILE

A seven passenger Rambler car, beautiful design, and most comfortable riding car made. This car has been well taken care of and operated less than 16,000 miles or about half a year's ordinary run.

Will sell for any reasonable offer.

You can see and inspect the car at my garage No. 1230 Hancock Street, Quincy.

J. S. SWINGLE.

Jan. 9-6t

CAR MEN HOLD INSTALLATION

More Than 300 Attend Exercises Monday

A delegation of 40 members of Hyde Park branch of the Street and Electric Car Employees Union attended the installation of the officers of the Quincy division in Protection hall Monday evening. The exercises were attended by over 300 motormen, conductors and power house employees of Quincy, Braintree and Weymouth who are affiliated.

The installation was conducted by Percy P. Chamberlain, president of the Hyde Park division who was inducted into office a week ago by William Gould, president of the Quincy branch. Assisting President Chamberlain were W. O. Curtis of Hyde Park, first president of that local and at present a member of its executive board and Thomas Devine of Hyde Park, president of the Bay State Aid Society.

With the close of the exercises came speeches by the visitors and newly installed officers and an entertainment in which all participated. The affair was under the direction of a committee consisting of Frank Pitts, John J. Kelley, William Gould, C. Johnson, H. Guy.

John Mahan presided at the piano and the program included songs by Arthur W. Holmes, buck and wing dances by William Bolk and eccentric dancing by Everett Gomez. Others contributed songs and dancing and refreshments were served.

The officers installed:

President—William H. Gould.
Vice President—James A. Carey.
Financial Sec. and Treas.—H. G. Johnson.
Recording Secretary—J. J. Kelley.
Warden—James Sullivan.
Conductor—J. F. Wade.
Sentinel—George Imlay.
Executive board—F. Pitts and G. W. Fay of Quincy; M. N. Mullen, J. S. Sullivan of East Weymouth; J. Burke and G. T. Sprague of Braintree.
Sick committee—J. Gilmartin, R. E. Harris of Quincy, G. W. Jones and F. Locke, East Weymouth.
Due Collector—J. E. Connolly of Quincy, P. W. Kearns of East Weymouth, J. Drummeg of Braintree.
Auditors—Thomas Forrest of Quincy, O. L. Soule of East Weymouth.
Correspondent to Journal—J. H. Allen.

FIX UPON DATE OF PARISH REUNION

The members of St. Johns parish who are arranging for the annual reunion to be held in Music hall held their second preliminary meeting in the basement of the church Monday evening and voted to hold the affair on the evening of Feb. 11. Several committees were extended and tickets were distributed.

Fr. Michael J. Owens, pastor presided and all present discussed the plans. The souvenir committee was increased by the addition of Miss Gertrude Carroll, Miss Jane Griffin, Mrs. Joseph Keating, Miss Elizabeth Dunn

TO THE REVELS.

The Revels! Friday evening of this week at Music hall. Don't miss the fun! The coronation ceremony is a brilliant sight, the costumes historically correct. The procession is a gorgeous pageant, resplendant in beauty and richness.

The huge cake is baked a rich, golden brown. It is delicious. The refreshments are ordered—the quality is the best that can be had and the quantity sufficient for the large assemblage.

Needles are flying in and out preparing costumes. Many are being made at home. Attic and trunks are being searched for old uniforms and gowns.

Tickets are selling rapidly. Young and old are interested in the Revels. Come and join in our revels, our sports and our songs! Frolic and be gay! Turn back the hand of time for just one night. Next week's work will be easier for one play day.—Adv.

HARMONY RULES AT CONFERENCE

Mayor Curley Favors Bridge Over Neponset

The conference Monday of Mayor Campbell, Senator Langeiier, County Commissioner Merrill and Representatives Sandberg and Ericson with Mayor Curley in relation to a new bridge over the Neponset river between Neponset and Quincy was an harmonious one and will doubtless be productive of good results.

Up to this year Mayor Curley has not been strongly in favor of a new bridge and the matter last year in the legislature failed to pass mainly it is said on account of his objection. At Monday's hearing however Mayor Curley was in favor of building a new bridge this year and if built that it shall be a substantial and ornamental structure.

This bridge will be the connecting link between the Old Colony boulevard on the Boston side and the Quincy Shore Reservation on the Quincy side and this is the reason why Mayor Curley desires that a substantial and ornamental structure should be built. The cost of such a structure is estimated at $400,000 and the only question now is how the bridge shall be paid for. It is understood that the cost under the original bill was apportioned between the City of Boston, the City of Quincy, Counties of Suffolk, Plymouth and Norfolk and the Street Railway Co.

At Monday's conference it was thought that as the Metropolitan Park Commission was directly interested in the project it should bear a part of the expense and before adjourning it was arranged that the parties at Monday's conference should meet with the Metropolitan Park Commissioners Thursday for a conference on the matter. At this same time the matter of a bridge over Black's creek in Quincy will also be taken up.

BATTLE OVER WILSON ESTATE

Atty. Wilson Sues Stepmother For $10,000

A suit in equity brought by Charles H. Wilson, a lawyer, against his stepmother, Sarah E. Wilson, to recover as administrator of the estate of his father, Charles Wilson of Quincy, 50 shares of stock, worth $10,000, he alleges she induced his father while of unsound mind to convey to her, went on trial Monday in the Pemberton Square court, Boston in the equity session before Judge Wait.

The late Mr. Wilson was a general contractor who resided in Quincy and died April 8, 1913. He left an estate worth $60,000. His first wife died in 1896, leaving one son, the complainant.

He married his second wife, Miss Sarah E. Whiting, in 1898, some fifteen years ago. She is well known in Quincy making her home before her marriage with her sister Mrs. Francis F. Brewer with whom she has also resided since the death of Mr. Wilson.

On April 4, 1912, it is alleged the late Mr. Wilson called Henry M. Faxon, treasurer of the Quincy Electric Light & Power Company, to his house through a letter, that when he arrived Wilson transferred 50 shares of stock of that company he held to his second wife, and said to Faxon, it is alleged, "I want you to keep this quiet, and particularly not to let my son know of it." The son seeks to set aside this transfer.

The A. O. U. B. of the Universalist church goes to Cambridge tonight to attend the rally meeting to be held there. An election of officers will take place and Lester Sprague of this city is a candidate for the secretaryship.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

CLAN MacGREGOR HAS BIG TIME

Installation Ceremonies Followed By Social Session

Clan MacGregor installed officers Monday evening. Royal Secretary Peter Kerr acted as installing officer and inducted into office the following clansmen who are to serve for 1915:

Chief, Wm. Cantlay; Tanist, Chas. Nicol; Chaplain, John Bissett; Cor. Sec., Angus Kerr; Fin. Sec., Walter Mitchell; Treas., Alex W. Russell; Physician, Dr. John McLeod; Sen. Henchman, Robert McDonald; Jun. Henchman, Norman Ross; Senescal, David McIntosh; Warden, Wm. McIntosh; Sentinel, Alex Phillips; Pianist, Geo. Thomson; Thos. Johnston, Trustee; David Drummond, Auditor.

After the installation ceremonies were performed, coffee, sandwiches and cigars were passed and a social session was enjoyed, clansmen contributing speeches, songs and stories to the evening's entertainment.

Clansman Alex Cowe reported that the Burns Memorial Association had been incorporated and were doing business. The membership in this organization costs $1 per year or $5 for a life membership. It has for its purpose the erection of a suitable memorial to the memory of Scotland's great poet, Robert Burns.

Chairman Drummond of the auditing committee gave his report, and on January 1, 1915, Clan MacGregor had a balance of $10,169.

The amusement committee reported that the New Year's entertainment had been a complete success and a substantial sum had been added to the income for 1915.

The Clan adjourned at 11.15 and Chief Cantlay was congratulated on his excellent way in presiding over the very large meeting which attended the clan moot.

MUST HAVE STEEL FIRE ESCAPES

Chief Billings Orders Destroying of Wooden Escapes

Chief Billing this morning notified the proprietor of the Waverly house at 577, 575 and 573 Washington street that they must tear down the wooden fire escape on the building and replace it with a steel fire escape. The proprietors of the house have thirty days in which to comply with the order. Chief Billings said that the building was one of four floors and accommodated 22 boarders.

The chief also notified the parties occupying the property at 581, 581A and 581B Washington street, owned by the Benjamin Johnson heirs, that they must build a fire proof room in which to keep their paints and oil. The chief said that they were keeping paints and oils on the first floor and they were notified verbally that they would have thirty days in which to build a fire proof room.

Legal notice will be served on both parties this afternoon by a constable.

HARRY BLOCK.

Harry Block, a 20 year old Jewish resident of Quincy, died at the Quincy City Hospital this morning after a short illness from typhoid fever. He was a shoemaker by trade, and boarded at 144 Quincy street. His funeral was held this afternoon and burial was in Beth Abraham cemetery, West Roxbury.

The annual meeting of the July Fourth Celebration Committee will be held this evening.

SOPHIE HIGGINS, A. L. C. M.

Diplomas and Medal

From London College of Music

Pianoforte and Theory

54 Broadway Quincy

Jan. 11-3t

CITY COUNCIL IN LIVELY DEBATE

Offer Order Appropriating $11,000 for Autos for Fire Department

Down Motion Taking Power of Renewing Notes Away from City Clerk

A clean, intelligent and lively debate on the order authorizing the city treasurer to borrow $500,000 in anticipation of taxes marked Monday night's meeting of the city council as one of the most interesting in a long time and made it clear that the city council of 1915 is to guard zealously its rights, and that any order involving appropriations will be considered carefully before it is passed.

The finance committee reported ought to pass on the order, which report was accepted. Councilman Smith then offered an amendment to order which brought about the debate. Under the original order the city treasurer if he saw fit could replace any of his outstanding temporary notes by issuance of new notes. That is to say, the treasurer was given the power of renewal without coming to the city council for authority. This is the form in which the temporary loan orders for several years have been passed.

Councilman Smith's amendment struck out the clauses relating to renewal which made it necessary for the city treasurer to come to the council for authority to renew notes.

In presenting his amendment Councilman Smith said: "I do not want to tie the hands of the Mayor for I have the highest regard for his honor and the treasurer. This order which was prepared by the city's fiscal agent is practically the same as last year. It allows the treasurer without the assent of the council to renew notes. I believe that the city treasurer should confer with the council before renewing notes. One of the most important rights of the city council is the dictating the loan order and we should guard it zealously. In October and November of last year the treasurer renewed $125,000 temporary notes without consulting the council. Any information in the hands of city officials pertaining to financial matters should be known by the city council. If the treasurer has to issue new notes the council ought to know it. If the council of last year had known the condition of the finances it might have made a difference with some of the salary increases. This amendment simply means that temporary notes can not be renewed without telling us."

Councilman Griffin asked if the council should pass the order with the amendment whether the Old Colony Trust Co., the fiscal agent, would approve it.

City Auditor Fairbanks replied that it would bind the treasurer hand and foot, but he hardly thought it would make any difference to the Old Colony Trust Co.

Councilman Thompson asked if the amendement was accepted if there was anything other to do than for the treasurer to issue his temporary notes for one year, to which the auditor replied in the negative.

Continuing City Auditor Fairbanks said "It is the opinion of the state recess committee that the first notes issued should be short time notes, which could be used as a club over the tax collector to get in taxes."

Councilman Thompson said he saw no reason for the amendment.

Councilman Beeman could see no advantages in the amendment.

Councilman Richards said: "There is no good reason why the order as reported should not pass. Under the amendment the treasurer would have to issue notes for a long time, regardless of the state of the money market. If the treasurer had a right to renew he could take advantage of the money market."

Councilman McDonald could not see why it violated any confidence to pass the order. The renewing of notes should be left to the mayor and treasurer.

Councilman McGrath: "If we vote this Old Colony Trust order we are surrendering our rights. We as a city council want to guard our rights zealously. We do not want to delegate our prerogatives to the city treasurer. I can see no reason why he should not come to the council when he wants renewals. I believe the legislature in forming the loan clause had it in mind to prevent just this thing. I want to uphold the mayor but shall hold to what little authority we have."

Councilman Craig believed in the amendment. The treasurer should not have the power of renewal without coming to the council.

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GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R. F. CLAFLIN Clerk.
Jan. 12-7t

Masquerade Costumes
FOR RENT
$1.00 and Upwards
MRS. R. E. WOODWARD
155 Billings Road
Norfolk Downs Car. Norfolk Downs
7-6t

The Quincy Whist Club

Whist Parties every Wednesday evening, Union Hall, Alpha Hall block, Tickets 25 cents. Suitable souvenirs given 11-2t.

CABARET SHOW
AND
DANCING PARTY
Under Auspices
Quincy Lodge of Elks
MUSIC HALL
Wednesday Evening, Jan 13
Artists of exceptional ability will appear
Cabaret 8 to 10. Dancing 10 to 12
Beautiful Souvenirs for Ladies
Tables Seat 4 — Tickets $1.00 each
Admission to balcony 50 cents
Light Refreshments
Jan. 11-2t

REVEL TICKETS

MAY BE OBTAINED OF

MRS. A. E. AVERY
CARROLL BILL
MRS. P. R. BLACKMUR
MRS. W. H. DOBLE
MRS. SIDNEY HARDWICK
MRS. N. S. HUNTING
MRS. E. E. JAMESON
MRS. J. H. JOHNSON
DELCEVARE KING
MRS. H. H. KITSON
MISS GERTRUDE LACEY
MISS GEORGIANA C. LANE
MRS. J. I. LITCHFIELD
MISS MAUDE MacFARLANE
MRS. J. D. MACKAY
MRS. FRANK J. MOORE
MISS BEATRICE MORRISON
MRS. FRANK A. PAGE
MRS. A. M. PARKER
GEORGE E. PFAFFMANN
MISS HARRIET B. PIERCE
MISS ANNIE L. PRESCOTT
MRS. A. D. ROPES
MRS. C. R. SAFFORD
WINSLOW SEARS
MRS. J. O. SHORT
MISS GRACE WHEELER

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INVESTING IN SAVINGS BANKS.

Interest is being expressed in the coming one hundredth anniversary of the first American savings bank, which was started 98 years ago in Philadelphia. These banks have had a marvellous growth, with deposits today totaling nearly five billions of money.

The development of savings banks is a matter of great public importance from the fact that so many people know so little about securities. If small investors lose their little capital, they conclude that they might just as well spend their money and get the good of it, as to lay it away only to see it lost by dishonesty or incompetence. This discourages thrift, reduces the supply of loanable capital, restricts the development of the country, besides causing no end of personal suffering.

Some people have the easy impression that anything bearing the title of Savings Bank is sound and secure. Unfortunately the laws and financial practice of the various states vary greatly. The banks in one state may be sound and solid, while right over the border there may be loose laws and perfunctory inspections.

The savings bank near home is apt to be the safest investment. It comes down largely to a case of the personality of the men. Any intelligent workingman can form a general impression as to the ability and efficiency of the officers in charge of a bank in his own neighborhood. A small bank near home, handled by men of prudence and common sense, is a safer risk for the small investor than some bigger institution miles away. The distant bank may have grander pillars and finer marble. But it may be in the hands of financiers who are playing the stock market, or who have large and hopeless ideas about doubtful securities.

NEED BETTER CLERKS.

Before the "Trade at Home" slogan can be really effective the clerks in some of the local stores will have to take a lesson in salesmanship. It has been remarked repeatedly about several well-known stores in Quincy centre that the clerks are inefficient and decidedly unaccommodating. A shopper entered a store lately and asked for some suggestions on a certain line of goods. The clerk ungraciously put upon the counter a few samples without explanation of price or other items to interest the buyer, and then went on chewing an apple and gazing out into the street. That buyer was later heard to remark that she would never go in that store again, although it was the only store where she could get the particular kind of thing she wanted. She is unfortunately not alone in such an experience here. A little graciousness, a little interest in the buyer's wants, means that the customer will go away satisfied and tell some one about her success in Quincy's stores, will send others there, and will try there again herself. The opposite attitude means injury to the reputation of the store, the falling off of trade and prosperity.

Patrolman Mulvihill of the Metropolitan police force is a hero, and like many others was wholly unappreciated at the time of his heroic act. The spectators of his daring dive into icy waters to save a skater's life, utterly disregarded him, and didn't even help him after he had pushed the boy onto safe ice. He saved two men, then had to save himself unaided.

A new form of compliment to a new mayor of a new city was given by ten Italians who serenaded Mayor Curtis of Revere with excellent singing accompanied by half a dozen mandolins and guitars.

Congratulations to the Revere Journal on its enterprising, interesting, and well printed City inaugural number.

The Ledger would like to hear from some one who could write Wollaston news items such as personals, afternoon social affairs, etc., each day for the paper. Good pay on space to the right one either man or woman.

SCISSORS PASTE

NOT YET.

The Argentine paper, Critica, publishes a cartoon showing Napoleon in convict's garb, waking up one morning at St. Helena. Beside his bed is an empty bed. As he arouses himself and notices the empty bed he says to the attendant, "Hasn't William arrived yet?"—Milford Gazette.

A Boston school teacher, and a woman, too, gives utterance to a sentiment regarding amusements in Boston which is interesting and worth considering. She says: "The public is amusement-mad. It merely wants its senses tickled. Don't require it to think outside of business hours; and other thinking hurts. It is like the college graduate who said, 'I don't want to read anything about Socialism, it might unsettle me, for I wish to be comfortable in my mind.' That is an increasingly common attitude in Boston. Let us laugh and be comfortable."—Jamaica Plain News.

WANTS ANOTHER TAX.

If our town fathers want to do something real handsome, let them tax every car, bike and carriage in town at least $1.00 a year, and let the money be expended toward keeping the roads in repair; and every one of the users of the above "pleasure coaxers" will rise up and call them blessed.—Bryantville News.

IS THE U. S. ASLEEP.

"What is the matter with the United States?"

As I have been residing in London since the beginning of the war, I have been hearing this question asked on all sides. I have never heard any satisfactory answer. No one seems to know. Why are the American factories not running night and day? Why are the railroads not opening up new territories and getting ready for the millions of immigrants who have already made up their minds to leave Europe as soon as the war is over?

Why are there not fifty American drummers in London now trying to sell $200,000,000 worth of American goods in place of the goods that were bought last year from Germany and Austria?

Why have advertisers become quitters, just at the time when their advertisements were most needed and most effective in cheering on the business forces of the United States?

From the European point of view, the United States is a haven of peace and security and prosperity. It has no troubles that it dare mention to Belgium or Austria or France or Germany or Servia or Great Britain or Russia.

Every tenth Briton has enlisted. Every tenth Frenchman is at the front. Every tenth Belgian is dead. What does the United States know of trouble?

If I could afford it, I would charter the Mauretania and Lusitania, and convey a party of 5000 American advertisers to Europe for a trip of education. I would give them a week in London, a week in Paris, and a week in Antwerp.

I would let them look at the United States from the scene of war, I would give them a look at Real Trouble. I would let them see trains, ten at a time, five minutes apart, packed with the maimed and the dying.

I would let them hear, from fragmentary survivors, the incredible story of battlefields 150 miles wide, and armies that are greater than the entire population of Texas.

I would let them see graves 100 yards long and, full, and Belgium, the country that was, nothing now but 12,000 square miles of wreckage.

Then, when they began to understand, to some slight extent, the magnitude and awfulness of this war, I would say to them:

"Now go back and appreciate the United States. Realize your opportunities. Don't start digging trenches when nobody is firing at you. Don't fall down when you have not been hit. Don't be blind to the most glorious chance you have ever had in your life.

"Go back and advertise. Get ready for the most tremendous business boom that any nation ever had. Build your factories bigger. Train more salesman. Borrow more money. Go ahead, and thank God that you are alive and that your family is alive, and that you are living in a land that is at peace, at a time when nearly the whole world is at war."—Pilgrim Publicity.

KRUPP GUN WORKS.

Daughter of the Founder Present Owner and View In the Immense Factory.



campaign. Marshal von Hindenberg is described as leader of the movement to muzzle the emperor, making the kaiser's non-intervention the condition upon which he would retain command in the east.

The Mail's informant also says that the German government is on the point of issuing a huge new war loan.

MAY WELCOME BELGIANS

Cuba Considering Advisability of Offering Them a Home

The Cuban government is considering the advisability of offering inducements to some of the homeless Belgian families to emigrate to and establish new homes in Cuba, according to Dr. Zayas, Cuban minister to Belgium.

Zayas said he had been called home to consult with the Cuban authorities on the subject and he was prepared to furnish statistics as to the possible number who might immigrate and their qualifications in agriculture and other enterprises.

ABANDON EGYPT CAMPAIGN

Turks Feel Unable to Try Conclusions With Foreign Troops

The Turkish campaign against Egypt has been defintely abandoned. Advices reaching Athens say that because of the landing of the troops in Syria, which threaten their communications, the Turkish expedition intended for Egypt has been recalled.

The situation of the Turks in Bagdad is reported to be deplorable.

SUFFRAGE FIGHT IS ON

Strong Effort to Bring Out Vote of Every Congressman Today

Washington, Jan. 12.—The big fight begun in the house today on the Mondell resolution giving nation-wide suffrage to women.

The congressional committee of the national association apportioned the time among the advocates of the resolution, who will have three hours to argue for it.

The congressional committee is laboring unceasingly to bring out every favorable vote and to register the opinion of every man in congress.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Comery Arraigned on Charge of Killing Wife With Poison

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 12.—Oscar Comery was arraigned in the superior court on the charge of murdering his wife, Bertha C. Comery, whose body was exhumed a month after her death.

Comery pleaded not guilty. The indictment sets forth that on Nov. 29 last he administered to his wife a capsule containing poison.

IS NO LIGHTWEIGHT

Three-Year Prison Term For Man Who Weighs 442 Pounds

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 12.—William D. Barker of Peterboro, arraigned in the superior court on three counts of larceny in that he stole and sold lumber worth about $1000, was sentenced to the house of correction for one year on each charge.

Barker is said to be the largest prisoner ever arraigned in this court. He weighs 442 pounds.

Baseball Team For Sale

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 12.—The Lowell team of the New England league will change hands before the season of 1915 begins. A. F. Roach and J. J. Kennedy, the owners, announced their holdings for sale.

Doctor's Auto Kills Boy

Boston, Jan. 12.—Seven-year-old John Murphy was killed by an automobile owned and operated by Dr. Frank S. Garrett at Chelsea.

DOUBLE WEDDING AT CITY HALL

City Clerk Marries Brother and Sister

A double marriage, in which brother and sister were bride and groom was performed at City Hall Monday by City Clerk Emery L. Crane. It was the second double ceremony at which he has officiated since he was appointed to office.

The contracting parties were Gustave Rosenbek, 24 years, a machinist, and Sarah Gugig, 24 years, a dress maker, and her brother Benjamin L. Gugig, 21 years and Yetta Feinstern, 19 years.

When their intentions were filed Monday they gave Austria as their birthplace. Judge Avery rather than interrupt their plans because of their ignorance of the law, set aside the five day law.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The debating club of the high school Friday afternoon elected its officers for the remainder of the school year. Kenneth D. Johnson, '15 was re-elected president. The other officers are vice president, Byron Bentley, '16; secretary-treasurer, Eugene Fanning '18. The club voted to send the following question to Brockton. "Resolved that European immigration to the U. S. should not be further restricted." On Jan. 22 there will be a trial debate to pick the team.

The Cunningham Gym basket ball team added another victory to its long list Saturday evening when it defeated the Sargent club team of New Bedford. 26—6.

Brackett Parsons, Clarence Carlson, Ross Doherty, Kenneth D. Johnson, Langdon Parsons and Paul Crowell, all of East Milton, attended the annual re-union and banquet of Camp Durrel, Saturday evening in Kingsley hall. "Lang" Parsons was presented with the senior championship tennis cup.

The Ladies Aid Auxiliary of the East Congregational church is to hold a sale Saturday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Miss Edith Cross of Bates road entertained a party of friends Saturday evening at her home.

The High School hockey team met defeat Saturday afternoon in its first game of the season at the hands or Arlington High team, the score being 8—1, in the visitor's favor. The home boys lacked fundamental knowledge of the game and showed that they were sorely in need of some sound practice.

MAYOR CONGRATULATES REVERE

Extends His Best Wishes To New Born City.

The city of Revere has received a letter from Mayor Campbell of this city congratulating upon its reading "the age of maturity" as a full fledged city.

The letter reads as follows:

Revere has reached the age of maturity. On the new year it will blossom forth into full manhood of a city government. It will be confronted with all the serious problems of municipal life and the duties of your Chief Executive, Mr. Arthur B. Curtis, will be most exacting. If the citizens of Revere wish to obtain a greater measure of prosperity and happiness in the initial year of municipal life they should strive in every way possible to co-operate with Mayor Curtis and the different branches of the city government. With its wonderful seashore, Revere has great possibilities in the future. It is now known as one of our greatest summer resorts, but in years to come it will attract thousands of families now living in the congested sections of Boston, who will seek a more attractive place to live. You will have the opportunity of profiting by the mistakes of other cities and plan well in advance for this great influx of people. I cordially extend to your Chief Executive and the people of your city my most sincere wishes for a happy and prosperous year in the babyhood of your city government.

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"OPIUM QUEEN" IN TOILS

Held In Connection With $25,000 Smuggling Scheme

New York, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Sophia Ghee, known to the police as "The Opium Queen," was taken from her stateroom on the steamer Philadelphia, when the vessel docked here, and arrested as the guiding genius of a band of alleged opium smugglers, of whom eleven men previously had been locked up. The warrant under which she was arrested charges conspiracy to smuggle opium into the United States.

Mrs. Ghee is of English birth and Austrian parentage, and the wife of Chow Ghee, a Chinese living in Liverpool. She sailed from New York Dec. 23 for Liverpool. A day later evidence was found upon which the warrant was issued.

The federal authorities notified Scotland Yard and when Mrs. Ghee reached Liverpool she was sent back to this city on the technical grounds that she was an undesirable alien.

Edwin M. Stanton, United States district attorney, who arrested her, said the government was prepared to prove she was responsible for the distribution of $25,000 worth of opium throughout the United States.

ONE WAY TO SAVE MONEY

Pennsylvania Town Is Guarded by a One-Armed Policeman

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 12.—South Connellsville's council has hit on a novel method of saving $20 a month for the taxpayers.

The borough will be guarded hereafter by a one-armed policeman, R. C. Hartman, who assured the council he could protect the citizens at $40 a month just as well as his predecessor, who received $60 and who had a full complement of arms. Hartman was one of seven competitors for the job.

The council jumped at the chance to effect a saving of $20 a month, and placed entire confidence in the ability of Hartman's right arm to catch all breakers of the law.

BLEASE DISBANDS THE STATE MILITIA

New Executive Will Reorganize South Carolina Guard

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 12.—The organized militia of South Carolina was disbanded by an order signed by Governor Blease.

Friction to which Blease referred in his order disbanding the militia arose two years ago, and, according to reports of Adjutant General Moore, resulted in a marked deterioration in the troops' efficiency.

The cause of the controversy between Blease and Moore was said to have been the result of the governor's refusal to sign some official papers presented by the adjutat general.

The secretaries of war and the navy became parties to the controversy, according to official statements, when the accounting for about $100,000 worth of federal property, which the departments claimed had been lost and destroyed by the militia organizations, was held up.

The situation became further complicated when the governor refused to permit the militia to participate in the annual encampment ordered by the war department.

Moore will go to Washington to confer with war department officials over reorganization of the troops when Governor Blease's term expires Jan. 19.

NO SCARCITY OF HELP

"Ad" Brings Four Thousand People to an Unoccupied Factory

Providence, Jan. 12.—A want advertisement for help at an unoccupied factory in a suburb of Providence caused so many persons to go to the factory that policemen were called to maintain order. It is estimated that 4000 men and women applied for work.

The advertisement was inserted by a business man who plans to manufacture clothing. He said he wished to learn whether he could obtain sufficient help without trouble.

INAUGURAL IS MARRED

One Man Probably Fatally Injured at Ceremony In Ohio

Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—The inaugural ceremonies when Frank B. Willis was sworn in as governor of Ohio were marred by the explosion of a balloon bomb in which Colonel Zwerner, state arsenal keeper, was probably fatally injured.

The bomb, which was being fired by a squad of militiamen, exploded prematurely. One side of Zwerner's face was torn away. Surgeons say his chances for recovery are very slight.

Doctor a Probable Suicide

Bangor, Me., Jan. 12.—Dr. William E. Walker of West Charleston was found dead with a bullet wound in his heart. As he had been in ill-health and despondent it was believed he committed suicide.

The Feminine Gender.

Teacher—What is a fort? Pupil—A place for soldiers to live in. Teacher—Correct. And what is a fortress? Pupil—A place for soldiers' wives to live in.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy will be held at

UNION HALL

Cor. Hancock and Cottage Streets

On MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 18, 1915

At 8 o'clock

for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

In view of the great increase in the activities and usefulness of the Hospital, it is very desirable that there shou'd be a large attendance at this meeting.

WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t

FAKE TELEPHONE INSPECTOR.

Telephone Subscribers Should Be On Guard.

Telephone subscribers are warned to look out for a fake telephone inspector who is visiting subscribers claiming to be looking for trouble. The first case reported to the company comes from Braintree where a young man apparently about 24 years of age, well dressed and of pleasing manner knocked at the door of the home of Mrs. A. A. Maxham of 24 French avenue.

He informed her that he was a telephone inspector. Entering the house he tried to have Mrs. Maxham leave him so that he might work alone, and suggested that she remain upstairs while he was at work down stairs. Mrs. Maxham became suspicious, however, and persisted in following the fellow about. Finding that he could not shake her, he said "I guess there is no trouble here," and left. Mrs. Maxham immediately called the telephone exchange and reported the incident.

Mr. Scott, the commercial agent, says that telephone subscribers should be careful about admitting men who claim to be inspectors into their homes. Every authorized inspector is supplied with an official badge, bearing the words "Inspector, New England Telephone & Telegraph Co." If the man cannot show such a badge he should not be admitted to the house on any consideration.

Not True to Her Word.



Mother—Remember, I've told you that if you do that again I shall whip you, and I always keep my promises.

Little Jimmie—Huh! I've heard you tell dad a lot of times that you'd never speak to him again.—Philadelphia Press.

Use the Newspapers.

Don't advertise on trees or rocks
Afar from haunts of men.
You cannot sell the Woodchuck clocks
Or pictures for his den.

The squirrel may observe your sign
About your cure for chills,
And on it he may try to dine,
But that won't pay your bills.

The possum buys no breakfast foods,
We may as well confess.
So if you want to sell your goods
You'd better use the press.

—New York Mail.

CLICK! AND SLEEPER IS SHOT OUT OF BED.

Brooklyn High School Boy Invents Early Rising Scheme.

"Well, dad, if you keep on getting toasters and broilers and things like that you will soon be getting out of bed by electricity." This remark, made by his sister Anna, stuck in the mind of Harry Stieglitz, 200 Brooklyn avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., and a junior at Dartmouth, for many days after his Thanksgiving visit to his home.

Stieglitz used to be captain of the eleven at Boys' high and was accustomed to puzzle his way through difficult situations. Added to this faculty, he has part of a course in electrical engineering.

Resolved to make his sister's jest a reality, he procured a folding cot for his room at college, some powerful springs and some wire and a couple of dry cells. With the addition of an old alarm clock he devised a method whereby he actually does his getting up by electricity.

At 6 o'clock in the morning what used to be the alarm goes off. Instead of the soul wrenching jangle of the tattoo bell, however, only a click comes from the clock itself. The click is the audible evidence that a circuit has been closed, and the next thing that happens is that the coil springs at the back of the bed are released by a trigger electrically pulled. The springs fly out to their full length, the back of the bed flies up, and young Stieglitz finds himself more or less wide awake upon the floor. His instructors are reporting no more absences from his early lectures, for even if the shock of landing on the floor is not enough to wake him up the bed requires the services of two men to restore it to a horizontal position, and the work of rousing some one to help level his couch is enough to finish the waking process.

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LEADER IN FIELD OF EDUCATION

Quincy School To Send Exhibit To Panama Exposition

Industrial and Vocational Course at High School one of Best

Quincy schools will play a part at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco which wil be played by the schools of only two other cities in the state. An exhibit of the work in the part-time co-operative course at the Quincy high school has been arranged at the direction of the state Department of Education and will be shipped West next week as part of the Massachusetts display in the Palace of Education at San Francisco.

The exposition authorities asked the Massachusetts Department of Education to send an exhibit of vocational and industrial school work in this state which should show educators of other states visiting the exposition how Massachusetts leads in this important field of public education.

C. T. C. Whitcomb principal of the Brockton High school who was chosen to arrange for the exhibit selected Quincy as one of the exhibitors. Some idea of the importance of the work in Quincy may be gleaned when it is known that the earnings of the 52 boys in the half time classes last year totalled about $12,505.

Quincys scheme is that the boys work one week at one of the following manufacturies; Couch Telephone Co., Boston Gear Works, at the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation. The alternate week they attend school.

The exhibit to be forwarded to the exposition includes photographs showing work in all departments of the industrial school, including pictures of the boys at work in the shops at the three manufactories named and also in the industrial school. The photographs also show the problem upon which the boys are working and there are a series of charts showing the complete course of study from the time they enter the school until they graduate as finished journeymen.

The photographs show the work both in the process of manufacture and some of the finished product. The other two cities which it is understood have been selected from which to obtain exhibits are Beverly and Fitchburg.

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OFFICIALS MUM AT FORE RIVER

Refuse to Deny Story In Ledger Monday

No information regarding the contract for 10 submarines received at the Fore River shipyard, supposedly from Great Britain can be obtained today from the officials of the company but it is generally believed that work on all ten will be underway within a few days.

Frames were set for four Monday, as announced in the Ledger. The contract will probably total about $11,000,000 and is the second largest order ever placed here. The engines will probably be built at the plant of the Electric Boat Co., at Groton, Conn., and will be shipped here for installation.

It has been stated in official circles that the mere filling of an order will not constitute a violation of neutrality since it is understood that no attempt will be made to ship until after the war.

POPULAR COUPLE ARE MARRIED

Miss Anna Granahan Weds John Buckley

Miss Anna Gertrude Granahan and John Joseph Buckley, popular residents of this city, were married Monday evening at the Sacred Heart parish house.

The ceremony was performed by Fr. Thomas W. Buckley of Lowell, brother of the groom, and among those present were Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, pastor of St. Mary's parish and Fr. J. P. Cuffe, pastor of Sacred Heart parish.

Miss Nellie Granahan, sister of the bride was her attendant and John McLaughlin of Bates avenue was best man.

After a reception at the bride's home, Mr. and Mrs. Buckley left on a honeymoon trip to Washington, D. C. On their return they will live at Williams street, Dorchester.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Granahan of 38 Walker street, Atlantic, and the groom is the son of Edward Buckley of Bates avenue. The bride is a popular member of the Sacred Heart parish. Mr. Buckley is a salesman for the Goodrich Rubber Co. and until a few years ago was recognized as the best all round basket ball player in Quincy.

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MAYOR FILLS MINOR OFFICES

Mayor Campbell today announced the following minor appointments:

SPECIAL POLICE.
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Thomas J. Fallon, Jr.
David L. Gordon
William J. DeCoste
Edward J. Sandberg
Henry J. Matthews
Joseph R. O'Neil
Lawrence J. Galvin
George F. Hollinshead
Edward J. Martell
Malcolm C. Stewart

FENCE VIEWERS
Frank Fessenden Crane
John A. Duggan
John Evans

POUND KEEPER
William J. Vaughan

OLNEY GUEST OF HONOR

Dedham Gives Banquet to Congressman-Elect

Over 300 residents of Dedham tendered a reception to their townsmen, Congressman-elect Richard Olney, 2d. of Dedham, in Memorial hall Monday evening. Men prominent in public life paid high tribute to Mr. Olney. A brilliant career as the representative of the 14th representative district was predicted for him.

He was presented a silver salver by his townsmen as a token of the esteem in which they hold him; he was tendered the good wishes of his neighbors, his town and his State by their official representatives, and he was given some advice by Dedham men who have held the seat in Congress before him—Judge Frederick Ely, who was Congressman from Dedham 30 years ago and George Fred Williams, who was the Representative 24 years ago.

EDWARD S. GRIFFIN.

Edward S. Griffin, the only brother of Mrs. Agnes G. Fletcher of Garfield street, Quincy, died at Melrose Hospital Monday after a five weeks illness.

Mr. Griffin was born in Wollaston 51 years ago. He is survived by his widow and three children. His funeral will take place Wednesday at Melrose and burial will be in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Many Quincy friends of Mrs. Fletcher are today extending her their sympathies.

SITS ON PLATFORM.

Mayor Campbell Attends Council Meeting.

Mayor Campbell was an interested spectator at Monday night's meeting of the city council, occupying a seat on the raised platform at the right of President Whiton. This seat has always been reserved for the executive but up to this year the executives have preferred to occupy one of the seats reserved for the city officials.

PRIDE OF QUINCY LODGE.

Installation Conducted By District Deputy.

District Deputy Joseph Szathmary installed the officers of Pride of Quincy lodge I. O. B. A. in their hall on School street. Those installed were:

Past President, George Schwartz.
President, Joseph Halter.
Vice President, A. S. Berkowitz.
Financial Secretary, H. Grobarsky.
Recording Secretary, Jacob Grossman.
Treasurer, A. Herwitz.
Inside Guard, David Lubarsky.
Conductor, Louis Stone.
Trustees, Ben Mason, H. Edelstein, S. Fleishman.

CLUB PRESENTS HANDBAG.

The members of the Amity Whist club presented Mrs. Roselia Wardwell of Miller Stile road with a seal hand bag Monday in recognition of her birthday. In the evening they were the guests of Mrs. Wardwell at the Kincaide theatre.

☞Miss Annie L. Prescott has $1.00, also the 75 cent tickets for "The Revels" for those in costume and also balcony seats at $1.00 each. Tickets are in great demand this year as every one seems to be going to "The Revels" either to take part or look on.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The annual dance of the Corinthian club will be held Friday evening.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Board of Trade will be held Wednesday evening.

All is ready for the elks big cabaret show at Music Hall Wednesday evening.

Queen Esther Circle of the Hall Place M. E. church will give an entertainment Wednesday evening.

Miss Eva O. Wheeler of Wollaston has been visiting Miss Adelaide L Day of Beverly Farms.

Louis K. Liggett of the United Drug Co. will be the principal speaker Friday evening at the Men's Forum at Park and Downs church.

George E. Allen, clerk of St Chrysostoms church is ill at his home on Hamilton street. He is suffering from congestion of the lungs.

Albert W. Fay, of Wollaston, who suffered a slight shock Saturday is reported as being improved this morning.

Russell Rich of Squantum has returned from a four months business trip to Canada. He is enjoying the best of health.

Mayor Campbell left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Providence, where he will be tendered a complimentary banquet this evening by his old friends and bicycle riders of that city.

The Dramatic Club of the Marblehead high school is rehearsing the play "Sally Lunn," which was given a few weeks ago at Bethany church by the choir girls.

The meeting of the Delta Sigma club which was to have been held Monday evening at the home of Miss Juanita Metherall was postponed on account of the illness of her father John Metherall.

Joseph Sullivan, whose left foot was badly crushed Tuesday at the Fore River shipyard by a bar of iron weighing nearly a ton is slowly recovering at his home in South Weymouth.

The elementary grade teachers of the Coddington school are rehearsing amateur theatricals to be given in April, in the school hall. Miss Mabel Lovejoy, Miss Mary C. Parker, Miss Olive Munster and Miss Cassandra Thayer are in charge.

H. Gerrish Smith, general manager of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation, and Howell Cheney of the Cheney Silk Co., of South Manchester are to speak on industrial education at a meeting of the Boston City club, Thursday evening.

Monday afternoon the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter D. A. R. of Wollaston met with Mrs. F. C. Blake of 56 Elm avenue. Miss Susan B. Willard of Hingham spoke on "Building of Bunker Hill Monument." Later in the month the Chapter is to entertain at headquarters in the Pierce building, Boston in conjunction with Old State House Chapter of Melrose.

Quincy Lodge of Elks is to put on an unusually good cabaret show followed by a dance Wednesday evening at Quincy Music hall having secured some of the best talent for the cabaret ever seen in the city. Two professionals are to demonstrate the latest dances during the intermission between the cabaret and dance. The 11 o'clock toast is to be given by James J. Fegan, a member of Quincy lodge

ACCEPTS NEW POSITION.

Walter Walker, who has been a draftsman at the Fore River shipyard has resigned and leaves next Sunday to accept a position with the Lake Torpedo Boat Co. at Bridgeport Conn

Mr. Walker has been in this city the past ten years and is a very popular resident. He has been prominent in Odd Fellowship and is a past grand of Mt. Wollaston lodge.

Mrs. Sadie Walker, his wife is noble grand-elect of George L. Gill lodge and will remain in this city for some time.

GRANITE CITY CLUB.

At the regular meeting of the Granite City club Saturday evening three vacancies in the membership were reported and three new members were elected from the long waiting list again bringing the membership up to its limit of 125. The committee in charge of the cabaret show made its report and was given a rising vote of thanks.

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CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from Page One.)

Councilman Slade said if the treasurer had the right to renew he would make his first note to November but if he could not renew it, he would make it for one year.

Calling Councilman Ross to the chair President Whiton took the floor and spoke in favor of the original order: "Anyone can receive any information he desires by inquiry of the auditor. Do you realize that but fifty percent of the tax of 1914 has been collected and that there is but about $60,000 back of this year and only a part of this can be collected. A temporary loan differs from a case where we bond the city. It is simply to provide money for running expenses. Suppose the city council should refuse to renew the notes. It would simply mean that we would be temporarily embarrassed. We are going to save money by allowing the treasurer to renew notes."

Councilman Beeman said: "If we can save money by allowing the treasurer to renew notes then it is good business."

Councilman Griffin could see no advantage in adopting the amendment.

Councilman McGrath said that he had taken the trouble to call up several cities since last Monday and he had found that Quincy was an exception in allowing its treasurer to renew notes. "I have the greatest respect for our mayor but I think we take too much for granted. Cities which I have communicated with believe it to be a good thing for the treasurer to come to the council when he wants to renew notes."

Councilman Richards said: "All notes issued must be paid within one year or renewed."

The amendment was then rejected on a rising vote of 9 yes and 13 no.

The order then took its second reading and was placed in the calendar.

The school committee forwarded to the council the papers relative to the retirement of Samuel D. DeForrest, a janitor of the John Hancock school, on a pension, which was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the secretary of state asking approval of the certificate of incorporation of the Standish Club of Atlantic. The certificate was approved.

The Mayor also forwarded a communication from the commissioner, giving the information asked for in the resolve introduced by Councilman Prescott asking about water consumption. The communication which was an important one was as follows and after reading was placed on file.

Jan. 11, 1915.

Hon. Chester I. Campbell,
Mayor, City of Quincy.

Dear Sir:—

"In reply to your request I herewith submit the requested information:

The number of gallons of water supplied to the City of Quincy by the Metropolitan Water System for the year 1914 was 952,000,000. This is exclusive of the amount supplied to Fort Andrews which was 37,031,075 gallons.

About 90 per cent of the services in the city are metered which means that 90 per cent of the water sold is metered but allowance for leakage, services not metered etc. must be made when we consider the total amount of water furnished by the Metropolitan Water System.

The debits of this department would be the outstanding bonds, which amounted to $722,000.00 Jan. 1, 1914. The credits for the year 1914, gross receipts $139,012.85, collectable bills amounting to $6,656.94 and the stock on hand included at the shop, stable and office, $13,100.00

The number of gallons of water supplied from the Braintree reservoir during 1914 was 65,820,000. The expense of maintaining the Braintree reservoir under ordinary conditions, with the exception of a break in the main, will be very small. During the year 1914 it cost $377.00 for repairs on account of putting the gate house in first class condition, nothing having been done on it for several years. This gate house had window spaces in the three walls and a doorway in the fourth and as the boys used it to dive from, it seemed advisable to close the house up and put in an iron door. The amount of brick work was considerable as time, weather and vandalism had increased the size of the original openings so that it practically meant rebuilding the walls. The house is now completely closed and is kept locked.

The cost of reading the reservoir meter is very little as this meter is read at the same time as our other large meters, no special readings being taken.

The income from the reservoir for the year 1914 was $503.00. Referring to the request for the number of gallons as water sold according to a specified sub-division of rates I would say that at the present time it will be impossible to give this information as the given rates are not according to the regular scheduled rates of this department.

Yours very truly,
Moses L. Brown,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Other important matters that came up before the council were the orders offered by Councilman Williams. One of these called for an appropriation of $11,000 for the purchase of two auto chemical combinations and increasing the pay of the permanent men. The pay of these men is now fixed at $2.50 per day the first two years and $2.75 per day thereafter. The amendment provides the salary shall be $900 the first year, $1,000 the second year and $1,100 thereafter. Both of these orders went to the committee on Fire department matters.

Councilman Ross offered orders appropriating $7,600 to pave a part of Quincy street and $1,500 to rebuild Brooks avenue. Both referred to the committee on streets.

Councilman Griffin offered an order appropriating $1,500 for furnishing the new part of the Atherton Hough school. Referred to the finance committee.

Councilman Smith offered a resolve requesting the Mayor to petition the legislature to amend the city charter so as to abolish party designations.

He desired the resolution adopted immediately but as there was some opposition it was referred to the committee on legislative matters.

The special committee on the order amending the rules of the council reported adversely and the report was accepted.

Petitionsc of the street railway company and Electric Light Co. for relocation of poles were granted.

President Whiton then announced his committees and referred matters from last year's council to their respective committees.

President Whiton announced the assignments to the standing committees for the year 1915 as follows:

Finance Accounts, Claims, Contracts and Salaries—Richards Thompson, Ross, Griffin, Smith, Beeman McGrath.

Streets Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges, and Lights,—O'Dowd, Nelson, Craig, Williams, Barnicoat, McDonald, Slade.

Public Buildings and Grounds,—Griffin, Beeman, Bolster, Kessler, Barry.

Sewers, Drains and Water Supply,—Craig, Slade, Barry, Gallagher, Ferguson, Fuller, Yule.

Fire Department and Police,—Ross, Williams, Bolster, O'Dowd, Barnicoat.

Ordinances, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders,—Smith, Thompson, Prescott, Gallagher, Fuller, Ferguson, Yule.

Legislature Matters, Elections and Returns,—McDonald, McGrath, Kessler.

Health, Poor, and Soldiers' Relief,—Nelson, Prescott, Richards.

The Philathea class of Bethany church met Monday evening in the ladies parlor at the church and held a short business session. Light refreshments were served.



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SPORTING COMMENT

Brown, J. Pinel, J. Sweeney, "Dit" Harkins and John Jepson are among the latest to qualify for the city championship to be held at the Wardwell alleys on Feb. 1, 2, and 3. The handsome silver trophy, awarded by Capt. George A. Wardwell will go on exhibition within a few days.

Dell won the weekly rolloff at the Coliseum alleys Monday night and McLean was second. There was a large list of entries. "Dit" Harkins lost second place by two pins. The strings:

Dell	92	135	94	321
McLean	96	108	100	304

EAST MEETS WEST.

Former Wallops West Side Patternmakers.

The Patternmakers on the East side of the shop at the Fore River shipyard beat those on the west end in a special match at the Wardwell alleys Monday evening. Although the pinfall was light the match was interesting.

EAST END.

Bishop	86	93	80	259
Wheeler	69	76	76	221
Nicolson	89	87	85	251
Meier	92	77	92	261
Lee	79	80	94	253
	415	413	427	1255

WEST END.

Hayden	68	78	89	235
McIntyre	79	81	72	232
Gabler	62	76	66	204
Front	85	87	80	252
Williams	78	78	88	244
	372	400	395	1169

Y. M. C. A. BOYS WIN.

Defeat Brockton Without Much Trouble.

Quincy Y. M. C. A. defeated Brockton Y. M. C. A. in this city Saturday night. Trask featured for the localities getting eight baskets and four fouls. The second team won an easy victory over the visiting second quintette.

Quincy Y M. C. A.		Brockton Y. M. C. A
Jenkins, rf		lb, Freidman
Rich, lf		rb, Jenkins
Trask, c		c, Kelleher
Kenn, rb		lf, Williams
Chapman, lb		rf, Wood

Score, Quincy 32. Brockton 17. Goals from floor, Jenkins, Rich 3. Trask 8, Chapman 2, Kelleher 4, Williams 2, Wood. Goals from fouls. Trask 4, Freidman 3. Referee, Wiland scorer, J. Brooks, Timer, H. Brooks. Time, 20m periods. Attendance, 150.

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SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES

May Result From Probe Into the Rogers Case

CONSPIRACY IS HINTED AT

Agreement Said to Have Been Drawn Up When Rogers and Present Wife Agreed to Divorce—Woman Who Killed Babies Does Not Expect Conviction on Murder Charge

New York, Jan. 12.—A possible conspiracy in the case of Mrs. Ida S. Rogers, whose two babies died from poison administered by her, is being investigated, it was announced by District Attorney Martin of the Bronx, after the Bronx grand jury had concluded its first day's inquiry, in response to the prosecutor's request for an indictment of murder against the woman.

Martin said he would subpoena as a witness before the jury, which will resume its inquiry on Wednesday, Mrs. Annie R. Rogers, divorced wife of Lorlys E. Rogers, who Mrs. Rogers says was the father of the babies. Martin said also that he had every assurance of co-operation from Emery D. Bruckner, counsel for Mrs. Caroline G. Rogers, the present legal wife of Rogers.

"I am in hopes," Martin said, "of getting hold of the agreement which it is alleged was drawn up at the time that the divorce was agreed upon between Rogers and his present wife."

Martin said he would have Mrs. Ida S. Rogers transferred to the county jail from the hospital where she is now recovering from the effects of poison self administered.

Neither Rogers nor Mrs. Walters expects a conviction on any murder charges against Mrs. Walters, and Mrs. Caroline Rogers' divorce suit will be welcomed by both. They expect to be married when the divorce is handed down.

Rogers' claim of a right to confer with Mrs. Walters as her attorney is not recognized by Martin, as she has named Abraham Levy as her counsel.

Mrs. Walters, in her sworn statement and her conversations with the coroner and his physician, Dr. Riegelmann, declared she had swallowed 22½ grains of the poison, while her two children were each given about 7½ grains. The pathologists found a large amount of bichloride in the organs of the children, but the district attorney is not prepared at this time to state that the doses given them were greater than that she took herself.

While enough time will be given to determine the quantity of the poison taken by the woman, Martin will also search deeply into her life and her relations with Rogers.

Her brother Frederick, who came here from St. Augustine, Fla., to aid Mrs. Walters, has held a long conference with the county prosecutor.

Mrs. Walters has not expressed any desire to see her brother since she reluctantly admitted her relationship in the hospital.

"At present I realize my sister is under the influence of this man," Sniffen said, "but I hope and pray that she will have a change of heart." He said he had never heard of Rogers till the present trouble.

The defense of Mrs. Walters, should she be indicted for murder, will be insanity. This information comes from a man closely allied with her interests.

At least two witnesses will be be called upon to testify that on several occasions she had complained of feeling that her mind was giving way. It will be claimed that when she poisoned the children she was afflicted with emotional insanity brought on by unusual depression.

OPPOSE LITERACY TEST

Women Urge President Wilson to Veto the Immigration Bill

Washington, Jan. 12.—President Wilson reiterated his opposition to the literacy test in the immigration bill to a delegation of women from Chicago, headed by Jane Addams, who asked that he veto the measure.

Speaking for the delegation Miss Addams told the president that many foreigners who could not pass the literacy test later learned to read and write, and made excellent citizens.

Would Block Rate Raise

Washington, Jan. 12.—Senator La Follette introduced a resolution to prohibit the eastern railroads from putting into effect the increased freight rates recently granted by the interstate commerce commission.

Revolution Is Spreading

Cape Haytien, Jan. 12.—The revolutionary movement apparently is finding support. Cape Haytien, Plaines, Qusnaminthe, Fort Liberte and Trou are up in arms.

Hindu Slayer Hanged

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 12.—Mewa Dingh, a Hindu, the murderer of immigration interpreter Hopkinson, was hanged in the provincial prison at New Westminster.

Must Have Free Drinking Water

Washington, Jan. 12.—The house passed a bill requiring baseball parks and other amusement places in this city to furnish free drinking water for their patrons.

INTEREST GROWS AS GAP NARROWS

Some Good Singles in Fore River Rolloffs

FORE RIVER BOWLING LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost.	P. C.
M. Gallery	50	10	833
Y. Dept.	47	13	783
E. Dept.	37	25	609
N. Dept.	36	24	600
S. Dept	29	27	536
Treas. Office	21	19	520
D. Dept.	32	32	500
B. Dept.	29	35	453
Ex. App.	27	33	450
U. S. N.	26	34	433
M. Floor	22	42	343
Pur. Agents	9	51	150

Tirrell 99, Smith 99, O'Lindy 96, Westland 93 Kateon 83 White 93, Carlson 92, Djerf 92 Mahoney 92, Ryan 91, Mainati 90, Stone 90.

High single string O'Lindy 153.
High three strings O'Lindy 360.
High team single M. Gallery 505.
High team three strings M. Gallery 1442.

Smith's single of 135 contributed to a total of 318 and gave him high score in the Fore River league matches at the Coliseum alleys Monday evening. Olindy was second with 311, in which a string of 120 centered. Others to pass the century were Dobos and Sullivan 115, Ryan and Teasdale 108, Smith 111, Duncan 106, Golden 103, Russell 102.

The Shipfitters and Treasurer's office teams tied at 419 in the second single and the former took the third string and total which gave it a clean sweep. The Yard beat the D. Department 3 to 1 and the Purchasing Agents defeated the Machine Floor 3 to 1.

New pins were responsible for the light showing of most of the bowlers.

YARD 3—D. DEPT. 1.

Y DEPT.

Mahoney	93	97	96	286
Welsh	62	82	93	237
Golden	103	82	94	279
Wells	89	83	88	260
Smith	100	83	135	318
	447	427	506	1380

D. DEPT.

Lawton	77	83	70	230
Hamilton	86	89	70	245
Teasdale	88	108	82	278
Richardson	90	94	97	281
Kateon	87	78	88	253
	428	452	407	1287

PUR. AGENTS 3—M. FLOOR 1

PURCHASING AGENTS.

French	89	73	66	228
Desmond	97	82	83	262
Carruthers	79	93	76	248
Blanchard	75	85	85	245
Sullivan	80	94	115	289
	420	427	425	1272

M. FLOOR.

Ford	86	85	84	255
Ryan	77	78	108	263
Cockett	81	82	88	251
Vose	79	74	87	240
Russell	82	102	71	255
	405	421	438	1264

SHIPFITTERS 4—TREAS. OFFICE 0.

S. DEPT.

Dobos	115	80	86	281
Mitchell	77	82	88	247
Guergis	92	75	85	252
Smith	111	84	98	293
Olindy	93	98	120	311
	488	419	477	1384

TREAS. OFFICE.

Coutts	93	76	73	242
Desmond	85	83	76	244
Duncan	85	88	106	279
Gullickson	87	73	99	259
Stone	99	99	92	290
	449	419	446	1314

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WILL ENTER AS AID TO ALLIES

Roumania and Italy Are About to Take Up Arms

BIG ARMIES DEADLOCKED

Neither Side Claims to Have Made Progress In Alsace, Where Germans Have Been Able to Hold Their Ground—Conflicting Claims Concerning Fighting In Centre of Western Theatre of War—No Change In Situation In East Prussia or Poland

London, Jan. 12.—Only a change in the weather or the entrance into the war of Roumania or Italy, or both, is likely to bring any marked change in the military situation in Europe for some time to come.

What turn the weather will take no one can predict, but the belief is growing in those countries allied against Germany, Austria and Turkey, that Roumania, with her well-trained army of not less than 400,000 men, will, at an early date, throw herself into the conflict, which would, in effect, link Roumania with the extreme Russian left wing, now forcing its way into Hungary through Bukowina.

Taking into consideration the Servians and Montenegrins, this would form a line menacing Austria-Hungary along the entire southeastern frontier from Russia to the Adriatic.

Just as rumor persisted for days prior to Turkey's entrance into the war on the side of Germany, which tended to discount the step when it was eventually taken, so rumors now centre about Roumania and Italy, and there is a strong feeling among the general public in France and England that definite action will not be delayed.

Meanwhile, the armies already in the field in the east and west remain virtually deadlocked.

In Alsace, the French continue, by sapping and sporadic charges, their attempts to force their way nearer the Rhine, but there has been snow in the Vosges and it is noticeable that neither side claims any new progress.

The Germans threw heavy reinforcements into Alsace after the recent French advance and, apparently, they have been able to hold their ground, in view of the failure of the French to consolidate the positions they took after much hard fighting.

With a comparative lull in this quarter, and artillery duels predominating near the Belgian coast, fighting of a desperate character has broken out in the centre, notably to the northeast of Soissons, which bids fair, through bombardments, to suffer the fate of Rheims, and further east, in the vicinity of Perthes and Beausejour, from which points the allies have been trying to reach the important railway to the north, and seizure of which would cut one of the German main arteries of communication.

The official communications of the contending nations do not agree as to the outcome of the recent fighting in these areas. The allies claim to have forged ahead from Soissons; the Germans say these attacks have not been fruitful and that fighting is proceeding.

The allies contend they have advanced north of Perthes and still hold the ground at Beausejour to the north and east. The Germans make no mention of fighting to the north of Perthes, but maintain they have advanced east of the village. The fighting in the vicinity of Beausejour, which the allies consider so important, they ignore.

Neither East Prussia nor Poland furnishes any change in the general situation and, strangely, the Russians have added little with reference to the expected invasion of Hungary by way of Bukowina, although more than a week ago they claimed to be at the threshold.

It is conceded, however, that virtually the whole of Bukowina is now in Russian hands, and dispatches reaching London from Bucharest say that thousands of fugitives from that territory are crossing the Roumanian frontier, some of them proceeding to Vienna. It is in the developments arising from the occupation of Bukowina that interest is now centred, as it is believed to have an immediate bearing on the Roumanian situation.

Little authentic information has been received regarding the Turkish army in the Caucasus since Russia dealt it such a heavy blow.

Italy, according to latest reports, is rushing troops to her islands in the Aegean sea, off the coast of Asia Minor, so that she may be prepared for eventualities.

FORBIDDEN TO INTERFERE

Muzzle Has Been Placed on Kaiser by His Military Leaders

The London Daily Mail prints the story of a neutral business man who has just reached London after remaining in Berlin since the beginning of the war. His personal connections enable him to learn many things which the German press was not allowed to publish.

Among the information which he brings is word that the kaiser is now definitely barred by his generals from interfering with the strategy of the

INCREASE IN INSANITY

Hospitals In the Bay State Are Now Seriously Overcrowded

Boston, Jan. 12.—One person of every 271 in Massachusetts is insane, as is shown by the annual report of the state board of insanity. The insane being cared for in state institutions number 13,497, an increase for the year of 396. The board has under its care 17,886 persons, of whom 14,122 are insane, 2513 feeble-minded and 624 epileptic.

Three recommendations are made by the board—to make the Foxboro state hospital a receiving hospital for the insane; to change the character of the Worcester state asylum to a receiving hospital, and to change its name to the Grafton state hospital; and to purchase land as an adjunct to the Northampton state hospital so as to provide for the insane in western Massachusetts.

The report shows a serious overcrowding of insane hospitals and emphasizes the the need of immediate appropriations. Accommodations are lacking for more than 200 persons.

FAVORS FURTHER TEST

Garrison Would Extend Scope of Filipino Self Government

Washington, Jan. 12.—Prompt passage of the bill to extend the scope of self government enjoyed by the Filipinos was urged by Secretary Garrison of the war department, as logically the next step in the long-recognized policy of the United States toward the islanders.

The measure's preamble, declaring the purpose of the United States to grant complete independence when a stable government has been set up, Garrison declared to be but a repetition of promises made by successive Republican administrations.

The secretary appeared before the senate Philippines committee as the last witness at the present hearing on the bills that have been in progress for several weeks. He explained that the present bill, improperly styled an "independence bill," would provide merely for a further test of the Filipinos' capacity for self government.

WILSON MAY CALL AN EXTRA SESSION

Ship Purchase Bill and European War Are Factors

Washington, Jan. 12.—The tide of "extra session" talk is running strong among members of congress, both because of the probable necessity of raising more revenue, and because of the hitch in the senate over the passage of the president's ship purchase bill.

The ship purchase bill, however, is not the only contingency that members think may force an extra session. Because there are indications of a prolongation of the European war at least throughout the coming year, it is believed the president may decide that congress ought to remain here.

Since his note to Great Britain that American cargoes must not be interfered with, the possibility that the president may need the advice of committees of both the house and the senate which deal with foreign affairs is said to be assuming larger proportions. This advice he could not get conveniently if congress were to adjourn.

At the same time, it is said, the president does not wish to give this openly as a reason for wanting an extra session.

PROBE OF WHEAT RISE

Situation at Chicago May Possibly Be Due to "Food Cornering"

Chicago, Jan. 12.—A federal investigation into the high price of wheat was commenced here to determine whether speculation or attempted "food cornering" has anything to do with the sensational rise in the market.

Albert L. Hopkins, assistant United States district attorney, who is in charge of the inquiry, had a long list of bakers, grain dealers, grocers and commission merchants up for examination.

Inquiry About Ammunition

Washington, Jan. 12.—The senate adopted a resolution offered by Senator Lodge calling on the secretary of war for a statement of the amount of ammunition possessed by the United States government on Jan. 1, 1915.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Charles Schrieber, 45, was instantly killed by a powder explosion at Bridgeport, Conn.

A middle-aged unknown man committed suicide by hanging from a rafter in a barn in the rear of the Manchester, N. H., pest house.

Katherine Coman, 59, professor emeritus of economics and sociology at Wellesley college, died at Wellesley.

Arthur W. Clark, 65, a traveling salesman, committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas at Chelsea, Mass.

A man whose body was found frozen in a bog at Warwick, R. I., was identified as John Walsh of Providence.

Fire destroyed the larger part of the plant of the Precious Wood Handling company at Bayonne, N. J., with a loss of $150,000.

FALLON SETS NEW RECORD

Light Pinfall in K. of C. Rolloffs

Quincy council, K. of C. League.

Team	Won	Lost
Capt. R. Sullivan	7	1
Capt. J. Cantfill	6	2
Capt. Paul Avery	4	4
Capt. R. Coyle	3	5
Capt. F. Avery	3	5
Capt. Thos. Fallon, Jr.,	1	7

Thomas Fallon set the single string record of the league at 111 in the matches at the Wardwell alleys Monday night and within a few minutes Al Thompson's accuracy tied it. The joint holders of that record are on rival teams.

Although the pinfall of Capt. Russell Sullivans team was light it was enough to smother its opponents under four points and enable the quintette to jump into the lead.

Capt. Cantfill's division of points resulted in his team getting second place and the setting of the Coyle five in a tie for fourth position. Capt. Frank Avery's 3 to 1 defeat of the Fallonites solidly established that team in the cellar.

The summary:

CAPT SULLIVAN 4—CAPT AVERY 0

CAPT. R. SULLIVAN.

Powers	94	106	88	288
Lavelle	78	88	83	249
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Driscoll	98	68	91	257
Sullivan	74	79	106	269
	419	416	443	1278

CAPT. P. AVERY.

B. Brown	69	74	75	218
Murphy	85	76	81	232
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Walsh	81	92	81	254
P. Avery	104	91	91	286
	414	408	403	1225

CAPT COYLE 2—CAPT CANTFILL 2

CAPT. COYLE.

Tierney	82	99	75	256
Hogan	85	84	82	251
Thompson	79	111	92	282
Magee	64	82	95	241
Coyle	90	77	78	245
	410	453	422	1285

CAPT. CANTFILL

C. Brown	96	83	75	254
McDermott	78	85	110	273
McGrath	81	87	80	248
Heaney	84	81	79	244
Cantfill	75	77	85	237
	414	413	429	1256

CAPT F. AVERY 3—CAPT FALLON 1

CAPT. F. AVERY.

Burns	100	80	77	257
T. Fallon	92	111	79	282
Driscoll	76	65	76	217
Devlin	82	85	85	252
F. Avery	79	85	78	242
	429	426	395	1250

CAPT. FALLON.

Cain	86	79	71	236
Flaherty	75	79	65	219
Ford	83	81	81	245
Mahon	103	85	78	266
T. Fallon Jr.	84	96	80	260
	431	420	375	1226

APPLES.

Some of the farmers who thought their apples weren't worth picking last fall because of the low prices are now "kicking themselves." Nearly every apple grower hereabout has sold his entire crop for about $2 per barrel. Most farmers claim that a barrel of apples can be picked for 10 cents and sorted for five cents per barrel. Some of the farmers who neglected to pick their apples are among the people now that are crying "hard times."—Hingham Journal.

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LADIES BOWLING IN BRAINTREE.

Teams two, three and four, in the Boston pin tournament enjoyed bowling Monday evening.

Mrs. Gordon M. Keating made the best three-string total of 258 at the Cochato club. Miss Sally Perry, who had the highest single was second with 257. Team two won four points, team 3 six points, and team 4 two points. Team 3 leads the tournament with 14 points. All members of these teams were on the alleys. The scores were as follows:

TEAM TWO.

Mrs. Keating	91	83	84	258
Miss Abercrombie	91	79	61	231
Mrs. Woodsum	66	71	80	217
Mrs. Clapp	83	74	70	207
Miss M. Kneeland	55	65	67	187
Miss Rogers	57	57	41	155
Totals	423	429	403	1255

TEAM THREE.

Mrs. Connell	77	78	85	240
Mrs. Wilder	72	72	77	221
Miss Perry	82	98	77	257
Miss Hatchard	63	70	68	201
Mrs. Lawley	51	68	55	174
Mrs. Prescott	73	81	68	222
Totals	418	467	430	1315

TEAM FOUR.

Mrs. Hall	79	73	76	228
Mrs. Perry	66	77	82	225
Mrs. Jenkins	77	70	78	225
Miss E. Kneeland	68	56	68	192
Mrs. Richards	63	71	67	201
Mrs. Robbins	48	47	62	157
Totals	4101	394	433	1228

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

SIX STRING.

Mrs. Keating	439
Mrs. Connell	480
Miss Perry	477
Mrs. Wilder	466
Miss Abercrombie	447
Mrs. Woodsum	436
Mrs. Prescott	411
Miss Hatchard	407
Miss M. Kneeland	390
Mrs. Clapp	382
Mrs. Lawley	339
Miss Rogers	309

Three Strings

Mrs. Andrews	245
Mrs. Hall	228
Mrs. Perry	225
Mrs. Jenkins	225
Mrs. Olin	214
Mrs. Wetherbee	211
Mrs. Patten	210
Miss Crocker	206
Mrs. Richards	201
Miss E. Kneeland	192
Mrs. Robbins	157
Mrs. Hollis	133

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STORIES THAT THRILL FROM BATTLEFIELDS OF EUROPE

Two Young Frenchwomen Poison Husbands to Save Lives of Garrison.

Correspondent in Treetop Tells How He Feels as Shells Whistle By.

SOME of the latest stories from the battle front in Europe include the following:

How two young Frenchwomen poisoned the husbands they loved to save the lives of an entire garrison has just been made known in Paris. The story created a tremendous sensation.

Rose and Marie Dupont, twins, were born and reared at Vilterupt, a small village on the Lorraine frontier. In 1912 they married two students of chemistry named Ulrich and Wilhelm, who loved them so much that they became French citizens. The men bought a drug store at Vilterupt.

Both unions were most happy until July 29 of last year, when the husbands received a letter from across the frontier. Immediately both became nervous and asked their wives to go to their grandmother's home in Longwy until the situation cleared. The young women went to Longwy, but found that their grandmother was not at home. They returned late the next day to Vilterupt.

When they arrived at the drug store, it is related, they found it closed. Going through the back garden, they peered through the closed shutters and, to their amazement, saw their husbands talking in quite a friendly manner to two uhlans in full uniform.

The young women learned that a plot had been arranged by Ulrich and Wilhelm. They had stored a large



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FRENCH SOLDIERS LEADING SUSPECTED SPY BLINDFOLDED THROUGH LINES.

quantity of strychnine, and in the night it was planned to drop it in the wine casks reserved for the French garrison.

"Are you sure the dose is strong enough?" asked one of the uhlans.

"Why," answered Ulrich, "it is strong enough to kill all the garrison and its reserves!"

Rose shuddered and almost fainted.

"We must act," said Marie, "to prevent this most awful crime, even if we must commit one ourselves."

Half an hour later they rang the front doorbell. They appeared most joyous, and they explained their elation by saying they had heard the war had been averted. They said they were so glad that they wanted to set out some wine in honor of peace and the friendly uhlan soldiers.

Marie went out and brought back a champagne bottle. She poured the liquid, and the men drank it. Next morning the young women ran out of the house. They were widows, for they themselves had employed the poison. They went straight to the chief of the gendarmes and told of their plight. They were set free at once.

"We have killed our husbands!" they cried. "Do what is right with us!"

But the official simply wept with them and kissed them, for it was found that the plot had been craftily laid and that the sacrifice of the wives had saved hundreds of French troops from death.

Songs the Shells Sing.

Considering the subject, not only from the walls of Berru, but also from our treetop in the Bavarian camp, it becomes my earnest belief that it is not the bang of shells that makes a civilian ponder on the nature of his past life, but their preliminary conversation, says a correspondent of the Chicago Tribune.

For a shell is the most loquacious of devices. It can say more in ten seconds and say it in more ways than an ordinarily receptive mind could assimilate in ten minutes. It sings, it whispers, it whistles, it cackles, it chatters, and then it goes bang! It has various accents, and it drops into the most unexpected dialects. But nobody appears to have any difficult in comprehending all it says.

Often it mispronounces some of the simplest words. I have heard several shells utter the word "you" as if it were spelled "yew," precisely like a Yankee comedian. This would be when the shell was remarking in—as I thought—the most pointed manner, "I am coming to get yew—yew—yew."

Pens What They Say.

In the treetop I tried to set down on a piece of paper words that would stand for the sounds the shells were making. At the moment I thought I was cutting quite a literary dash, but upon later examination the results did not seem very brilliant. But they were the only results I had and as I had come across the ocean to get them they at least represented the expenditure of a good deal of time.

So here they are:

The shell said, "I am coming to get you, and I am coming to get you now." That part was in a kind of remote singing—hardly more than a murmur.



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FRENCH SNIPER SHOOTING FROM BLASTED OAK TREE.



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CROWD VIEWING HOLE IN GROUND CAUSED BY AERIAL BOMB AT OSTEND.

Then a whistle crept into the singing as if the shell were trying variants on the air.

Suddenly the tone became insolent and urgent. It was then that the chattering sound was audible. "I am coming to get you," said the shell, and added the highly improper afterthought, "Hang your eyes and blast your soul!"

The "you" was a favorite word, and on it the shell grew nasal and made it "yew," "yew," "yew." There were further objectionable remarks, partly concerning the liver, a word which the shell elaborated into "'iverrrr," waxing guttural over it. With a further hooting of "yoo," "yoo" and with another reference to the liver, this time in a snarling manner, the shell abruptly closed the conversation with a prodigious bang in midair. It was a period multiplied by a million.

"There's No Danger, Though."

After that you could relax from the crouching attitude you had assumed and pay the tribute of an admiring glance to the officer by your side who had not crouched at all. Always these officers, were it the men at Berru or the lookout who had joined me in the treetop, merely remarked, "There is no danger as long as we keep out of sight."

In view of the verbal spasms one had laboriously noted down that remark was rather irritating.

So we descended from the tree.

In the evening I say to the German officer with whom I have traveled over hundreds of kilometers during the last week that I had felt no real zest in accepting the invitation of the Bavarians to climb that tree. It was my final effort to lure somebody into saying that, though I couldn't by any possibility be a hero in this method laden war, I could at least take a chance upon occasion.

His reply was more encouraging than I had hoped for.

"Now that you speak of it," he said slowly, "I have no stomach for high places either. That is why I did not join you in the tree."

Then a ray of light illuminated by reflections on the subject of soldier courage, and I decided that it took a saner kind of courage to decline the invitation to climb the tree, this man having no duty to perform there, than it would have taken to have accepted it.

Briton Praises Germans.

The Hon. Aubrey Herbert, M. P. for South Somerset, a lieutenant in the Irish guards, describing his experience in north France, says:

"I was shot and was found by some German privates after about an hour and a half.

"With other wounded men and officers I was taken away to a house that had been converted into a temporary hospital after nightfall. We remained prisoners in the hands of the Germans for eleven days, until the French occupied the village where we lay and set us at liberty.

"It is only fair to say that both on the battlefield and subsequently we were all shown courtesy and great kindness by the Germans, from all ranks, from Prussians and Bavarians alike."

The New War Weapon.

A French doctor, who has just returned from Flanders, describing the effect of the "Fleche d'aero," as the steel darts with which the French air men are supplied are called, said:

"Among the 2,000 wounded whom we treated in forty-eight hours was a German who had been struck by an aeroplane dart. He was evidently bending over when hit, for the dart had entered the right thigh and traversed the whole leg, so that the point emerged just above the boot. The man was conscious when he was brought in and said he felt no pain, only a heavy blow. He died soon afterward from shock and loss of blood."



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MRS. JOHN JACOB ASTOR PREPARING PACKAGES FOR FRENCH SOLDIERS.

The darts resemble steel pencils. They are about five inches long, with the unpointed end half fluted to insure their falling head first.

Ambushed!

A letter from an English corporal who was wounded in France on Oct. 23 has just been received by a friend in New York. The corporal writes:

"Well, we were through the thickest of the fighting between Ypres and Lille. We had twelve days in the trenches, two days together without any food or water. The ration party could not get near us, the fighting was so heavy.

"About the third night we were in the trench we found we were surrounded by a much larger force than we were. The enemy opened fire, and we replied. Then it came from the rear. They were in a wood, where there was a lot of undergrowth, and they had a machine gun playing on us. We had lost one officer and a few men, and then we were fired on from both sides—what they called enfiladed fire.

"One awful sight is to watch the Belgian people leaving their homes. Poor things! They just tie a few things in the tablecloth, catch up the child in their arms and run like the devil.

"I forgot to tell you while we were lying in a French hospital in Boulogne we were visited by Queen Amelia of Portugal, and a very nice lady she is. I made her laugh. She came to my bed. I put my hand out and shook hands. She asked how I was, and I forgot myself for the time and said, 'Very well, thank you, your majesty.' She said, 'Very well?' and burst out laughing and said, 'I'm afraid you're not, but you soon will be.' You have a very good spirit. That's what makes the British Tommy.' She spoke a few words of encouragement and bade us goodby."

515,000 Automobiles Made In 1914.

During 1914 American manufacturers turned out 515,000 motor vehicles, valued at $485,000,000. This information came from Alfred Reeves, general manager of the automobile chamber of commerce, who added that this output came from 450 concerns. He said there were 1,500,000 cars registered in the various states, that there were 15,000 automobile dealers in the country, 13,630 garages and 680 supply houses.

CHIEF POINTS ARE UNTOUCHED

Note From Great Britain Not Altogether Satisfactory

CITATION OF STATISTICS

Hardly Makes Practice Square With Accepted Principles of International Law—Bulk of American Commerce Shown to Be Legitimate—Friendly Tone of Communication Appreciated

Washington, Jan. 12.—The United States government, it became known, is not altogether satisfied with the note of Sir Edward Grey, giving Great Britain's preliminary reply to President Wilson's protest concerning the treatment of American commerce by the British fleet.

While gratified that Great Britain admits the justice of practically all the principles of international law cited in the American note, officials reiterated that the chief difficulty had been England's neglect to make her actual practice square with the previously accepted rules of international law.

It is realized by Washington officials that a long diplomatic correspondence conceding the principles of the American case, but not actually carrying them into practice, will not meet the complaints of American exporters and shippers, and although England's supplementary answer is expected to give a more detailed statement of her position, officials plan to take up vigorously all individual cases which may meanwhile arise.

Washington officials are appreciative of the friendly tone of the British note, and of the promises it makes for redress in case of unwarranted injury to American commerce. They point out, however, that the note in its citation of statistics had not taken up one of the chief points of the American argument.

The British statistics were brought forward to argue that American commerce with neutral countries had not suffered as seriously as had been represented, but Washington officials contend that one of the chief purposes of the American protest was to prevent depletion of American commerce by continuation of British practices. The American note, they say, was framed with the very idea of forestalling destruction of American trade.

Figures cited in the British note, in the view of Washington officials, are misleading because much of the non-contraband goods which ordinarily go direct to Germany and Austria have really been shipped to neutral countries because of the scarcity of ships that would dare risk passage through mine fields to German ports.

Similarly, the desire of Germany and Austria to use all surplus production has deprived contiguous countries of many raw materials which they now are compelled to import from the United States. Such increases in total exports from the United States, officials say, would conceal the real injury to some American industries because of their apparent growth in trade with individual countries.

England's statement that out of 773 ships which proceeded from the United States to neutral countries in Europe since the outbreak of the war only fort-five had cargoes placed in the prize courts, while only eight of the ships themselves had gotten into the courts, is regarded at Washington as proving that the bulk of American commerce was of a legitimate character and had yielded only forty-five doubtful cases.

There is no mention made in the British note, on the other hand, of the large number of American ships which were detained, some of them for two weeks, for extended examination.

In the next communication which the United States will send to England as a rejoinder, the British view that ships must be taken into port for examination instead of being searched on the high seas is expected to be vigorously disputed. There is some doubt of whether the practice of the British fleet practically blockading the high seas, instead of the German ports themselves, is not contrary to the fundamental principle of a blockade.

It is admitted at the state department that the action of some American exporters and shipmasters has placed the British in possession of a strong argument in favor of its present position.

But with the recent arrangements for having outgoing cargoes loaded under the inspection of treasury officials, and with the system of licenses which the British note states has been arranged to insure rubber and perhaps wool exported from America from reaching Germany and Austria, officials are inclined to believe that the way soon will be open for a completely satisfactory understanding between the two governments in regard to the treatment of neutral shipping.

Builder Fails For $600,000

Boston, Jan 12.—Simon Hurwitz, a contractor, who has been identified with the building of apartment houses along Commonwealth avenue, owes $637,846, according to bankruptcy schedules filed in the United States district court.

GOLD FISH BOWLS MUST GO.

Fanciers Will Urge Law to Prohibit Parlor Exhibits.

The parrot, the canary, the wooden duck, the conch shell and the pink eyed rabbit may remain to keep up the traditions of the old fashioned American home, but the little globe in the window of the parlor with the cute, flirting gold fish must go to join the red plush album.

Why? Because the American Federation of Gold Fish Fanciers has so decreed. The album was lost to sight—but to memory dear—because—oh, just because. The tenanted gold fish globe is condemned because it means cruelty and inhumanity to fish, say the fanciers. As many as 5,000 persons have signed a formidable looking paper demanding that a fine or imprisonment or both be imposed on those heartless men and housewives who shall henceforth confine gold fish in a little round glass house.

Members of the federation in New York have laid down the lines of a campaign and will try to have bills passed at Albany and other state capitals prohibiting the sale and use of globular homes for finny prisoners.

FIGHTERS DEAF FROM GUNS.

Committee Appointed by England to Consider Prevention Measures.

The announcement that the British government is to appoint an emergency committee to consider measures for the prevention of gun deafness among soldiers and sailors calls attention to an added terror of war which has been much discussed recently in military and medical circles.

"The enemy may not deprive you of life or limb," writes a medical correspondent, "but it is fairly certain that your own artillery will slowly, but surely, make you deaf."

Several officers who recently returned on furlough from the French front were called up for examination and found to have suffered more than a 50 per cent impairment in hearing owing to the incessant ear splitting reports of their own guns. The exact physiological reason was usually found in a rupture of the drum membrane, with occasionally a shattering or concussion of the aural labyrinth.

Fewest Battles In December.

December is the least belligerent month in the calendar. A correspondent who has analyzed the dates of over 1,000 battles of the world, from Marathon to Mons, finds that fewer than fifty of them were fought in December, and these few were among the least important and decisive. Scarcely one of them would be known to the proverbial schoolboy. On the other hand, July, as is only fitting, seeing that it is named after a soldier, is the most belligerent, with 182 great battles to its credit or otherwise, and is closely followed by August with 122.

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MACHINES GUN IS ON EXHIBITION

Recruit Drill Scheduled to be Held Next Monday Evening

Non commissioned officers of the 6th Infantry will hold a recruit drill in Union and Alpha halls next Monday night and entire 50 odd applicants are expected to be present to fill in the "awkward squad."

This. was announced by Lieut Downes, in charge of the company, at headquarters Monday night.

Two of the four guns issued to the company by the state have reached this city. One was demonstrated in Union hall Monday night and the other is now on exhibition in the Kincaide window.

Lieut. Downes will be at Union hall every Monday evening from now on until the company is formed.

The machine gun is 30 calibre, 1909 model. The type of arm is known as the gas operative. The power that is used to operate the mechanism is obtained from a small portion of the powder gases that enter through a port in the barrel after the bullet has passed. After the first shot the rifle is self operative until the ammunition in the strip is exhausted or until trigger is released.

The maximum fire obtainable with this arm is about 400 shots per minute. This rapidity of fire can be regulated to some extent by the skill of the operator.

The maximum range, with an elevation of 45 degrees, is 5465 yards, or considerably over three miles.

The muzzle, or initial velocity is 2700 feet per second. At a hundred yards the bullet will pass through a five inch brick wall or 33.6 inches of seasoned oak, or a steel plate one half inch thick.

At 500 yards a bullet will penetrate 24.3 inches of pine, or 13.4 of moist sand, or 9.2 inches of dry sand, or 18.8 inches of loam.

At 100 yards the bullet will penetrate 12.8 inches of soft wood, or 12.5 inches of moist sand or 7.5 inches of dry sand, or 18.6 inches of loam.

The powder charge is from 48 to 50 grains of smokeless powder. The bullet has a corp of lead and tin composition in a cupronickel jacket and weighs 150 grains. It is about five inches long and its nose, one and a quarter inches, tapers to a point.

FILE MARRIAGE RETURNS.

Returns to City Hall Monday disclosed the marriages of Antonio Perise and Rosini Fillipello, both of 227 Copeland street, West Quincy, on Jan. 10 by Fr. Thomas R. McCoy of St. Mary's parish.

Also Samuel Rosen and M. Nettie Farmer, both of 17 Lyndon road, on Jan. 3, by Rev. Mordechy Klatchos of Boston.

C. E. CABINET MEETING.

There was a good attendance Monday evening at the cabinet meeting of the East Norfolk Union of C. E. held at Bethany church. Supper was served at 7 o'clock and was followed by a short business session. During the meeting music was furnished by the Cecelian quartette composed of Miss Ada Williams, Miss Alice Parker, Miss Bella Laing and Miss Florence Sabean. Delegates were present from C. E. societies of Quincy and vicinity.



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ST. CHRYSOSTOM ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Show Parish in Flourishing Condition

The annual parish meeting of St. Chrysostom's church was held Monday evening in the assembly room of the new parish house.

Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, the rector, was in the chair and opened with prayer. Theodore Parker was elected temporary clerk. John W. Atkins read the treasurer's report.

The chair appointed Archibald H. Briggs and David J. Fulton tellers and the polls were declared open after opportunity has been given those entitled to vote. a chance to sign the constitution and by-laws.

Mr. Steenstra said the financial condition gives considerable ground for satisfaction and should act as a stimulus to increase effort both by the vestry and parishioners. The parish house is at last a reality and the parish is supplied with adequate equipment for service. He declared that the support of the church is as much one's duty as support of the city.

He hoped, he said, that this new committee of the vestry would have the co-operation of every one affiliated with the church their duties would be greatly reduced by people meeting them half way in their efforts to put the parish finances upon a former business foundation. The mission apportionment has been met he said.

The secretaries of the different organizations were then asked for their reports. Miss Amy Rhodes for the Altar Guild, Mrs. Herbert H. Albee for the Rummage bag fund, Mrs. Herbert L. Packard for Church Periodical club work. Miss Elsie Thompson for the Junior Auxiliary, Miss Nellie M. Weeks. for the Girls Friendly society. Miss Annie Clean for the Woman's Guild. Mrs. David L. Jewell for Missionary committee of the woman's guild, Percy L. Davidson for the Choir club, George J. Poch for the Sunday school responded. Herbert F. Price superintendent of the Sunday school said that the high water mark of attendance had nearly been reached. Mr. Price read a letter from Miss Jenny M. Purchase, thanking the school for their varied contributions at Christmas which enabled her as secretary of the Associated charities to give assistance to twelve families besides many individuals.

Frank E. Cleveland, for several years Senior warden, was given a vote of thanks. His resignation has been accepted with much regret.

The chair appointed a nomination committee—Percy L. Davidson, George Horte, William Couch, Mrs. David L. Jewell, and Mrs. William Klingenhagen. The largest vote in the history of parish elected these officers for the year.

Senior warden—Edward F. Parlee.
Junior warden—Percy L. Davidson.
Treasurer—John W. Atkins.
Clerk—George E. Allen.
Vestrymen—Herbert F. Price, Horace W. Richmond, J. Willard Hallett, Henry B. Barham, Theodore Parker.
Delegates to Diocesan convention—David L. Jewell, Edward F. Parlee, Frank E. Cleveland.
Delegates to Arch-deaconry convention for 1916—George Horte, George J. Poch, Mrs. Ama K. Lee.

Mr. Steenstra said every one who has given to the new parish house is glad he gave but that the retiring senior warden Frank E. Cleveland as architect of the building had given his services an amount difficult to estimate as his plans considering the floor space were wonderful when compared with the cost. Mr. Cleveland was given a rising vote of thanks.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Frederick S. Waite, Mrs. J. Willard Hallett Mrs. Howard D. Fowler, Mrs. Roland A. Thayer and Mrs. George F. S. Pearce

ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT

A pleasing entertainment is promised Wednesday evening at the convocation of St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter. The chapter will meet early and exemplify the Royal Arch degree. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock and will followed by an entertainment by the John Thomas company. Mr. Thomas is an old Quincy boy who has made his mark as an entertainer, in the humorous field and has surrounded himself with an exceptionally fine corps of entertainers.

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SERVICES FOR MRS. MARKHAM.

The funeral of Ellen Markham was held this afternoon from her home at Sea street and Manet avenue, Houghs Neck. and was well attended.

Rev. W. J. Sayre of the Union chapel at Houghs Neck officiated at the services. The body was taken to the Massachusetts Crematory at Forest Hills for cremation.

DOGS IS DOGS.

Attorney Claims Ruby Spaniel Is Not "Goods."

Another chapter in the now famous Ruby Toy Spaniel dog case was enacted in court today when John D. McKay counsel for Freeman W. Grant filed an answer to the replevin of the dog and marked the case for trial Jan. 19. In filing his answer Mr. McKay also filed a motion to dismiss on the ground that a dog was not goods in the meaning of the law and therefore not subject to replevin. The law provides that goods of the value of $20 may be replevined.

ARRAIGNED FOR LARCENY.

Robert Mitchell, Henry F. Raymond and Frank Brownwrig were arraigned in court this morning charged with the larceny of a graphophone from the Seneca club at South Quincy some days ago. They entered a plea of not guilty and the case went over until Jan. 16 for a hearing.

VERDICTS FOR PLAINTIFFS.

A jury of the Norfolk Superior Court has returned a verdict of $200 for the plaintiff in the case of Mary B. Doyle vs. Bay State street railway Co., for personal injuries and a verdict of $100 to her husband, Thomas Doyle for loss of his wife's services. Charles J. McGilvray was counsel for the plaintiffs.

Ave Maria council voted Monday night to hold its annual ball on April 14 in St. Mary's hall and Charles Buckley has been appointed chairman of the committee in charge.



GREEN SERGE SUIT.

The gown in the illustration is a street suit of green serge, the basque-like coat being buttoned down the front with groups of buttons, while the neck and sleeves are finished with strips of skunk. The yoke skirt has a triple box plaited tunic.

Agony.



Mrs. Benham—I suffered in silence.
Benham—You mean, I suppose, that you wanted to tell a secret and the wire was busy.—Chicago News.

DAMAGES $1000 IN SLANDER SUIT

A case of considerable local interest is being heard today in the civil side of the district court before Judge Avery. The case is that of Robert A. Neal, known as the "doughnut man" against Thomas A. Ferguson, a motorman on the street railway, for slander in which the plaintiff seeks to recover $1,000.

It was alleged that Neal, who was employed by one Prout, had contemplated going into business with Prout but before the deal was consummated it is alleged that Ferguson visited Prout and slandered Neal as a result of which the deal was off. It is alleged that Ferguson told Prout that Neal had showed him how he cheated the gas company and that he advised Prout not to have anything to do with him. T. R. Hawley appeared for the plaintiff and Arthur L. Thomas for the defendant. The case went on trial this morning at 10.30 and was resumed this afternoon.

BOSTON MAY PAY UP BACK TAXES

As a result of a conference between City Solicitor Pinkham and the law department of the City of Boston it has been decided by the City of Boston that it will be economical for the City of Boston to pay to the City of Quincy the $10,000 which is due for taxes on property located at Squantum.

While a formal offer has not as yet been made to Quincy it is intimated that Boston desires to sell the property in question to Quincy, with the stipulation that it shall be set apart as a public park.

MAYOR TALKS TO MINISTERS

Mayor Chester I. Campbell was the guest of the Quincy Minister's Association at the Y. M. C. A. this morning. His Honor discussed a few of the moral problems of his office. Mayor Campbell invited the ministers to co-operate with him.

The association expressed confidence in the Mayor and pledged their hearty co-operation in every way that would help build up the city.

Rev. Dr. Adelbert L. Hudson of the First Parish church. president of the association presided and A. F. Bromley of the Y. M. C. A. was secretary of the meeting. There were 14 present.

It was voted to hold a general exchange of pulpits on March 14.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Orent-Payson Co.
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Mt. Wollaston National Bank.

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ROOM AND BOARD in small private family. Only refined people need apply. Mr. L. S. Hall, 27 Chestnut street. 12-6t

MARRIAGES.

BUCKLEY—GRANAHAN— In Atlantic, Jan. 12, by Fr. Thomas W. Buckley of Lowell, John Joseph Buckley of West Quincy and Anna Gertrude Granahan of Atlantic.

ROSENBEK — GUGIG — In Quincy Jan. 11, by Emery L. Crane, city clerk, Gustave Rosenbek and Sarah Gugig, both of Quincy.

GUGIG—FEINSTERN — In Quincy, Jan. 11, by Emery L. Crane, city clerk, Benjamin L. Gugig and Yetta Feinstern, both of Quincy.

DEATHS

BLOCK—In Quincy, Jan. 12, Harry Block of 144 Quincy street, aged 20 years.

GALVIN—In Braintree, Jan. 11, Mortimer Galvin, age 88 years. Funeral from his late residence 25 River street, Wednesday, Jan. 13 at 8.30 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. Francis Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GRIFFIN—In Melrose, Jan. 11, Edward S. Griffin, age 51 years.

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"CHESTER" WILL BE HIS NAME TONIGHT

Mayor Campbell to be Guest of Honor at Banquet by Old Friends

Reunion of Wheelmen of Good Old Days To be Held at Providence

Mayor Campbell today left for Providence his birth-place, where he will be dined tonight by old-time friends. Governor R. Livingston Beeckman and Mayor Jos. H. Gainer will be among those who will welcome Mayor Campbell.

The dinner is a re-union of wheelmen who rode with the mayor in the good old days. The dinner will be held at the Crown Hotel where a reception will precede the fete. The mammoth committee in charge comprises men in business and professional life, all paying a tribute to the Providence boy elected Mayor of Quincy.

In the 80's Mayor Campbell was one of the best known wheelmen, participating in long distance races where the old "Star" high wheel, termed in those days the "Grasshopper" was the ideal. In later years the mayor was the agent for the wheel as well as for other makes long since out of business. As a special tribute, several wheel clubs who formerly held annual dinners decided to make this "one-big-affair" and the spacious dining room will be crowded to capacity.

It is arranged that the "old-days" will be rehearsed and school-friends of the mayor as well as business associates in former days will discuss the condition that surrounded the early days of the guest of honor.

From Providence it is learned that the Mayor has countless friends who know him as "Chester" and that city will be open for the reception.

Among the speakers will be H. Anthony Dyer, Wm. H. Thurber, John H. Stone, Everett Bryant, H. F. C. Morlock, Wm. G. Rankin, James E. Dawson, who taught the Mayor to ride a bicycle, Geo. P, Darlington and others too numerous to chronicle. The mayor, it is learned will be asked to explain "See that curve," a captain made famous by him when he was in the bicycle business.

Manager Fred Mansfield of the Crown Hotel, a friend of the mayor, has donated his orchestra and cabaret for the occasion.

JARDINE ROLLS TOTAL OF 317

Wollaston Boys Easily Beat Milton

The Wollaston Tennis Club won an easy victory over the boys of Cunningham gymnasium at Milton Monday evening. Jardine of the winners was high with a total of 317 and a single of 119. Baker of the visitors was second with 311. A return match is being arranged.

WOLLASTON

Hoxie	84	86	86	256
Munroe	106	70	89	265
Litchfield	97	94	113	304
Baker	98	106	107	311
Jenner	102	85	109	296
	487	441	504	1432

CUNNINGHAM

Reid	93	86	96	275
Jardine	83	119	115	317
Powell	82	90	86	258
Cummings	94	88	94	276
Woods	103	94	76	273
	455	477	467	1399

TIED FOR FIRST PLACE.

The St. Mary's and Div. 22 teams tied for the lead in the West Quincy league matches Monday night. The former lost 3 to 1. Knight of St. Mary's got high single with 121 and total of 305. The strings:

St. Mary's	443	422	474	1339
Div. 22	443..	488	439	1370

SHIPPING ROOM VICTORIOUS.

The Shipping room of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co., administered a defeat to the Plating room employees at the Dewey Square alleys Saturday evening. The strings:

Shippers	417	434	388	1239
Platers	421	390	367	1188

SOME SPORTING EVENTS.

The Point Congregational church rolls at the Wardwell aleys tonight. The Quincy church league rolls Wednesday night, The Elks league Thursday night and the Junior league Friday night.

Half-Yearly Mark-down

$ 8.50 Suits and Overcoats	$5.95
$10.50 Suits and Overcoats	$7.50
$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	$10.50
$18.00 Suits and Overcoats	$12.50
$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	$14.50
$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	$18.00

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R for Revels, a frolicsome night,
E for Everyone there with delight
V for Vision, the ladies so fair,
E for 8 o'clock, the time to be there.
L for Laughter, a light-hearted throng
S for Supper, for smiles and for song.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

NATIONAL MT. WOLLASTON BANK.

REPORT of the condition of the NATIONAL MOUNT WOLLASTON BANK, at Quincy, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, December 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$650,397 45
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$137,500 00	
Other bonds to secure Postal Savings	44,259 10	181,759 10
Bonds, securities, etc. on hand (other than stocks) including premiums on same		100,181 35
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	$12,000	
Less amount unpaid	10,000 $2,000	
All other stocks including premium on same	9,825	11,825 00
Furniture and Fixtures		980 00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank		16,947 16
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	$ 9,203 57	
in other reserve cities	32,462 13	41,665 70
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)		2,043 32
Outside checks and other cash items $910 27; fractional currency $537 24		1,447 51
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,175 95
Notes of other National Banks		13,040 00
Lawful money reserve in bank: Specie		44,307 55
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		6 875 00
Total		$1,091,695 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$15 ,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits	48,278 36	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	7,841 03	
		40,437 33
Circulating notes	137,500 00	
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption for in transit	1,700 00	
		135,800 00
Due to banks and bankers (other than above)		30,404 70
Dividends unpaid		3 00
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Individual deposits subject to check		600,533 30
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	5,000 00	
Certified checks	600 87	
Postal Savings deposits	42,370 00	
State and municipal deposits	27,544 20	
Deposits with notice of less than 30 days		676,048 37
Total		$1,091,686 49

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.
I, HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1915.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
HENRY M FAXON,
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AGAIN MOUNTS OLD TIME BIKE

Providence Honors Mayor Campbell at Monster Banquet

Declares Quincy Will Not Stop Until She Sends Her Third Son to White House

Providence, Jan. 13—Providence paid its tribute to Mayor Chester I. Campbell of Quincy Tuesday night when several hundred of its leading citizens, including Mayor Joseph Gainer, were present at a banquet in his honor at the Crown hotel. It would be a problem to select a more representative crowd in the social and business life of this city than the one that gathered to greet their native son who had gone forth and distinguished himself. It was a royal welcome home. The affair was delightfully informal. The "Old Boys" who grew up with Mayor Campbell were infected with the spirit of the occasion and were "young" once again. They cut up all sorts of capers and upset the plans of the committee that had planned a considerable program of pomp and ceremony. But their joyous welcome to Mayor Campbell knew no bounds and they crowded every moment with fun and enjoyment. Many had come from far distant states to be present and welcome their friend and associate of years gone by.

There was a long list of speakers and it seemed to be the concensus of opinion that they all figured out a long time ago that "Chet" Campbell would make good at anything he tackled. Several of the speakers assured him that while they had a perfectly good mayor yet they would land him in the chair if he would "come back home". The Hon. Joseph P. Burlingame, chairman of the Republican State Committee, was the toast master. At his right were Mayor Campbell and Mayor Gainer. Others at the guest table were Charles Thatcher, President of the Rhode Island Automobile Dealers Association, William H. Thurber, first president of the Rhode Island Wheelmen, Alderman Clayton A. Ballou, Herman Morlook. William H. Paine was master of ceremonies.

In his younger days Mayor Campbell was a prominent wheelman and the committee in charge of last night's affair had planned a stunt at which they feared he would balk. Just after Mayor Campbell concluded his remarks "Jim" Dawson, a gray haired "youngster" rode into the banquet hall on an antiquated vehicle which was in vogue about thirty five years ago. It was a high wheeled affair with the small wheel in front. It was a Star "bike" with a lever movement. When Dawson dismounted he shouted out a defi to Mayor Campbell. His honor quickly jumped up from the table and in a jiffy mounted the odd looking vehicle and while 250 husky voices roared out their appreciation Mayor Campbell road the machine across the banquet hall.

Toastmaster Burlingame in his opening remarks stated that he was delighted to see so many old familiar faces that carried him back twenty-five years. "We good old scouts like to brag" said the toastmaster. "We have an opportunity tonight and it is a pleasant one I assure you. Some of us have to go out of the state to win honors and we have gathered here tonight to do honor to a native son who has gone forth among strangers and come back to roost on the highest porch of fame that the citizens of Quincy can place him. Up in Quincy I have heard that they have been calling him Chester Impossible Campbell. I should think it is a fair guess that they found him impossible to beat judging by the overwhelming vote that he received we old Rhode Island friends welcome Chester back to his old stamping ground. We are mighty proud of him proud that he is a Providence boy and proud of the fact that we always knew that he would make good. We have given Quincy a mayor and now I have been given to understand that Quincy is going to give our Mayor a wife .There seems to be attraction for Mayor Gainer and Mayor Campbell in both cities."

Mayor Gainer, who was the first speaker, said that it was the most congenial gathering that he had had the good pleasure of attending since his election as Mayor of Providence. Mayor Gainer was the victim of considerable joshing about his knowledge of Quincy and he finally agreed that there was a bond of unity between Providence and Quincy at this time. He said:

"I appreciated the opportunity to say a word of welcome to Mayor Campbell of Quincy. I have been studying up Quincy of late and I find it a delightful place.—laughter— It is a good city as far as I find it and I have a very high opinion of the citizens of Quincy. Mayor Campbell seems to be tied up to Providence and I am in some respects tied up to Quincy.

"We are all, of course, glad of the striking success that Mayor Campbell has made since he left Providence We are proud that we have given Quincy a Mayor. Providence in her time has sent out missionaries and they have all made good. It is pleasing to note that this city gave to the great city of New York her first mayor. and now we have given the great little city of Quincy her mayor. I wish him al possible success in his undertaking and I trust that he will have the cooperation of all the citizens as well as the legislative body in his city."

(Continued on Page Two.)

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Fair Weather in indicated for Thursday with Friday unsettled and probably snow.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.11
Sun sets	4.35
Length of day	9.24
Moon rises	6.44
High water, A. M.	10.00
High water, P. M.	10.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 18 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	32 degrees
Jan. 13, 1914,	4 degrees
Jan. 13, 1913,	23 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

Consider This Sale

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AUTOMOBILE

A seven passenger Rambler car, beautiful design, and most comfortable riding car made. This car has been well taken care of and operated less than 16,000 miles or about half a year's ordinary run.

Will sell for any reasonable offer.

You can see and inspect the car at my garage No. 1230 Hancock Street, Quincy.

J. S. SWINGLE.

Jan. 9-6t

ELECT CAMPBELL NEW PRESIDENT

Fourth of July Association Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Quincy Fourth of July association was held Tuesday evening at the rooms of the Board of Trade. Owing to the absence of the secretary it was not until 8.30 that the meeting was called to order by President Eugene R. Stone.

The report of the treasurer was most encouraging showing that all bills contracted last year had been paid and that there was a small balance in the treasury.

It was voted to contribute the sum of $25 to the G. A. R. Relief association.

The matter of holding a pageant this year was discussed informally and while the association looked with favor on the plan, yet it seemed to be the opinion that the entertainments for the children should be held as usual and that there should be a display of fireworks in the evening. The matter of what form the celebration should take this year, however, was left to the new board of officers.

After the election a vote of thanks was extended to ex-Mayor Eugene R Stone, the retiring president, for his untiring work in behalf of the association. He was its first and only president up to the present time and much of the success of the celebrations during the past three years have been due to his work.

The election of officers resulted as follows, the election in every case being unanimous.

President, Chester I. Campbell.
Vice President, James H. Elcock.
Secretary, Arthur W. Stetson.
Treasurer, Clarence Burgin.
Chairmen of committees:
Reception, Eugene R. Stone.
Finance, Joseph L. Whiton.
Music, A. L. Whitman.
Publicity, Dr. A. H. Gilson.
Fireworks, George F. Elcock.
Antiques and Horribles, Galen V. Bowditch.
Athletics, L. F. LaRose.
Parade, John A. Phelan.
Entertainment, Charles W. Hanscom.
Children, William H. Teasdale.
Charter, George E. Adams.
Emergency, William F. Hodgkinson.

WILL MARRY WEYMOUTH GIRL

John Walsh, the Druggist, To Wed Miss Ellen Reid

Miss Ellen Loretta Reid, one of the most popular clerks at the Quincy Savings Bank and John Francis Walsh, proprietor of the Walsh Drug Co., chain of stores have filed an intention of marriage at the City Hall.

The marriage will take place next Tuesday at Weymouth and will be one of the social affairs of the season.

Miss Reid has made her home in Weymouth for many years and is well known in that town. The groom to be, is a Quincy boy and years ago was considered the fastest base ball player to the south of Boston.

He was a representative of the Metropolitan Insurance Co. during the early days of industrial insurance and a few years ago organized the Walsh Drug Co with stores in South and West Quincy and Quincy. He is a real estate owner and is prominent in several fraternal organizations of the city.

The committee in charge of the testimonial dance to be given by the St. Mary's C. T. A. and M. R. Society is planning for the largest crowd ever at a dance. The committee have secured the best talent obtainable and hope to realize a considerable sum of money on the same. The affair will be held at St. Mary's hall, Friday evening.

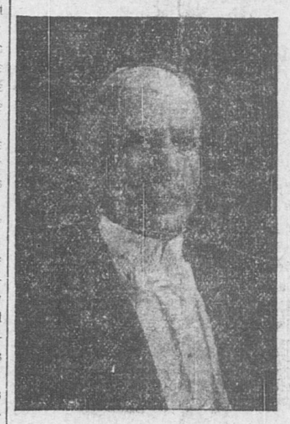
DO YOU WANT BUSINESS? ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

PRESENT COLLARS TO PAST GRANDS

Arthur Stetson is Serving His 25th Term

Three past grand collars were presented at the installation of officers of Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F. in their hall on Tuesday night.

Those honored were Walter H. Cobb, the dean of the local reporters, who served as noble grand in 1889, seven years as a district deputy and one year as herald of the Grand Lodge: Arthur W. Stetson who was noble grand in 1889 and is now serving his 25th term as financial secretary of the lodge and is an aid to the



ARTHUR W. STETSON

National Commander of the Patriarchs Militant, and Matthew Swanson, junior past grand of the lodge and noble grand in 1913.

Past Grand Frank G. Carleton presented the collar to Mr. Cobb, Vice Grand Alexander C. Marnock presented the collar to Matthew Swanson and Past Grand Walter H. Cobb presented Arthur W. Stetson with his collar.

District Deputy Grand Master Winfield Baker and suite of South Weymouth installed the officers. His staff included Grand Warden Henry C. Jessman, Grand Sentinel Henry L. Bates, Grand Financial Secretary Roy E. Sherman, Grand Treasurer Louis W Callahan, Grand Chaplain Fred T. aBrnes, Grand Inside Guard Louis P. Curtis and Grand Outside Guard Alvin T. Thayer, Grand Marshall Benjamin N. Ells.

The following were installed
Noble Grand—Robert W. Wood.
Vice Grand—Alexander C. Marnock.
Recording Secretary—Charles Prout
Financial Secretary—Arthur W. Stetson.
Treasurer—E. Frank Mitchell.
Warden—Frank O. Hallquist.
Conductor—J. Herbert Baker.
Chaplain—Albert T. Eckberg.
Right Supporter Noble Grand—Thomas Smith.
Left Supporter Noble Grand—Albert Wood.
Right Scene Support—George Williams.
Left Scene Support— William Dunstan.
Right Support Vice Grand—William A. Williamson.
Left Support Vice Grand—Clifford Taylor.
Inside Guard—Albert Prescott.
Outside Guard—Matthew Swanson.

Following the ceremonies there were speeches by those who received the collars, the deputy and members of his suite and the newly elected officers. A collation was served. Attending the installation were members from the lodges of this city and Braintree.

C. Chiavaroli, former proprietor of the West Quincy Tailor Shop, who sold out his business to go across to Italy and who broke his leg a few days before he was to sail is able to be about again with the use of a cane.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE LEDGER.

SOPHIE HIGGINS, A. L. C. M.
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From London College of Music
Pianoforte and Theory
54 Broadway Quincy
Jan. 11-3t

HER BABY HAD CROUP

Storm Brings Avalanche of Questions on "Information"

"My baby has the croup. What shall I do for it?" was one of the questions which an excited woman unable to reach her doctor fired at the operator who answered her telephone call this morning.

This was not the only question which operators were asked to answer. Some wanted to inquire about the high tides and hundreds of others wanted to know if the no school signal had been sounded, so that "information" was completely swamped with queries. It was a bad day for operators to get out and for a time this morning the Quincy exchange was a little short handed. Extra help was employed at the exchange. Added to this there was of course much line trouble caused by the storm some 50—75 lines being now out of commission. In addition to this the cable to Braintree was put out of commission. In fact it was one of the worst storms the telephone company has had to contend with for a long time.

A large force of troublemen were sent out early and many of the lines were soon put in commission again

CAPT. CROCKER OUT OF GAME

Injury Will Prevent His Playing This Season

Captain Willard Crocker of the High school basket ball team, who suffered painful knee injuries in the game with Winthrop Tuesday afternoon, will undoubtedly be unable to participate in the balance of the schedule.

Crocker's accident occurred in the second period and although in deep pain he limped from the floor unaided. On reaching the dressing room he all but collapsed. He was later removed to his home.

A slight operation was performed Tuesday evening by Dr. Zwicker who found the cartilage of the knee thrown out and the ligaments badly strained. The young man is resting comfortably today

Crocker's knee was badly wrenched while playing in the Quincy-Wellesley High football game early in the season He withdrew and through good treatment and care brought it back to normal condition.

Crocker's withdrawal will create a vacancy in the captainship and means the loss of one of the gamest boys that ever participated in High school sports.

GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R F. CLAFLIN Clerk.
Jan. 12-7t

TO NIGHT
at
MUSIC HALL
The Event you have been waiting for
CABARET SHOW AND DANCING PARTY
Under Auspices
Quincy Lodge of Elks
Cabaret 8 to 10. Dancing 10 to 12
Admission, including seat at table $1.
Tables Seat 4. Admission to balcony 50c
Beautiful Souvenirs for Ladies
Light Refreshments
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QUINCY FEELS TEETH OF STORM

After Night of Hard Rain, Wet Snow Began to Fall

High Tides Tie up Traffic at Houghs Neck and Other Sections

The rain storm which prevailed all day Tuesday developed into what was probably the worst storm of the season. At times Tuesday afternoon it rained quite hard but it was not until shortly after 5 o'clock that it came in dead earnest. It continued to rain hard all of the evening and as the night drew on the wind shifted to the northeasterly quarter and it began to blow. At midnight the wind was blowing a howling gale.

With the incoming tide the storm seemed to increase in violence. The temperature fell to the freezing point, and shortly after 7 o'clock the rain turned to snow, and a Northeaster was in progress. The sidewalks were covered with water from the heavy rains and the snow turned them into slush. It was a damp snow that stuck to a person as fast as it fell turning pedestrians into snow men, for the wind made it almost impossible to carry an umbrella.

The high wind did considerable damage to wires, and during the height of the storm No. 6 circuit of the fire alarm which takes in the Houghs Neck section parted.

While the tide today would not have ordinarily been a very high one the easterly wind caused an unusually high tide. The marshes along the Neponset river, which the tide does not usually cover, were overflowed with angry waves this morning, but no damage was done.

Along the road to Houghs Neck however, the high tide did considerable damage. Along Norton road leading to what is known as Merrymount sub-division the street was overflowed to a depth of a foot or more. It undermined the stove in a gunning stand along Adams Shore setting it on fire.

The causeway leading to Houghs Neck was soon overflowed and at high tide it was covered with two feet of water, making it impassable even for street cars. People who started for Quincy early this morning managed to get by all right but those who delayed their departure until 8 o'clock were obliged to turn back. The street was impassable for about two hours.

At 7.30 the usual time for sounding the no school signal, the storm did not look as though it was going to be very bad and the sounding of the call was delayed until after 8 o'clock. By that time many of the school children had either arrived at school or were on their way.

The clock on the First church stood the storm all right until shortly before 9 o'clock when the damp snow put it out of commission.

The electric light service was out of commission in some sections.

Although many trees lost their dead limbs, the storm did not do much damage outside of flooding the causeway leading to Houghs Neck.

All along the shore front the effects of the high tide were felt but at this season of the year there are no boats riding at anchor so that no damage was done to local sailing craft.

Train service between Quincy and Boston was not seriously delayed by the storm this morning. During the early part of the morning the outward service was slightly delayed owing to trouble with the pneumatic switching system in the South Station yard, but in no case were the outward trains over fifteen minutes late. The inward service was not interrupted in any way in leaving Quincy although there were probably more or less brief delays in the South Station yard.

For the first time in the memory of the inhabitants the bridge over Blacks creek, near the Kitson home, is utterly submerged and lost to sight.

The entire stretch of boulevard at Wollaston beach was inundated this morning and the water poured across the roadway, filling the meadows between Norfolk Downs and Atlantic.

A small yacht, washed ashore in the last storm at Bayfield street was pounded to pieces and and its parts have disappeared in the flood.

Germantown for three hours was an island, the high tide sweeping around the Ketterer homestead and cutting off communication with the Quincy side.

LOYAL LADIES INDUCT OFFICERS

Loyal Ladies

The Loyal Ladies of Clan MacGregor No. 1 installed officers last evening at Clan MacGregor hall. Past President Mrs. Margaret Gammon acted as installing officer, performing the installation ceremonies in a very impressive manner. She was assisted by Marshal Mary Summers. The following are the officers elected and installed to act during 1915.

Past. Pres. Margaret Stronach, Pres Margaret Ross, Vice Pres. Bella Grassick, Chaplain, Mary Muckle, Rec. Sec. Marjorie Milne, Fin. Sec. Jennie C. Fyffe, Treas. Margaret Collins. Conductors, Russell Medlyn, Josie Daw. Guards, Mary Evans and Christina McMillan.Trustees, Elizabeth Miller, Annie McKenzie, Margaret Hall, Pianist, Mary Barnicoat. Installing officer Margaret Gammon. Installing Marshal Mary Summers.

After the installation a general good time was held. Mrs. Florence Robbie giving a violin selection, Mrs. Ramsay sang songs and a reading by Mrs. Henrietta Marr.

Flowers were sent to the President and Vice President elect, also to installing officers Gammon and Summers by Wm. Patterson of Wollaston.

Refreshments were served consisting of sandwiches and coffee and ice cream. The meeting was largely attended and a very pleasant evening was spent by everyone present.

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FANNING THE FLAMES.

The newspapers recently have given more or less attention to Payne Whitney's costly new tennis court at Manhasset, L. I., erected at an expense of $200,000. The same papers have given much more space to the sufferings of the many who are out of work, who are suffering the effects of the "hard times" with an intensity which only the poor feel.

Payne Whitney has the right to expend his money in any legal manner. Whether or not he has the moral right in these times of distress is a deeper question. But this we do not intend to discuss. That his expenditure was not wise must be admitted by all who have made any study at all of sociological problems.

Most of our readers, we take it, are not fully conscious of the seething discontent among those people who are not fortunate enough to be endowed with this world's goods. It is a serious thing, this discontent, and too little considered.

It is the sort of discontent which has preceded great revolutions. America will have a revolution on her hands some day and all the scornful laughter in the world will not prevent it. There are conditions of modern life which will bring a revolution if they are not remedied. The humanitarian legislation of which we have seen so much the past few years is a partial remedy, but it does not go far enough. The only thing which will prevent it is a thorough and practical application of Christ's teaching that all men are brothers.

The smouldering discontent is there under the surface, waiting to be fanned into a raging flame of revolution. Such acts as Payne Whitney's which parade the luxuries of wealth before all the world, do their part in fanning the flames.

COURAGEOUS AND EFFICIENT.

A popular misconception pictures the chief of a fire department as a man who, after a mad ride through the streets in response to an alarm, directs the firemen how to aim the streams of water and perform the other acts necessary to subdue the flames. That is really only half of the picture. There is important work for a chief to do along the lines of fire prevention.

Chief Billings has demonstrated during the past year that he is not only an efficient fire fighter but also that he knows how to go about his task of preventing fires. He has showed that he intends to see that the laws of the state and the ordinances of the city so far as they relate to fire prevention shall not become dead letters.

People do not always enjoy obeying the laws and they do not always have friendly feelings for the man who makes them do so. It takes courage to fight fires, but it takes more courage to prevent them. Chief Billings is honest, courageous and efficient. He should be reappointed.

AN ENCOURAGING SIGN.

The meeting of the city council Monday night was an encouragement to better government in Quincy. The debate upon the question whether the power of renewing notes against the city should be taken from the city treasurer was both lively and intelligent. In recent years there have been many lively debates in the council chamber. There have not been so many intelligent ones. It begins to look as if this years councilmen are going to betray more than casual flashes of intelligence. It begins to look as if the deliberative branch of the City government is going to be honest and efficient in the year 1915.

Two truths may be learned from that rush for employment as "super" in "Ben Hur" Sunday. First, that there are over 2,000 men and women in Boston unemployed who are crazy for work. And second that women have infinitely more patience and self control than men. The women stood in an orderly line waiting for interviews, while the men fought and scrambled for advantageous positions with the result that clothing was torn hats crushed, and several men fainted.

SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

PRECOCIOUS, EH?

Father—Here is a little bank to keep your money in.

Tommy—What? And have the district attorney get a line on me deposits?—New York Sun.

FRANK.

Hostess (at the party)—Miss Robbins has no partner for this waltz. Would you mind dancing with her instead of with me?

The Man—On the contrary, I shall be delighted.—Boston Transcript.

FORESIGHTED.

Mrs. Briggs—So there's not going to be a postal strike, after all, Mrs Johnson.

Mrs. Johnson (remembering the coal strike)—Well, you never can tell but what it may come at any moment: so I shall lay in a good stock of stamps now.—Punch.

SHE DECLINED.

The street car conductor was very impatient. He was waiting for an elderly and very stout lady to board his car, when she suddenly exclaimed: "Conductor, conductor, will I get a shock if I step on that rail?"

He quietly answered, "No, lady, no unless you put your other foot on the trolley wire."—Judge.

RIGHTEOUS INDIGNATION.

Policeman Smith had selected a pair of shoes, and was about to try one of them on, when the man took it and deftly sprinkled some French chalk in it to ease the forthcoming strain. When he handed it back Smith threw it on the floor, pulled off his own shoe and started out. The proprietor noted the incident.

"What's the matter, Mr. Smith?" he panted, as he caught up to him. "Was the man impudent?"

For a moment Smith glared at him in almost speechless anger, then observed, with icy dignity:

"If I can't come into a place to try on a pair of shoes without having chloride of lime put into them before hand, I'll go somewhere else."—Tit-Bits.

DENIED ALLEGATION.

Bank Clerk—Madam, may I see your stubs?

Spinster (haughtily)—Excuse me sir, I don't smoke.—The Purple Cow.

HIS AIM.

"Cholly certainly aims high in life."

"How so?"

"He's collecting cigarette coupons for an automobile."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS.

"I was so disappointed that I was out the other day, when you called Miss Percival."

"So was I. I felt sure I'd find you because as I turned the corner I saw you go in."—Boston Transcript.

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ORIGINAL SONGS HIT OF EVENING

Installation of Officers at St. Francis Court

District High Chief Ranger, William H. Donlan and the degree staff from St. Peters court, M. C. O. F. of Dorchester, the youngest in the state, installed the officers of St. Francis court, in St. Joseph's hall Tuesday night. Among those present was Cornelius M. Duggan, past high chief ranger, whose original songs made the hit of the evening.

The entertainment program included selections by the St. Peter's quarette, Parker Higgins, Jeremiah McDonald, Joseph Hughes and Harold Schierer, and solos by Daniel Scully, John J. Carey, John W. Shea and John J. Higgins. Music was by Edward Richardson and recitations were given by Temple Grissell.

The work of the staff, witnessed by a large number, was highly commended. The officers installed were:

Chief Ranger—Philip T. Egan.

Vice Chief Ranger—Dr. John H. Nash.

Recording Secretary—Napoleon B. Grignon.

Financial Secretary — Michael F. Riley.

Treasurer—William H. Callahan.

Senior Conductor—Michael Lyons.

Junior Conductor—Daniel Shea.

Inside Sentinel—Barney Griffin.

Outside Sentinel—Thomas A. Eames

AGAIN MOUNTS

(Continued from Page One.)

Mayor Campbell was given a tremendous ovation when he was introduced. It was several minutes before he was able to speak. He was constantly interrupted by pleasant personal flings that upset any set speech that he might have prepared. His honor replied to the darts of humor and had a whole lot of fun. He said:

"It is a great pleasure to come back among my old friends and associates in my native town and receive this cordial greeting. I assure you that I keenly appreciate it and I want to thank you. I have never forgotten my old friends in Providence and often my mind wanders back to the pleasant time here and the good fellows that I grew up to manhood with and who later were associated with me in business.

"I have gone to another city which I am proud to state has made me her chief executive. When you gentlemen motor to Boston you pass through Quincy and I want to understand that the latch is out at City Hall and a most cordial welcome will be waiting anyone from this glorious old city."

"You might do well to linger and no doubt you will agree with me that it is a delightful place to live. Of course Quincy is not as large in population as this city but we have plenty of room to grow and we will grow by leaps and bounds. Altogether I can't think of a better city than Quincy. It has fine institutions and its legislative body is composed of high minded, public spirited citizens all striving for the one purpose, good government. Two presidents of United States were born in our historic city and I feel pretty sure that we will not stop until we make it three."

Mayor Campbell then harkened back to the old "bike" days, recalling that he had the honor of managing the first safety bicycle race ever run in America. It was on the oval at Roger Williams Park.

The other speakers were William H. Thurber, James Dawson, John Garrett, "Cy" Farnum and John Stone.

Among those present from Quincy were Leonard and Henry. Campbell, brothers of the mayor, Arthur Dodge and William Mann of Wollaston, who formerly resided here. A. Charles, the well known Boston automobile dealer was also present.

STORM INTERFERES WITH SOCIAL

The severe storm Tuesday evening interfered somewhat with the social held under the auspices of the Bethany church but in spite of the bad weather about forty were present. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner with games, music, etc. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening.

☞ Miss Annie L. Prescott has $1.00, also the 75 cent tickets for "The Revels" for those in costume and also balcony seats at $1.00 each. Tickets are in great demand this year as every one seems to be going to "The Revels" either to take part or look on.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The members of the Neighborhood club held their annual supper and business meeting Friday evening in the vestry of the East Congregational church. One remarkable thing was that out of the total of 50 members there were 47 who sat down at the supper table. The supper was in charge of Mrs. Jesse B. Baxter assisted by Mrs. Marshall A. Abbett and Mrs. Littleton R. Bolton. The waitresses were the Misses Dorothy Fuller Emily Doherty, Marion Hastings, Marion Hathaway, Frances Gosselin and Marion Clark. The vestry was very prettily decorated with flowers and colored candles.

Immediately following the supper Mrs. Carlton A. Rowe who was re-elected president, was presented with a large bouquet of red pinks.

The occasion was not only the annual meeting but the fifth anniversary of the organization of the club. The recording secretary gave reports of the whole five year's work and the treasurers report for the past three years showed that $1100 had been handled by the club within that period of time. Then the election of officers took place. All of last year's officers with the exception of the corresponding secretary and treasurer were reelected. The newly elected officers are:

President—Mrs. Carlton Rowe.

Vice President—Mrs. Benjamin Fuller.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. William Parsons.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Samuel Kirkland.

Treasurer—Mrs. A. S. Barnes.

Auditor—Mrs. MacCurdy.

President Miss Edith C. Johnson. Rev. J. Hamilton Woodsum, Victor Landstrom, James Lewis and Miss Alice Beattie were the delegates from the local C. E. society of the First Baptist church at the cabinet meeting of the East Norfolk Union held Monday evening in the Bethany Congregational church of Quincy.

Miss Hazel Pond of Central street entertained eight of her friends Saturday evening at her home.

Miss Mary B. Thomas observed her 86th milestone Saturday evening by holding a party at the home of Mrs. H. M. Thomas, on Sheldon street, East Milton. Miss Thomas has for years been a well known resident of Milton and is better known in Weymouth where she was born. Her poetry and paintings are very much liked by all who see them. There were forty people present at the party and the program was largely a musical one. Several patriotic songs were sung in the beginning of the evening and violin and piano duet was rendered by Charles H. Brown and Mrs. W. T. Seabury. The "Old Granite State," a song which was made famous about 60 years ago when it was composed and sung by the Hutchinson family was enjoyed by all present. Mr. A. J. Sidelinger sang "Anchored." Master Roland T. Seabury, eleven years old, played a piano solo.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown then sang "The Lord delivered Daniel." A poem which had been written for the occasion by Mrs. Mary A. Barker was read by Miss Alice Barker and delighted Miss Thomas very much. Gordon Lewis sang "The Star Spangled Banner" and Rev. J. Hamilton Woodsum of the First Baptist church "The Little Brown Church in the Wildwood." The large birthday cake was then brought in and, after the refreshments the party broke up each one declaring he had had a fine time, hoping to enjoy many other occasions of this sort in the coming year.

WELL, WELL.

The old gentleman's wife was getting into a carriage, and he neglected to assist her.

"You are not so gallant, John, as when I was a gal," she exclaimed, in gentle rebuke.

"No," was his ready response, "and you are not so buoyant as when I was a boy!"—Tit-Bits.

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BEATEN FOR SECOND TIME

Woman Suffrage Fails, 174 to 204, In National House

PARTY LINES ARE NOT DRAWN

Bill Needed Two-Thirds Majority to Pass—Speaker Clark Kept Busy In Preserving Order—Suffrage Leaders Not Dismayed—Gist of Argument For and Against Measure

Washington, Jan. 13.—The house of representatives last night, by a vote of 204 to 174, refused to submit to the states an amendment to the federal constitution to enfranchise women.

The vote, the second in the history of congress on the woman suffrage issue, came at the close of a day of long-prepared-for oratory, during which the many speakers were listened to with frequent evidences of approval or disapproval by packed galleries. The question was before the house on the Mondell resolution to submit a constitutional amendment providing that the right of suffrage should not be abridged "because of sex."

A two-thirds affirmative vote was necessary to pass the resolution. It was defeated by a majority of 30.

Party lines were not strictly drawn in the fight, though Democratic Leader Underwood, voicing the attitude of his party that suffrage is a state issue, strongly opposed the resolution, while Republican Leader Mann was one of the chief speakers for the suffragists.

Enthusiasm mingled with dejection when Speaker Clark announced the result, and into the corridors from opposite galleries filed the hundreds of suffragists, with their purple and yellow sashes, and the red-rose bedecked anti-suffragists.

This was the second defeat for the suffrage cause in the national legislature within a year. March 19 last an equal suffrage constitutional amendment received a vote of 35 to 34 in the senate, securing the bare majority, but failing of the necessary two-thirds.

However, suffragist leaders were not dismayed. As they left the galleries, led by Dr. Anna H. Shaw, Mrs. Carrie C. Catt and other champions of the cause, they declared the fight was by no means over, and that the suffrage propaganda would be pressed forward and onward until every woman in America should have the right to cast a ballot.

Often during the earnest, and at times bitter, debate preceding the vote, Clark was forced to interrupt the speakers on the floor, fill the chamber with the deafening battering of his gavel, and warn both members and spectators that order must be preserved. Several times he threatened to have the galleries cleard unless the disturbance subsided. But the murmurs of approval and disapproval persisted, as each speaker voiced his support for or opposition to "votes for women."

The turmoil culminated in a storm of hissing that greeted a speech made by Representative Bowdle of Ohio, opposing the amendment. He had treated the subject humorously and remarked that "women of Washington are beautiful, but they have no interest in affairs of state."

Opponents of the resolution based their opposition largely on the argument that for the federal government to prescribe qualification for suffrage would be an unwarranted invasion of the right of the individual states to control their elections and further upon the contention that there was no adequate "public demand" for this amendment which showed it to be "necessary."

Advocates of the amendment contended that the widespread demand for woman suffrage; its success in the states where it has been tried and the principle of allowing the people to rule, justified the submission of the proposal to the states for ratification.

Preceding the general debate there was debate of an hour and a half on a special rule providing for consideration of the resolution, which was adopted by a rising vote of 209 to 31.

BLAME PLACED ON FARMERS

Holding Wheat For Rise In Price, According to Grocers' Association

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The National Association of Retail Grocers adopted a resolution at the closing session of its convention last night, asking that the federal authorities press the investigation in the present increase in the price of wheat products.

"We have evidence that farmers are holding back shipments," said F. B. Connolly, president of the organization, "and that they have been told a big advance in price will come soon."

Steamer Sights Big Iceberg

Halifax, Jan. 13.—A large iceberg 250 miles east of Newfoundland was sighted by the steamship Pomeranian, which arrived here after a stormy sixteen-day voyage from Glasgow.

Grand Duke Not Killed

Petrograd, Jan. 13.—The report of the death of Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, brother-in-law of Emperor Nicholas, while fighting in Persia, was given official denial here.

NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy will be held at

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At 8 o'clock

for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

In view of the great increase in the activities and usefulness of the Hospital, it is very desirable that there should be a large attendance at this meeting.

WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

SAFE AND SANE FOURTH.

Editor The Ledger:

"A Safe and Sane 4th" has come to stay. The boisterous and dangerous celebration seemed to have become so permanently established that it looked like a long, long way to any change in the celebration the record of which should not contain a list of the killed and wounded.

Another advance has been made in many cities and the historical pageant is taking the place of antiques and horribles and the Bungtown Invincibles, with other features more or less entertaining and amusing. In this generation when there is need of teaching history and patriotism not only to the foreign element, adult and children, but to our own children as well, the historical pageant affords the most effective agency for providing instruction and entertainment. It is not an omission to be lightly considered if Quincy with its wealth of historical material should not provide for July 4th next a pageant, and our Mayor struck the keynote when he recommended in his inaugural that this matter be given serious consideration.

We have here in Quincy a newly incorporated 4th of July Committee. We have also a flourishing Historical Society. Once a concerted movement is started and the full development will unfold itself in a very natural way. As an initial step it has been suggested that the July 4th Committee and the Historical Society select two members, each to act in conjunction with the Mayor's representative as a provisional committee. The tenure of such a committee would be until an executive committee and sub-committees should be selected later on.

The literature on the subject is abundant, and the importance of such pageants is so great that the Russell Sage Foundation has a separate department to provide all needed information.

While it is improbable that the city council will deem it wise and proper to vote any large sum for this historical pageant, there is no question but what private individuals will contribute sufficient to compass all the expenses.

In taking Springfield, for instances, as one of the pioneer cities in such a celebration, the arrangements for the day naturally divided themselves into two parts; one where the coloring was historical locally so, and the other where representatives of different nationalities in the city provided at their own expense floats with striking features of their own, even the Chinese laundrymen contributing a float which was an object of admiration as well as surprise. It is just as true of Quincy as of Springfield that while it is a melting pot and the loyalty of our adopted citizens is unquestioned, loyalty to the land of their birth never shall and never need be entirely extinguished.

Rufus B. Tobey.

☞ The Ledger would like to hear from some one who could write Wollaston news items such as personals, afternoon social affairs, etc., each day for the paper. Good pay on space to the right one either man or woman.

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What Local Clubs are Doing

News of Women's Clubs is a feature of the Daily Ledger every Wednesday. Secretaries of organizations should send notices of club activities, to reach the Club Editor not later than Tuesday night to insure insertion the next day.

"The Revels," appear to be the topic of interest this week among club women and their friends for every one seems to be planning to attend "The Revels" Friday evening at Music hall under the auspices of the Civics committee of the Quincy Women's club. It is a grand frolic for every one, a letdown that even the most sedate enjoys at times.

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Next week is a busy one for the Wollaston Woman's Club with presidents day Tuesday afternoon, at St. Chrysostom's church; an opera talk by Havrah Hubbard Wednesday afternoon and the opera Priscilla Friday night at Quincy Music hall.

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Unusual interest is being taken in the rally Saturday night at the High school by the Young Women's club as plans are to be presented for the establishment of a recreation room. Speakers will present the subject and there will be music and an informal reception and refreshments.

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A large class in parliamentary law is to be started Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the clubhouse, under the auspices of the Legislative committee of the Quincy Women's club, Mrs. W. W. Whitcher, chairman, Mrs. Electa Sherman teacher. The lessons are given complimentary to members of the club and it is hoped many will avail themselves of the unusual privilege.

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A regular meeting of the Atlantic Shakespeare Society will be held tomorrow afternoon for the continuance of the study of King Henry The Fourth under the chairmanship of Mrs. T. Lyndon Gurney.

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Charitable Ten Circle of King's Daughters is to be entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Fenno 538 Hancock street.

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The luncheon on Saturday at the Copley-Plaza hotel, Boston, by the State Society of the Daughters of the Revolution in honor of the President-General Mrs. Cara Rogers Bleakley, promises to be the most brilliant affair of the season for the Daughters. Following the luncheon a reception is to be given Mrs. Bleakley at the Society headquarters at The Westminster at three o'clock, which in turn will be followed by the regular meeting.

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Mrs. Albert H. Wright of Saville street is hostess and Miss Mary W. Holden the committee for the meeting Monday afternoon of the Junior Friday club. Darwin in South America will be the subject.

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Mrs. Emery L. Crane is to entertain the next meeting of the Katharyn Crane Memorial Club, Tuesday, Jan. 19 at her home, 20 Whitney road.

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Next Tuesday is an important date with the Wollaston Woman's Club it being presidents day. Presidents and secretaries of neighboring clubs have been invited to attend as well as Federation officers and members of some of the local clubs. The meeting will be in St. Chrysostom's church at the corner of Hancock and Beale streets. Homer B. Hulbert will give an illustrated lecture on "Korea and the Far East."

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At the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society of the Wollaston Congregational church, Mrs. Isaiah Sneath will be the leader. Subject of the afternoon will be "Work among the Negroes."

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Miss Anna M. Bancroft of Hopedale president of the National Alliance is to speak on Alliance work at the next meeting of Quincy Alliance, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 20, at three o'clock in the parlor of the First Parish church.

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Mrs. Bradford Hayden is chairman of the whist party to be given Wednesday afternoon by the Women's Riverside Club at their clubhouse on Edison park.

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A public health conference is to be held tomorrow in Chipman hall, Tremont Temple, Boston to which club women are invited. The morning session begins at 10 o'clock and the afternoon at two and there will be a notable list of speakers.

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An audience that completely filled Association hall greeted Mrs. Irving H. Upton of Roxbury when she addressed the members and friends of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. at their regular meeting last Friday. Her subject was, "Fretfulness in the Home." A short devotional service opened the meeting conducted by Mrs. Stephen C. Lang. Mrs. Moore sang two beautiful solos. Master Joe Beal, for the Boys' Cabinet told of the work being done in the Boys' Bible Classes. There were refreshments served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Frank Gilbert, assisted by Mrs. David Goodspeed, Mrs. Sidney Baker, and Mrs. Edwin E. Smith.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

As so aptly said by the chairman of the afternoon, Tuesday at the meeting of the Quincy Women's club, the gathering represented "quality rather than quantity" the storm preventing only those especially uninterested in social work from attending.

Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, president, called for the reports of the clerk and treasurer and made announcements of conferences and club notices, among them a sale on Friday and Saturday at the home of Mrs. Charles R. Safford, Brook street, Wollaston, of baskets made by Mrs. Alfred W. Jelenek, a club member much beloved who had recently passed away. There were beautiful pieces of her handiwork and it was hoped to dispose of all of them.

Among the committee announcements Mrs. Doble for the Civics committee spoke of "The Revels" to be held Friday night at Quincy Music hall, assuring those attending a jolly time. Mrs. Mellen, Education, announced a card party at the clubhouse Jan. 29 from 2 to 4 to raise money for the school nurse. No prizes would be given. Whist, bridge and auction bridge would be played and those wishing to attend could subscribe to members of her committee. Mrs. Whitcher, Legislative, spoke of the class in parliamentary to begin Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the clubhouse to be held fortnightly. Free to club members and $1.00 for the six lessons to others. She also bespoke a large attendance for the next club meeting at Alpha hall when Mrs. Maud Wood Parke would be the speaker. Mrs. Hunt, Music called attention to an artistic poster announcing the opera Mikado to be given Feb. 10 at Music hall, the work of Mrs. Blanchard of the Art committee. She said club members who had not already secured tickets could do so of Mrs. Doble. Mrs. Pfaffmann Girls club, announced a rally Saturday night at High school hall and urged club members to attend and see what the girls were accomplishing and hear the good speakers. Mrs Turner, Press, said newspaper field in Quincy had been enlarged making more work for her committee and Mrs Frank F. Prescott had been added to the committee to cover The Search light.

The president spoke of the club's tenth anniversary in February, plans for which were going forward. Mrs H. W. Pinkham treasurer was chairman of the committee to solicit for the memorial fund to be used for a school nurse. Mrs. Pinkham reported of the work done in the summer for the relief of Salem fire sufferers Three barrels and a box of clothing had been packed and sent in July; a check of $50 sent to Mr. Burgin for the Quincy fund; $25 for expenses of Miss Purchase at Salem, and the ladies had mended and prepared clothing during the summer and in the fall sent two barrels more clothing to Salem.

A pleasing musical program was rendered by Miss Caroline Lewis soloist and Miss Helen Seavey accompanist, two groups being given, the first, "Oh, for a Breath of the Moor lands" by Whelpley and "Her Rose" by Coombs, and in the second "A Boat Song" by Ware and "Little Gray Home in the West." Miss Lewis has a sweet voice of richness and much promise and Miss Seavey accompanied delightfully.

Mrs. Wilson Marsh, chairman of the Philanthropic committee having the program of the afternoon in charge introduced the speakers, the first being Miss Jenny M. Purchase secretary of the Quincy Associated Charities who told of her work in Salem to relieve the fire sufferers, where she was sent for two weeks at the expense of the club. Sh said in part:

Headquarters were in the Armory and the militia were in control. A committee of 100 citizens was at first in control of the relief work, but was too large and a committee of 16 was formed and the work of rehabilitation caried on in one of the school houses where there were departments of investigation, complaints, food registration, etc. The work was thoroughly systemized. It was said there were 18,000 fire sufferers and 30,000 volunteer workers trying to assist. Out of this number there were many trained and experienced workers who were sent by their societies and paid by them.

The relief camps under the control of the soldiers were an interesting sight. Immediately after the fire two of these were established at Forest River park and at Highland Park. There were 3000 to 3500 refugees in these camps. There was a dining tent, cook tent, hospital, everything clean and orderly; also instructors in various handicrafts such as basket weaving, lace making, and leaders for the childrens play; these workers were paid by Salem people. Altogether life in the tents was one continuous picinc for many, nothing to do, plenty to eat. Some would have been willing to stay indefinitely however expedients such as wood chopping offers of employment and compulsory shower baths reduced the number of these. Dr. Hardwick of Quincy had charge of one camp. Other Quincy people helping were Miss Marian Jackson, Miss Mary Carey and Miss Katherine Hardwick.

At first meals were served to the homeless. Groceries were issued every morning to those who had homes of any sort and orders from headquarters for the groceries. At first great quantities of food were received which was perishable and could not be used Clothing came by the ton. Tons of it were given away, tons more could not be disposed of. Dress coats, ball dresses, odd shoes accumulated and much heavy winter clothing was stored and is being used now probably. It is a kind of game among a certain class seeing how much clothing they can get at a time like this There is a certain fascination about it and many women were going to the various distributing centers twice a day and comparing notes.

There are so many at such a time who want to get all they can; they realize that it is a chance of a life time to get something they do not have to work for. They are afraid that they will not get all that is coming to them if they do not be crafty and so it happens that they come to think that all who have to do with the distribution of relief are conspiring to keep it away from them. There are many ways of trying to get ahead. One is for every member of a family to put in a separate application. As they usually are scattered after the fire much relief can be obtained at first in this way but afterward when notes are compared the result does not seem satisfactory to the family. At first the frauds bothered a lot but after a while the other folks have a better chance. It was a bit hard to reach many people who would not apply dreading to have any appearance of receiving charity.

Miss Frances G. Curtis with her experience on the State Board of Charity and in dealing with the State's minor wards and school children gave a most comprehensive sketch of the work of a school visitor as supplementing the work of a school nurse. As the club is about to install a nurse in the Quincy schools her talk was of particular interest. There are 40 school nurses in Boston, all busy. The doctors work is followed up by the nurse, and that of the doctor and nurse by the school visitor. The visitor is the intelligent friend of the family—a help to parent and child, a connecting link between the school and the home. If the doctor and nurse see the necessity of caring for a child's eyes, ears, teeth or malnutrition, the visitor takes it up with the mother in a friendly way so that the child shall get its education without being handicapped. It required tact, education and kindly feeling on the part of the visitor if results are to follow.

Mrs. Hunting spoke of what it was hoped to accomplish in Quincy with a school nurse.

Miss Lillian P. Richards representing the Massachusetts Association of Women Workers spoke most interestingly of the work. The Young Women's club had recently become affiliated with this Association and hence the subject was timely here. The Association work preceded settlement work. It taught organization, club life and self government by the girls. There are classes in cooking, sewing, social hours, etc. A common meeting ground was as necessary for the college woman as the worker.

Fred R. Johnson spoke of the unemployed, a very serious problem just now. It was almost impossible to relieve in the mass, for there were those who were out of employment from necessity, those who preferred charity to work, the intemperate, etc. Each has to be taken as a unit. What to do for the type of man willing to work and without employment was the question. Employers were urged to run their factories a few days a week instead of all the time and laying off part of help.

Mr. Johnson said if women had work to be done in the home such as painting, papering, etc., it would relieve the situation to have it done now instead of waiting until spring. The unemployed is not a question for municipality, state or country but for individual. Begin with ones neighbors and work outwards, same as the Quincy Associated Charities was doing. Unemployed insurance might be feasible as in Europe. The trade unions have insurance. Work for the unemployed must be steady, not blazened forth to the public, not spectacular.

All the speakers received close attention and appreciative applause at the close of their talk. A social hour followed during which hot chocolate and cake were served. The pourers were Mrs. Charles H. Porter and Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard. The hostess was Mrs. Elden G. Howe, assisted by Mrs. Andrews, Miss Taber, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Schulze and Mrs. Prescott.

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VISITING NURSE.

Report of the Visiting Nurse for December was as follows: Number of visits 311; Metropolitan visits 33; Number of Patients 60; Free 36; Pay 20; Met 4; Fees $43.50; Carfares $11.10; Doctors calling 13; First calls in obstetrics 7. Districts visited, Quincy, West and South Quincy, Quincy Point, Wollaston, Norfolk Downs, Atlantic and Houghs Neck. The donations were old linen, Mrs. Saville; fruit, jelly, tops. a friend; $5.00 from Mrs. Alden for Christmas treats. $25. from T. King; $56. from Katharyn Crane Memorial Club, proceeds of dancing party.

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ABIGAIL PHILLIPS D. A. R.

Mrs. Frank C. Blake entertained the members of Abigail Phillips Quincy chapter D. A. R. Monday afternoon at her home 56 Elm avenue Wollaston. Mrs. I. F. Waterhouse the regent presided.

At the business meeting the most important transaction was the unanimous vote to give the sum of $25. towards the support of Paul Revere post G. A. R. for the coming year Mrs. W. H. Spooner sang "Down in the Forest" very expressively, accompanied by Mrs. Edith Barry at the piano.

The paper of the afternoon "Building of Bunker Hill Monument" was read by Miss Susan B. Willard regent of the Old Colony chapter at Hingham.

It was of special interest to Quincy people as the erection of the monument was so closely connected with local history "Solomon Willard the architect and superintendent of Bunker Hill monument lived, died and is buried in Quincy. The Willard school standing near his last resting place commemorates his name. It has been said that any mention of the building of the monument could not be made without giving a history of Mr. Willard's life as he was so intimately connected with it for many years.

Mr. Willard invented several machines for the purpose of handling the immense blocks of granite used in the construction of the monument. It is said that he walked over 300 miles before he found granite suitable for the undertaking in the quarry at West Quincy.

The first railroad in the United States was constructed to convey the blocks of granite from the quarry to tide water.

The corner-stone of the monument was laid June 17, 1825 when General Lafayette was present, and while the actual work of completion was done July 23, 1842, the celebration did not occur until the 68th anniversary of the battle the following year."

Mr. Willard was the great uncle of the speaker Miss Susan Willard.

Mrs. Spooner sang "Where Blossoms Grow" very pleasingly. The hostess, Mrs. Blake assisted by Mrs. E. Jameson, Mrs. J. R. Barber, Mrs. G. B. Damon and Mrs. E. O. Woodward who poured, served most delicious and dainty refreshments to a large number of members. Bouquets of cut flowers graced the tables.

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PLANNING OF CLOTHES.

Mrs. Lotta B. Miller of the Filene Company, Boston, gave the members of the Monday club of Weymouth a most practical business talk on "Clothes Planning and the Budget," at their meeting last week. She said:

"From statistics women spend 90 per cent of all the money and for that reason, should learn to plan a budget and spend the money as a business concern would do. A successful business budget is as follows:

Sustenance 55 per cent, clothing 18 per cent. rent 12 per cent. fuel 5 per cent. sundries 10 per cent. If necessary less than 18 per cent. can be used for clothes. Plan the budget for clothing on a three-year basis buying one large article each year.

In purchasing get clothing made of good materials, plainly trimmed, for a lavish display of trimming must be paid for at the expense of both quantity and quality of material. Then take care of them and they will look well for a long time.

As to the question of fashions changing so often she urged the ladies not to be conspicuous as freaks either new or old fashioned but to introduce some element of the prevailing style that is suitable and will not look badly another year.

Stockings will last longer if washed every day as the excretions of the feet or poisonous and make the material decay.

She distributed booklets in which was a budget for the woman who has $250 a year and also one for the woman with only $50 a year for dress."

PLYMOUTH GIRLS CLUB.

Those planning to attend the Rally of the Young Women's club Saturday night will hear of the work of the Plymouth Girls' club through Miss Maria Robbins who is to be one of the speakers. This club is one of the largest and best in the state and doing a broad comprehensive work.

The Old Colony Memorial in its issue of Oct. 3 has this to say: "The council of the Girls Club has planned a very interesting program for the year with classes in cooking, gymnasium and dancing, millinery, basketry and embroidery, every Tuesday evening, except the first Tuesday in each month, when the monthly business meeting is held, followed by a social and entertainment. A committee is to provide entertainments for the social hour following each class meeting.

Parties last year proved popular, and this year a number have been planned, Hallowe'en, New Years, April Fools Social, and the big wind-up party the closing night. The basket-ball team showed good material last year, and no doubt will prove an interesting feature of the club this winter.

The last hour of every third Tuesday, the same as last year, will be devoted to speakers of educational value and according to the committees plans some very fine ones have been obtained. Oct. 20, Miss Rose Leveroni will give a song recital.

Nov. 17, Miss Ethel Hobart, whose coming is looked forward to every year by the club, will speak on "Clubs."

Dec. 15, Miss Mary Rock will talk on "Vocational Training."

Jan. 19, Miss Jean Hamilton, secretary of the National League of Women workers, will address the club.

Feb. 16, Mrs. Ruth Butts Carson,

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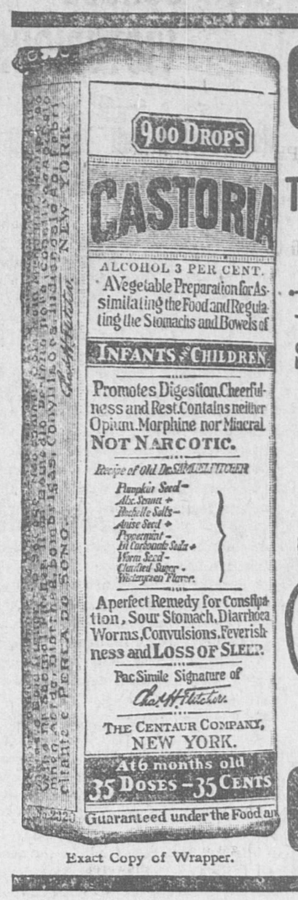
CLUB EVENTS

JANUARY.

3—St. Chrysostom's W. G. annual.
4—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
5—Q. W. Club—Revels.
6—Q. Y. W. Club Rally—Q. H. S. hall
8—Junior Friday Club, Mrs. Wright.
8—Q. W. Club—parliamentary law.
8—Charitable Ten, Mrs. Fenno.
9—K. C. M. Club, Mrs. Crane.
9—W. W. Club—St. Chrysostom's
0—Quincy Alliance, Chapel.
0—Ladies Benevolent Society, Wol. Cong. Church.
0—W. W. Club—Opera talk.
0—Riverside Club.—Whist.
2—W. W. Club—opera "Priscilla."
5—A. P. Q. Chapter, D. A. R., Boston.
6—Q. W. Club—Alpha Hall.
7—Ladies Benevolent Society, Wol. Cong. Church.
7—Wollaston Alliance.
7—W. W. Club, Opera talk.
7—Riverside Club—Mrs. Arnolds'
8—Hospital Aid Asso.—Mrs. L. H. Sturtevant.
8—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.

FEBRUARY.

1—Adams Chapter D. R., Miss Pierce
1—Q. Day Nursery Asso. Clubhouse.
1—Junior Friday Club—Miss Randall
2—K. C. M. Club—Harriot Barbour.
2—W. W. Club—P. & D. Church.
3—Wol. Aux. W. B. of M.
3—Bethany Women's Union.
3—Quincy Alliance.
3—W. W. Club—Parsifal M. E. church.
4—Q. W. C. Board meeting.
8—A. P. Q. Chapter, Mrs. Jameson.
9—Q. W. Club—Q. Music Hall.
0—Wollaston Alliance.
0—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
0—Q. W. Club—Opera Q. M. Hall.
1—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
1—St. Chrysostom's Guild Fair.
1—W. W. Club—Board meeting
5—Junior Friday Club—Mrs. Thompson.
6—K. C. M. Club—Miss Holden.
6—W. W. Club—Q. M. Hall.
7—Quincy Alliance.
3—Q. W. Club—10 Anniversary.
4—Wollaston Alliance.
4—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
5—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.



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RETIRES AFTER LONG SERVICE

New Officers Installed at Loyal Orange Lodge

The installing staff of the Massachusetts Loyal Orange Lodge, under the direction of Master E. R. Brown inducted the elected officers of the Quincy lodge into office in Protection hall Tuesday night.

Included in the staff were Deputy Master John Black, Secretary William McDougal, Financial Secretary D. R. McLeod, Treasurer, Daniel McKeil, Chaplain Roland Bailey, Foreman of Committees Colin Goodwin, Director of Ceremonies Ellis Pelley and Inside Guard A. Watts.

The program of the evening included speeches by the visitors and by Andrew Stewart, who retires as worthy master after six years service. Committee reports showed the lodge to be in prosperous condition. Songs were rendered by J. Bailey and William Lavery.

Many visitors were present and refreshments were served. Those installed were:

Worth Master—David Wright.
Deputy Worthy Master— Joseph Herron.
Recording Secretary — Herbert Sproul.
Financial Secretary—Albert Sunnerburgh.
Treasurer—Gus Lunberg.
Chaplain—W. B. Jones.
Director of Ceremonies—George Jones.
First Conductor—David Johnson.
Second Conductor—John Irwin.
Inside Tyler—William McLeod.
Outside Tyler—Charles Archibald.
Chairman of committee on law—Richard Rendle.
Committee on Law—John Peters, John Gregory, John Arbuckle, Thomas Davison.
Finance Committee—William Ellis James Freeborn.

JOLLY SIXTEEN PLAY WHIST.

The Jolly Sixteen whist club met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howes on Cottage street. At the conclusion of two hours play ices were served. The prizes for the best scores were awarded to Miss Annie Smith, Walter Howes and George B. Dexheimer.

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HIGH SCHOOL VICTORIOUS

Both Basket Ball Teams Defeat Winthrop Boys

Both of the basket ball teams of Quincy High school won their games over Winthrop High in the Interscholastic league at the local gym Tuesday afternoon. The senior team won 20 to 13 and the juniors 17 to 11.

Capt. Willard Crocker of the first team suffered an injury to his left knee in the second period and was obliged to retire. Davis was substituted and did good work.

The junior contest was the feature of the afternoon and was one of the hardest fought sessions ever seen in the city. The visitors led 7 to 5 at the close of the first period and 13 to 11 in the second.

The third period opened with a snap Welsford scoring two goals from the floor and one foul in the first two minutes of play, giving his team the lead.

Winthrop second was held scoreless while Welsford netted another goal from a foul.

Both teams, almost evenly matched exhibited a passing skill that was surprising and the give and take attitude of the men on both sides enlivened the contest and brought the fans to their feet time and again.

The visiting seniors led Quincy 7 to 5 in the first period but in the second their superior passing was demoralized through the covering up of the local boys.

Captain Crocker had netted four points on fouls when he suffered the knee injury which forced him out of play. Rob Davis signalized his entry by throwing a basket and Lawrie Beaton tossed two at an opportune time.

Barstow caged the sphere for two more points and "Link" Crosscup on a long throw, made his second basket the sensation of the first team game.

The senior aggregation struck their passing gait in the last half of the second period. Winthrop forwards landed enough throws on the outside rim of the basket to win the game.

Talcott's showing was responsible for most of the Winthrop showing, his three baskets and four goals from free tries being clean cut in all cases. The summaries:

QUINCY		WINTHROP
Crocker, lf		rb, Sheean
Davis, lf		
Barstow, rf		lb, Fahyan
Crosscup, c		c, Talcott
Hamlin, rb		lf, Wilson
Beaton, lb		rf, Weller
		rf, Fielding

Score, Quincy 20, Winthrop 13 Goals from floor, Davis, Barstow, Crosscup 2, Beaton 2, Wilson, Talcott.

Goals from fouls, Crocker 4, Davis 4, Talcott 4, Fielding. Referee, Coady. Timer, Jepson. Time 20 15 m. pds.

QUINCY 2d.		WINTHROP 2d
Welsford, lf		rb, Ehrman
Morrison, rf		lb, Williams
Favreau, c		c, Belcher
Prout, lb		rf, Berry
Baker, rb		lf, McCarthy

Score, Quincy 2d 17, Winthrop 2d 11. Goals from floor, Welsford 5, Favreau, Berry 2, Williams 3.

Goals from fouls, Welsford 5, Berry Referee, Thompson. Timer, Jepson. Time 20 15m. pds.

NOTES ON GAME.

Berry's handling of the ball was decisive, either hand picking it from the air. He kept Prout busy the entire game.

Favreau's basket from a difficult angle robbed Welsford of the glory of scoring all the points for the second team. The star forward demonstrated the value of following the ball when he recovered a missed free try and caged the ball.

Baker and Prout's names do not appear in the scoring. They were so busy on the defensive they had no time for shooting and they made good. Berry, Prout's opponent, was a slippery fellow but eluded the grasp of his "enemy" but twice.

Morrison was pitted against Williams, the nittiest man of the junior visitors.

Hamlin was pitted against Wilson, the veteran forward and allowed him only one basket. That one followed a chain lightning pass while Hamlin was covering Talcott.

Although a light man, Davis made his presence in the game felt and he "ripened" four fouls.

Depend on Barstow in a pinch is a good motto for he turned a trick when two points were needed.

The team work of the visiting seniors in the first period only was exceptional.

Quincy men are still prone to bunching on the floor and at times fail to secure the ball before attempting a pass. Floor work will eradicate the evil.

A decided improvement on the showin the opening game by Quincy, say we.

"Buffalo Bill" Coady has apparently decided to popularize the game with the fans for he frequently overlooked what "pro" rules only allow. The violations he announced however were flagrant and resulted in double fouls on two occasions. Last season he was quite insistent in having the amateur rules followed, and his late views may result in a minor injury or so to players. However, it all goes to make the game faster.

"Link" Crosscup went into the game after a five days illness. He played his position well against a sterling centre but admitted in the third period that his strength was ebbing.

Beaton's time out allowance was more painful than the fans, who cheered him on his returne, imagined. Beaton twisted his ankle in the Reading game and threw it out Tuesday. Teacher-coach French rendered first aid and set an extra ankle supporter. Beaton, though suffering from his injury, went back and secured revenge by tossing two baskets.

The popular belief is that the Juniors, with the Senior weight, would easily win the title. At that their average play the entire game bettered the first teams work.

CEDAR POINT TEAM WINS

The Cedar Point team of the Point Congregational church beat the Rocky Point aggregation 3 to 1 at the Wardwell alleys Tuesday evening. The Beach Points forfeited four points to the Stage Points.

CEDAR POINT.				
Hayden	92	93	85	270
Dummy	74	84	68	226
Chisholm	88	71	88	247
Dummy	75	75	75	225
MacQueen	81	82	95	258
	410	405	411	1226
ROCKY POINT.				
Waddell	74	84	76	234
Thayer	80	98	72	250
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Wight	82	107	68	257
Lang	95	103	75	273
	406	467	366	1239

MANET CLUB ROLLOFFS.

Two teams of the Manet Club rolled at the Wardwell alleys Tuesday night while one of the teams forfeited. Gustin's five beat Hanlan's quintette. High score was made by Mahan rolling with the team which had no opponents. His total singles were 312, 111, 88, 312.

CAPT. HANLAN.				
Cappellini	81	83	65	229
R. Albonetti	88	105	83	276
W. Welsh	78	67	89	234
Hanlan	73	90	93	256
Ferguson	92	74	61	227
	412	419	401	1232
CAPT. GUSTIN.				
Duran	79	103	84	266
Smith	87	90	75	252
Neagle	94	89	79	262
Kerr	88	79	73	240
Gustin	93	77	83	253
	441	488	394	1273

BLUE BIRD MEETING.

A ceremonial meeting of the Blue Birds was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Margaret Foster on Edison street. Two new members, Margaret Gibb and Greta Wesser, were elected, making the Nest full. There are 18 Blue Birds now. Several received feathers for the useful things they have been doing and two, Edith Lee and Agnes MacBrayne, received the wings which are the indication of the rank of Flier, the highest rank among the Blue Birds. After the meeting, light refreshments were served.

MISS FOLEY SPEAKER.

The Wollaston Equal Suffrage League has secured Miss Margaret Foley to speak next Monday evening, in the School Hall, Beale street, at eight o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited.

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DELL WAS HIGH MAN

Clan MacGregor League Holds Matches

Dell was high man in the Clan MacGregor league matches at the Coliseum alleys Tuesday night. His 318 was nine better than Hastings's three string although the latter included a single of 124. The Mavers beat the Smiths 4 to 0, the McLeans trimmed the Hughes boys 3 to 1 and the Nicoll and McKenzie teams divided the points.

CAPT. MAVER 4—CAPT. SMITH 0.

CAPT. MAVER.				
Welsh	102	93	77	272
Maver	102	80	87	269
Hastings	103	82	124	309
Birnie	80	96	73	249
Morton	90	79	78	247
	477	430	439	1346
CAPT. SMITH.				
Stewart	101	88	67	256
Diack	90	81	83	254
Smith	89	82	91	262
Davidson	78	69	82	229
Martin	69	76	86	231
	427	396	409	1232

CAPT McLEAN 3—CAPT. HUGHES 1.

CAPT. McLEAN.				
Patterson	87	81	71	239
Marnock	91	91	75	257
Murray	79	82	82	243
McLean	95	116	98	309
Dell	100	115	103	318
	452	485	429	1366
CAPT HUGHES.				
Hughes	78	84	109	271
Raleigh	86	100	86	272
Mitchell	78	92	80	250
O'Neil	88	79	101	268
Dackers	95	77	87	259
	425	432	463	1320

NICOLL 2—McKENZIE 2.

CAPT. NICOLL.				
Craig	85	91	86	262
A. Michael	75	103	86	264
Stewart	73	79	78	230
J. Michael	81	75	100	256
Nicoll	99	113	98	310
	413	461	448	1322
CAPT. McKENZIE.				
Hunter	82	80	96	258
Gordon	94	84	87	265
McKenzie	85	82	89	256
Russell	79	84	94	257
Drummond	98	88	88	274
	438	418	454	1310

NOW TIED FOR SECOND PLACE

The Franco-American and Div. 22 teams are tied for second place in the West Quincy league as a result of the Tuesday night matches at the St. Mary's alleys and the Mt. Mary's team are alone in top position. The Francos beat the Hibernians 3 to 1 in a match in which the pinfall was light.

FRANCO-AMERICAN.				
C. Hebert	85	80	89	264
E. Larandeau	79	77	84	240
J. Morrisette	94	96	88	278
W. Larandeau	89	111	95	295
J. Bertrand	87	95	80	262
	444	459	486	1339
DIV. 22.				
J. Fitz	84	99	90	273
B. Flaherty	76	83	78	237
J. Welsh	89	100	101	290
J. Joyce	79	88	96	263
Dummy	79	77	94	250
	407	447	459	1313

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NEW YORK'S UNEMPLOYED

Total of 125,000 Women Among the 562,700 Who Are Out of Work

New York, Jan. 13.—According to figures compiled for the Public Forum of the Church of the Ascension, a partial list of the unemployed in Greater New York totals 562,700. The number of homelesss persons in the city who have not the price of shelter is estimated at 60,000.

The figures were obtained by Samuel A. Strodel, who was assigned to the task of counting the unemployed in the city by a committee of the Public Forum. Arrangements were made to turn over the report to City Chamberlain Bruere, who agreed to consider it in an official capacity.

Strodel found that about 125,000 of the total 562,700 unemployed were women, and in ascertaining conditions, which was part of his work, he found that immorality was greatly on the increase.

AN ALLEGED DYNAMITER

Italian Arrested In Connection With Outrage Perpetrated Last July

Wakefield, Mass., Jan. 13.—Luigi Manucci, an Italian, was arrested by Chief of Police Pollard, charged with dynamiting the home of R. S. Stout, superintendent of the Heywood Bros. & Wakefield company, rattan manufacturers. The dynamiting was at 2 o'clock on the morning of July 7, during the strike at the rattan factory.

Manucci admitted thath he was in Wakefield during the strike, but denied any connection with the dynamiting. According to the police, the developments of the Albertson murder case unearthed evidence in connection with the dynamiting which led to Manucci's arrest. In the Malden court Manucci was held in $1000 bonds for a hearing Jan. 21.

CANNOT REMEMBER ANY RECENT EVENTS

Strange Plight of Minister Who Enlisted In the Navy

New York, Jan. 13.—Attacked by amnesia nearly a month ago at his home in Fairmont, Minn., Rev. Walter R. Burton traveled to Key West, Fla., enlisted in the navy under the name of Richard Hudd, came to New York on the monitor Ozark, and was picked up unconscious on Fifth avenue and taken to a hospital.

Yesterday he regained his personality as a minister, but could recall nothing of events since he was seized with severe pains in the head on Dec. 14 in Fairmont. Physicians here consider his case one of the most puzzling in their experience.

"STATE RIGHTS STOLEN"

Blease Takes a Whack at President In His Farewell Message

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 13.—In his farewell message to the South Carolina legislature, Governor Blease commented upon what he described as the "encroachment by the federal government upon state's rights," many of which, he asserted, had been "stolen."

"Can it be possible," he said, "that, under the lead of a man sometimes called a southerner, the Democratic party is to become the party that is 'stealing the power from the states' and giving it to the federal government, and that the Republican party, under the lead of a Hughes or a Whitman, is to become the state's rights party and stop this 'stealing of power?'"

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Importer Charged With Undervaluation Frauds of $2,500,000

New York, Jan. 13.—Undervaluation frauds aggregating $2,500,000 in the importation of ostrich feathers have been bared by secret service agents, Assistant United States District Attorney Carstarphen asserted at the arraignment of George Silva, an importer, charged wih conspiracy to defraud the government.

Silva faced two indictments. On Carstarphen's representation of the extent of the alleged frauds, Judge Pope in the federal district court fixed his bond at $35,000. Silva entered a plea of not guilty.

MAINE DEADLOCK BROKEN

Bunker Elected Secretary of State on the Eleventh Ballot

Augusta, Me., Jan. 13.—The deadlock in the Maine legislature was broken when seven Democrats were elected to the governor's council.

Ten ballots were taken for the office of secretary of state without result, and not until the eleventh was Bunker, a Democrat, elected, with 91. Alexander got 87 and Clark 2.

Ford Continues Profit Sharing

Detroit, Jan. 13.—The $10,000,000 profit sharing plan inaugurated by the Ford Motor company one year ago will be made permanent. Each profit sharing employe is depositing in banks or investing in homes and lots an average of $48.76 a month.

Insurance Head to Be Ousted

Concord, N. H., Jan. 13.—The New Hampshire house of representatives voted to address out of office Insurance Commissioner Warren. The reason given for the action was that Warren was not qualified for the place.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Advertised letters during the week ending Jan. 9, 1915:

Walter Ackley (2), Miss Alice Barry, Walter S. Blackman, F. C. Brown, Emilia Bucci, Francesco Caterino, Madelem Ellis Colby, Miss Cergua Colomco, William Cremen, Wm. H. Creamer (Special Delivery), Allen Cumings, Giuseppe Dantonio, Mrs. F. W. Davis, Mrs. C. A. Dennison, Doni Enter, Mrs. Annie French, John George, Miss A. J. Graves, C. P. Halekins, Miss Hanipan, Qunko Hrudelihuk, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge R. Hunnewell, Mrs. Koyre, Mrs. Thersa Kusser, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Medhurst, Domenico Milinazzo, Mohawk Athletic Club, Mrs. Jack Mullens, Charles Murphy, Mr. Murphy, Miss Helen Nelson, J. Peanuckell, Miss Moeris Peddwm, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Piper, Mrs. Frank Procter, Miss Meridana Rass, Miss Miriam Rhodes, A. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Rockwood, C. Scovell, George W. Sherman, Mrs. William Shutt, Miss Nancy Smith (2), Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Strang, Tom. Sunner, Walter Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Turnball, Mme. Ed. Vadenais, Miss Edith B. Wertz, David J. Williams, John Wood, Henrietta Wyeth.

CONCERNING PNEUMONIA.

The National Safety Council makes the following comments on the dread pneumonia.

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Not because of raw winds, though these chill the body and thereby reduce resistance to the disease.

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Keep your houses as warm as you like. People in this country are accustomed to warm roms, and it would be foolish to make a sudden change.

But see that the place where you live and work has as much fresh air as possible.

A closed window shuts sickness in, not out.

HOLD ALL DAY MEETING.

The Bethany Women's Union is holding an all day meeting today under the direction of Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard to sew for the Mountain Whites. A lunch was served at noon.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Esther M. Stuart, John Stuart and the Wollaston Yacht Club Building Company, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; Harry S. Huckins of Plymouth, in the State of New Hampshire; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Fred W. Wood, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth, Trustee under a certain written instrument dated June 27, 1914, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1285, Page 121, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—

Northeasterly by Quincy Shore Reservation one hundred six and 19-100 (106.19) feet; Easterly by the curved corner of said Reservation and Vassall Street, seventeen and 87-100 (17.87) feet; Southeasterly by said Vassall Street seventy-seven and 46-100 (77.46) feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Esther M. Stuart one hundred sixteen (116) feet; and Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Harry S. Huckins sixty-five and 4-100 (65.04) feet. Containing 8937 square feet of land, more or less.

Petitioner claims as appurtenant to the above described land rights of way over said streets.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twenty-fifth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December in the year nineteen hundred and fourteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
CLARENCE C. SMITH,
Recorder.
(Seal)
3t Dec. 30 Jan. 6-13

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances E. Jelinek late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Alfred W. Jelinek of said Quincy without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January A. D. 1915.

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BRITISH STAND ON CONTRABAND

Washington Wants Full Text Before Making Reply

MAY THEN INVOLVE NEUTRALS

Diplomatic Negotiations May Be Extended to Include Scandinavian Countries and Italy—Possible Protest From Germany Against Shipment of Arms to Allies

Washington, Jan. 13.—The United States government has not yet formulated any opinion concerning the British reply to the American note on shipping, according to President Wilson.

The president made it clear that all reports that the administration was dissatisfied with the Grey reply were entirely unfounded.

The president further made it plain that there would be no reply to the note until its full text has been received. It is understood that the present note is only preliminary to others to follow from Great Britain, putting forth the full case on contraband.

Great Britain's reply was discussed at length at a meeting of the cabinet. Pending the receipt of the principal reply, it was decided that the state department should not send a rejoinder. In the meantime, it is understood, it was decided that the department of commerce and the treasury department should gather statistics to combat those set forth in the British reply.

Intervention, either by their own initiative, suggestion of Great Britain or request of this government, of the European neutral nations in the shipping controversy was strongly forecasted by officials.

Every indication was that receipt of the final reply of Great Britain may be the signal for widespread ramifications of the diplomatic negotiations to include Italy and the Scandinavian countries.

Another prospect was that Germany might jump into the diplomatic fray with a note protesting to this government against sales and shipment of war munitions to the allies.

High officials intimated that the situation is now more pregnant with diplomatic quirks than ever. Many expect Great Britain to suggest that further guarantees be given by the neutral countries that American foodstuffs, copper, rubber, etc., shall not be re-exported to the allies' enemies, as a condition upon which England's fleet will cease interfering with American commerce. A suggestion of this sort, it was suggested, might immediately bring the neutral nations affected directly into the controversy.

It is doubted if this government would send notes to the other neutrals formally asking such a guarantee. But ,to insure retention of the American market, diplomatic and other officials deemed it not improbable that the neutral countries would, on their own initiative, take formal steps by giving assurances against re-exportation or by denying charges that they are the clearing house for unneutral shipments to the Teutonic allies.

"BEST IN THE WORLD"

What Weaver Says of United States Coast Defenses

Washington, Jan. 13.—War department bills to strengthen the army and create a reserve corps were taken up by the senate military committee in open session, with Secretary Garrison and his aids present to explain the various projects.

Members of the committee indicated by their questions their general approval of the measures.

The striking statement was made by General Weaver, chief of the coast artillery, that in material the coast artillery defenses of the United States are "the best in the world."

SURRENDER OR STARVE

Alternative Facing Wife Who Is Forced to Live on $150 a Week

Great Neck, L. I., Jan. 13.—Starvation tactics were resorted to by John C. Tatum, cotton broker, in his siege to recapture his country place, taken possession of by Mrs. Mary J. Tatum, following his unsuccessful suit for divorce.

Mrs. Tatum can spend but $150 a week, the temporary alimony allowed her by the court. Notice was served on tradesmen to that effect. Tatum believes one week on $150 will reduce his young wife to the point of surrender.

Farmers Facing Prosperity

Boston, Jan. 13.—That the European war will bring to Massachusetts farmers a year of unparalleled prosperity is the prediction of the state board of agriculture in an exhaustive report. "Agriculture probably never had a more promising outlook," says the report.

Steel Cars For Gotham Subway

New York, Jan. 13.—Formal order was served upon the Interborough Rapid Transit company by the public service commission requiring the company to remove its 478 wooden cars from the subway and to replace them with steel cars.

VERDICT QUICKLY REACHED

New York Elevated Officials Held Responsible For Accident

New York, Jan. 13.—President Shonts and other officers and directors, including August Belmont and Cornelius Vanderbilt, of the Interborough Rapid Transit company, which operates the subway and elevated lines of New York city, are accused of culpable negligence in a verdict returned by a coroner's jury, sitting in the inquest into a wreck on the Sixth avenue elevated line in December. Two men were killed in the accident.

The jury deliberated fifteen minutes, agreeing unanimously on the first ballot, it was said. Coroner Riordan refused to grant a request by the company's lawyers that the verdict be modified, and ordered the men accused held to await the action of the grand jury, fixing bail of $5000.

EIGHTY PLEAD GUILTY

Others In Terre Taute Conspiracy Case Will Resist Government

Indianapolis, Jan. 13.—Admitting that they had participated in the alleged conspiracy to corrupt the election of Nov. 3, 1914, in Terre Haute, eighty men out of the 114 under arrest pleaded guilty before Judge Anderson in United States district court here. Sentence was not passed.

Mayor Roberts of Terre Haute; Circuit Court Judge Redman, Sheriff Shea and others, filed demurrers to the charges contained in the indictment, which was returned Dec. 24. The demurrers will be argued Jan. 20. Nine defendants pleaded not guilty but did not demur.

Politicians of this city were startled by the pleas of guilty. This city's political situation is now undergoing a probe similar to that conducted in Terre Haute.

HUB'S CHINATOWN TO BE CLEANED UP

Result of Tour of Inspection by Mayor and Police

Boston, Jan. 13.—Chinatown is going to be cleaned up as the result of a raid made by Mayor Curley, Building Commissioner O'Hearn and a squad of policemen.

They found the section full of fan tan dens, underground passages, double bolted doors, warning signals—all the elaborate law-dodging conveniences which the gambling Chinese are adepts at devising.

In twenty-four hours owners of buildings in the colony will be ordered by the board of health to comply with the law by making such alterations as the inspectors direct.

Sanitary conditions in most of the places visited were bad, and absolutely no means of egress in case of fire were provided.

DID NOT REFER TO 1916

Part of Wilson's Indianapolis Speech Was Misinterpreted

Washington, Jan. 13.—President Wilson declared he was not thinking of announcing his candidacy for 1916 when he made the statement in his Indianapolis speech that the people of the United States might have a chance to judge of his acts.

His utterance was interpreted by the audience and by others at the time as a hint that he might be a candidate for renomination. The president explained that what he had in mind was that future generations would pass upon his acts as president.

The president refused absolutely to discuss the question of being a candidate.

MISSING BUOY LOCATED

Whale Had Become Entangled In Chain of "Roaring Bull"

St. John, Jan. 13.—The absence of Roaring Bull buoy, which showed the way to mariners rounding Pease's island, was explained in an unusual way. The buoy and its anchor stone, weighing together 5000 pounds, had been carried away by a whale.

The Canadian government steamer Lansdowne went out to locate the buoy and after cruising some distance from its station found it with a whale entangled in the chain. The whale, which was fifty feet long, had dragged the buoy and anchor until it had died from exhaustion, in the opinion of the Lansdowne's officers.

Jailbirds Use False Keys

Barnstable, Mass., Jan. 13.—U. S. G. Chase and Leonard Benbinen escaped from Barnstable county jail, unlocking their cell doors wih false keys which they had hidden from the keepers.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The retail price of flour has been advanced in the Boston market to as high as $9.25 a barrel for the best brands.

Breaking into the Whitinsville, Mass., postoffice, robbers blew off the outer door of the safe. They escaped with about $100.

Scratching a thumb while opening a case of tanned leather resulted in the death of James F. Reardon of Philadelphia.

An anonymous gift of $1000 and several other donations has brought the total of the New England Belgian relief fund up to $171,496.

GAINS MADE IN FRENCH ATTACKS

Germans May Be Enveloped and Forced to Retire

KAISER'S TROOPS REINFORCED

Efforts to Keep French From Breaking Into Their Lines Not Far From Metz—Severe Weather Halts Much Fighting In the East—Russian Advance Toward Cracow Meets Strong Resistance—Death Struggle For Turks, Who Deny They Have Been Defeated by Russians

London, Jan. 13.—The French attacks to the north of Soissons, on the Aisne and near Perthes, east of Rheims, are developing into a serious offensive.

The gains which the French have made at these points, if followed up, would have a twofold importance. They threaten the railways which the Germans are using to supply their troops in the fighting line and are a serious menace to the German forces which hold positions to the north of Rheims.

The French have found it impossible to take those positions from which the Germans are bombarding Rheims by frontal attacks, but advances on either side would envelope them and force a retirement, thus giving the cathedral city much desired relief from the German shells, from which it has suffered so much.

In the Argonne and on the heights of the Meuse the Germans are on the offensive and claim to have made further progress. It is reported that the Germans have sent heavy reinforcements to the district to prevent the French from breaking their lines, which are very close to their own border and not far from Metz.

Fresh German troops dispatched to Alsace, combined with the wintry weather, have stopped the French advance in that region. Along the rest of the front their artillery is doing most of the work.

Only isolated attacks are being attempted, the state of the weather and the ground making the movements of any large bodies of troops out of the question.

Similar conditions prevail in the east, and, while they have not completely stopped the fighting, they have called a halt over the greater part of the field of operations.

In restricted areas, along the river Rawka, near Bolimow, however, there has been fierce fighting, but, according to Petrograd correspondents, the Germans have been unable to make any serious advance.

Severe fighting also is taking place on the Nida river, where the Austrians are opposing the Russian attempts to penetrate to Cracow.

The Germans are keeping the Mazurian lakes open with ice-breakers to block the Russian advance in East Prussia, where the Russian troops hold positions around the lakes and have been waiting for the lakes to freeze over before resuming their offensive.

The Turkrs deny they have been defeated by the Russians in the Caucasus, and, as an offset to this denial, Petrograd has the report that Noury Bey, chief of the general staff of the Third Ottoman army corps, who was sent by the sultan to investigate the report of the defeat, has been captured by Cossacks.

The Turks have been offering stubborn resistance to the Russians at Kara Urgan, where a battle has been in progress for five days.

The position at this place is more favorable for the Turks, who have not the deep snow of the mountains to contend with and are in closer touch with their base.

It is a death struggle for them for, so long as the Russian fleet commands the Black sea, the Turks cannot get reinforcements from Europe, the overland route being a long and difficult one. They have an army corps at Bagdad, but this is needed to oppose the advance of the British-Indian army from the east.

Private reports from Vienna and statements appearing in the Austrian papers show that conditions in the Austrian capital are daily becoming more serious. Smallpox, cholera and typhoid fever are prevalent.

TURKEY YIELDS TO ITALY

Will Release Richardson and Make Repararation For Other Offenses

Special dispatches from Rome say that Turkey has agreed to the demands of Italy in connection with the Hodeida incident.

According to these advices, Turkey has ordered the release of the British vice consul, Richardson, who was arrested in the Italian consulate at Hodeida, and has promised to punish the soldiers who broke into the consulate, as well as to salute the Italian flag when it is again hoisted over the building.

THE ARREST OF MERCIER

Vatican Is Awaiting Germany's Explanation of Cardinal's Detention

"The German denial that Cardinal Mercier was arrested in Brussels, is true in only a technical sense," says the Rome Tribuna. "The cardinal was not physically arrested and brought away from his residence, but he nevertheless was placed in a state of arrest, within his palace, and was watched by the military.

"The German government, realizing that violence against a prince of the church would have painful consequences throughout the world and also among the Catholic population of Germany, and fearing the effect of measures which might be taken by the Vatican, decided hurriedly to restore conditions to their former status. Nevertheless, an act of violence has been committed against the primate of Belgium.

"The holy see has asked that reparation be made by the German government. The explanation is awaited eagerly."

RECORDING HISTORY.

German Soldier on Battlefield Writing Day's Items In Diary.



Photo by American Press Association.

ANNOUNCED BY HAAKON

Triple Scandinavian Treaty In Regard to War Questions

The Norwegian parliament was opened in the presence of King Haakon, who made an address from the throne. The king dwelt upon the efforts which have been made to keep Norway outside of the world war and to meet the dangers and difficulties arising from that strife.

In this connection he referred to the recent meeting of the Kings of Norway, Sweden and Denmark at Malmoe, when an agreement was reached to govern the actions of the three nations in respect of questions arising from the war.

King Haakon announced that bills would be submitted to parliament providing for the strengthening of the country's land and sea defenses. He said it would be necessary to impose new taxes in order to balance the budget.

BRITISH DEPOT WRECKED

Great Damage Wrought by German Airmen at Dunkirk

A dispatch from Berlin says the military establishments in and near Dunkirk were completely destroyed by the German airship flotilla, which attacked that city.

The Dunkirk lighting plant also was destroyed. The dispatch says this information is contained in a message from Rotterdam.

Dunkirk, on the coast of France, is the British continental military base. Troops and supplies arriving from England are landed at this port, where extensive military supply stations have been established.

"JUST A PLAIN WANDERER"

Quietly Slips Away After Saving Score of Lives at Chicago Fire

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Forty persons leaped from windows or were carried unconscious down fire escapes when fire that started from an overheated furnace swept through a four-story double apartment building at 881 La Salle street.

A man, poorly dressed, who refused to give his name and described himself as "just as a plain wanderer" before he slipped away through the crowd after the fire was under control, saved twenty or more from death.

Editor Cristy Weds

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 13.—Austin P. Cristy, editor and publisher of the Worcester Telegram, and Miss Katherine V. Horan were married in the rectory of St. Paul's Catholic church by Rev. Dr. Goggin.

Quake In California

Santa Barbara, Cal., Jan. 13.—Nine heavy earthquake shocks were felt here. The only damage reported was the settling of a brick building. The shocks were felt some distance along the coast.

Quotable.

He—You look to me older than you said you were. She—You can't expect me to remember age. Why, it's altering all the time.—Fliegende Blatter.

ALMOST HAD ROASTED DUCK

High Tide Sets Fire to Gunning Stand

The Central station apparatus was called to Adams shore shortly before 8 o'clock this morning for a fire in the gunning stand under the hill off Norton road. A keeper in charge of the gunning stand had a fire in a small stove. There was an unusually high tide this morning which came in through the stand, and undermined the stove causing it to overturn and set the building on fire. The man in charge managed to get out and to save the live decoys which were housed in an adjoining building but by the time the apparatus arrived on the scene the main stand had been destroyed.

The department had a hard time reaching the fire for the high tide had come over the streets undermining them and as the apparatus passed through it sank almost to the hubs.

The gunning stand was owned by a syndicate headed by a Mr. Jones of Boston.

There has been a gunning stand in this locality for several years. A year ago the stand took fire one night and was burned flat. The stand burned this morning was located further along under the hill and was built last summer. It consisted of a good sized one story wooden building which was covered with thatch.



LUXURIOUS EVENING COAT.

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In an interesting lecture on "Religion and Astronomy" before the Wollaston Unitarian club, Tuesday evening, Rev. Joel H. Metcalf, a noted astronomer and minister of the Unitarian church at Winchester, clearly showed how the two went hand in hand and how as one's knowledge of the universe increased the greater was the conception of the God we worship.

The lecture was an interesting one and, while it contained many terms puzzling to the lay mind, the speaker by means of many common comparisons and examples brought the subject very close to his audience.

At the meeting Samuel Holmes, who has retired after serving the church as its sexton for the last 12 years, was made an honorary member of the club.

"As we approach the subject," said Mr. Metcalf, "we do not realize the close relationship between the larger world and our religious conception. However, this is a great factor and the chief reason that the theology of years ago is unacceptable to us at the present day lies in the reason that it was built around a smaller world than we now know."

"There was something very comforting about the old religion, where they were sure that everything revolved around them and the earth was the centre of the universe. Where they believe that the sun was given to produce the day and the moon to produce the night.

"The old anthropocentric and geocentric ideas have passed away and, with the established facts of modern astronomy, we realize that we not alone inhabit the earth but that the sky and stars make their beginning here.

"It has taken man a long time to realize the size of the universe as we now know it. We do not fail to sense the sublimity of the mountains and the insignificant place man occupies in relation to them, but the mountains as compared with the earth are negligible when we tear ourselves away from it.

"A great attainment of modern science has been accurately to measure the distance from earth to the sun, with a possible error of some hundred thousand miles. This we see is a very small difference when we consider the distance is some 93 millions of miles. We may better sense this distance when we realize it would take a fast express train 150 years to reach the sun.

"Light moves at the rate of 186,000 miles a second. We realize the immens distance of nearest fixed star, when I tell you that it takes the light from it 3 1-2 years to reach us. The brightest stars have a mean distance from the earth of eight light years while those of the second magnitude are 20 light years away. Those of the sixth or eighth magnitude have a distance of 100 light years. The stars of the milky way are from 300 to 500 light years away.

"When we understand these small twinkling objects called stars are so far away we then realize that they are not little but are tremendous objects. If we stood on Alpha Centuri the nearest, and looked at the sun it would shine as a star of the second magnitude, as bright as the North Star. The number of stars visible to the naked eye are some 5000. With a low powered telescope we may see 100 million. There are from 100 to 1000 million suns, not stars, making up the Milky Way.

"When we realize that we are not alone insignificant on the earth but are in a universe of 1000 million suns, each like our own, the comfortable feeling of the prophets of old, that made us the centre of everything, has entirely disappeared.

"All this has something to do with religion, and our idea of the universe has some connection with our idea of God. The creator of 1000 million suns is a greater being than the god of the old world worshippers. Thus we may see the omnipresence and omniscience of God, holding the past as a present reality.

"We see history as we gaze into the sky. In 1902 there was an outbreak of a new star. In 12 hours the star came out of nothing and became the second brightest star in the sky. In 18 months it had disappeared. By actual computation this star was found to be between 200 and 300 light years away and the phenomenon witnesed was one that had occurred 260 or 300 years ago.

"If we were an all powerful being what would prevent us, today, from going 100 light years away from the earth and witnessing the Revolution as it is actually occurring, or still further away and see Palestine in the first century? See the journeys of Paul, life as Jesus lived it, or Caesar crosing the Rubicon?

"Thus we see that, for a being inhabiting all space, to him all the past is as the present and we do not exaggerate when we say that the universe contains symbols that give us an idea of the infinitude, the omniscience and omnipresence of God."

The close of the lecture was the signal for a series of questions which showed with what keen interest the dissertation had been followed. Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of Quincy was a special guest of the club. A feature of the evening was the singing of popular selections from song books presented by Senator Louis F. R. Langelier, an ex-president of the club The usual roast beef supper was served.

Tables for the cabaret show of Quincy lodge of Elks to be given tonight at Music hall are going fast and from the number already reserved its success is assured. It is reported that there are but few tables unreserved.

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The contract was awarded to the Electric Boat Co., by the Navy Department Tuesday. The hull will be completed at the Fore River shipyard and the engines and interior arrangement at Groton Ct.

The Electric Boat Co., is the successor of the old Holland Submarine Co., and its hulls are built here. The other work will be shipped here for installation.

Detailed plans must be completed before work on the submarine can be started and it is probable that the first frames will not be set until spring.

Three years ago the construction of the Salmon, the submarine which voyaged to Bermuda and back under its own power, was built at the shipyard and established an new epoch for underwater craft.

AMONG THE CLUBS

(Continued from Page Three.)

o talk on "Dress and Expense."

March 16, Miss Susan E. Lacey will speak on "Invalid Occupation," and on April 20, Miss Marian Crozier will give an exhibit of dancing.

The club will be glad to welcome new members at any time, any girl sixteen or over, being eligible.

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GENERAL FEDERATION NOTES.

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, is spending two months at her home in Austin, Texas after an absence of six months. during most of which time she was traveling in the interest of the organization.

Mrs. Elmer Blair, chairman of the Public Health Department of the General Federation, spoke in Watertown, N. Y., recently, under the auspices of the Present Day Club, on "Woman's Share in Public Health Work." While there she held a conference with Miss Helen Louise Johnson, head of the Home Economics Department, relative to phases of work in which their departments are mutually interested.

Mrs. Ellor Carlisle Ripley, of Boston, chairman of the Educational Department of the General Federation has appealed to the presidents of all State Federations and also to chairmen of Education of these organizations, for co-operation in a country-wide campaign to reduce illiteracy Mrs. Ripley encloses a table setting forth the standing of each State in this matter, and urges that the subject be brought at once to the attention of all clubs. Only eight States have fewer than three illiterates in every hundred inhabitants and fifteen have from three to five illiterates in every hundred. Iowa ranks first, having only 1.7 in every hundred, while Louisiana stands at the foot, with twenty-nine out of every hundred persons unable to read or write.

Special attention is called to the "insidious growth of illiteracy in some of the older states" and some startling facts are given.

Mrs. Ripley offers to send to any one applying an illustrated pamphlet giving in brief form important statistics on illiteracy and a fascinating story of one woman's attempt to eradicate this evil in her state.

This pamphlet shows that learning to read nowadays is not a long-drawn-out process even for adults and tells of a woman aged 70 who wrote a legible letter after only eight nights of study.

If the million and a half women who make up the General Federation of Women's Clubs take hold of this question great good must result, for their influence is savingly felt wherever it is exerted.

Mrs. Ripley urges that they first carefully study the subject, then give publicity to the facts, suggesting ways by which conditions may be improved and then (most important of all) that they become sponsors for particular activities which will reduce illiteracy in particular situations.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Ernest Rogers of Cross street has returned to work after a two weeks vacation.

Mr. Kondazzo of the West Quincy Fruit Store is able to be arcund again after being confined to his home for two weeks with rheumatism.

George A. Reinhalter of 116 Willard street left Tuesday on a business trip through the state of Maine. He will be away about two weeks.

The talk by Mrs. Otho Hayward before St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church to have been held Tuesday evening was postponed until the next meeting on account of the storm.

James Knox of Weymouth, county secretary of the Hibernians, accompanied by a large suite will install the officers of Div. 5, A. O. H. in their hall on Franklin street Tuesday evening.

A civil service examination for the position of janitor and engineers having charge of schools, as well as marine engineers will be held Feb. 12, at the state house, Boston.

John Thomas, the well known humorist and an old time Quincy boy, is to be the entertainer at the meeting of St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter tonight.

Annual meeting of the Quincy Board of Trade will be held this evening. Several matters of importance will come up for action.

Mayor Campbell returned from Providence, R. I., this morning arriving at his office in city hall about 10.30. He reports having had a fine time at the complimentary banquet tendered to him.

Neil McDonald, secretary of the Wall Campaign committee, has purchased the Mannex Polishing shop on Willard street which he will operate under the name of the Willard Polishing Company. Mr. McDonald took over the plant today.

HOLD JOINT INSTALLATION

The newly elected officers of Paul Revere Woman's Relief corps were installed Tuesday evening by Mrs. Nellie F. Libbey of Lynn, past department president, assisted by Past Department President, Dorcas H. Lyman of Brighton as conductor.

The members of the corps and guests met at the hall early in the evening, when the program opened with an appetizing supper which was in charge of Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield, assisted by E. Jennie Holton, Lena Allen, Charlotte Dorley, Cora Carmen Laurie Dorley, Isabella McBirnie and Mrs. Nason who officiated as waitresses. About seventy-five enjoyed the supper.

The officers installed were:

President, Mrs. Ella Hayden.
Senior Vice President, Sarah C. Williams.
Junior Vice President, Annie R. Browne.
Secretary, Mary E. Powers.
Treasurer, Laura E. Holt.
Chaplain, E. Jennie Holton.
Conductor, Isabelle Morton.
Assistant Conductor, Cora Carmen.
Guard, Elizabeth Merrill.
Assistant Guard, Mary A. Oxford.
Patriotic Instructor, Kate Blaisdell.
Pres Correspondent, Elizabeth Farrell.
Musician, Bertha McCurdry.
Color Bearers, Agnes G. Fletcher Alberta Hewson, Charlotte Dorley Mary A. Jones.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremony Mrs. Hayden, the newly installed president, presented the installing officer with a cut glass vase while the president was presented in behalf of her son and daughter with a handsome bouquet. The president was also presented with a cut glass vase by Mrs. Lyman in behalf of the corps Mrs. Savage past president was presented with bouquet by her son, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Isabella Souther, past president.

In addition to the presentations there was an entertainment which included readings by Lillian Reed and Mrs. Kate A. Blaisdell and remarks by Mrs Libby, Mrs. Lapham, Calvin T. Dyer, of Post 88, G. A. R., Miss Farrell, of the Daughters of Veterans, Newman Savage of the Sons of Veterans, Mrs. Ethel French of the Sons of Veterans auxiliary, Past President Mrs. Savage and others.

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Norwegian Society Enjoys Fortunate Year

Past President Axel Anderson and Past Trustee Andrew Isaacson installed the officers of the Norwegian Society of Quincy in the Johnson building Tuesday night. The annual report read after the ceremonies showed the society had made a most remarkable year, none of its members having been on the sick list.

Lawrence A. Jakobsen, who retired after six years service as financial secretary, and Andrew Olsen, who retired after ten years service as treasurer, were both given votes of thanks.

Chairman Andrew Isaacson of the entertainment announced his committee had planned for masquerades, whist parties, smoke talks and dancing parties, the season to close with the annual ball.

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WOLLASTON MAN TREASURER.

The Massachusetts Co-operative Bank League will hold its twenty-sixth annual meeting at Hotel Bancroft, Worcester, on January 29 and 30. The secretary and treasurer of this organization is Herbert W. Pinkham of Wollaston, treasurer of the Wollaston Co-operative Bank.

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Office of the Directors of the Port of Boston.

40 Central St., Boston, Jan. 12, 1915

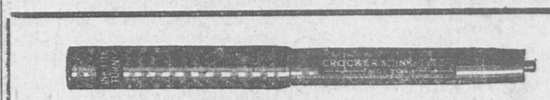
Notice is hereby given that the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation has made application to the Directors for license to rebuild launchways and to fill solid in Weymouth Fore River in the city of Quincy, as per plans filed with said application; and Tuesday, the nineteenth day of January, at 10.00 o'clock, A. M. and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

EDWARD F. McSWEENEY, Chairman
JOSEPH A. CONRY,
LOMBARD WILLIAMS,
Directors.

Boston, January 12th, 1915.

It is ordered by the Directors that the petitioner named in the above notice cause a copy of the same to be published in the Quincy Daily Ledger, Wednesday, January 13, 1915, and that a copy of the newspaper containing said notice be filed in this office on or before the day of hearing, such publication to be at the expense of said petitioner.

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Best Maine Potatoes	20c pk. 70c bush
Fresh Killed Pullets, weigh about 3 lbs.	19c lb
Extra Large Navel Oranges	29c doz
Crystal Domino Syrup	7 1-2c can
Mason Jar Raspberry Jam	25c
Pure Lard	14c lb
5 lb. Bag Graham Flour	20c
Large Meaty Prunes	2 lbs. 25c
Hershey's Cocoa	16c 1-2 lb. can
La Touraine Coffee	35c lb

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ELKS ENJOY FIRST CABARET SHOW

Long Line of Vaudeville Artists Swiftly Do Their Turns

Quincy lodge of Elks held its first cabaret show in Music hall on Wednesday evening and found the weather its rival, for although enough tickets were sold to fill up the 80 tables arranged about the hall the attendance was somewhat less than the 320 provided for.

The program included a "big time" vaudeville show with several of the best known of the popular cabaret singers on the bill The appetizing menu was served by a bevy of pretty girls and was under the direction of Maurice Cohen.

The committee in charge of the evening consisted of: Dr. J. H. Maloney, John D. Hildebrand, Edward Larkin, John R. S. Ross, Charles Hanson, and J. N. Shafer, the latter "booking agent and stage manager."

The program opened with an overture by Strachan's orchestra as the guests were seating themselves and was followed by the Keystone comedy film "The Riot."

Then in rapid order came the vaudeville: Jack Onri, comedy juggler, Ted Snyder's serenaders, introducing "the Rag Picker" and "Caroline;" Gertrude Purcell who sang and did floor work, Lillian Francis, cello soloist with Miss Elliot as the accompanist, Joseph Ecker of Roxbury, the favorite baritone of Quincy song lovers; Dora Donca, gypsy violinist; John Wales, bass singer; Driscoll and Perry, singing, talking and piano playing; Gertrude Carlisle, a favorite cabareter; Jennie Dewisse and her trained dog; Maider, humorist, Blacke and Brown, a colored act with exceptional talent; Jack Fairchild, character artist, Frank Wynne banjo specialties and Frank McGuire, the popular songster of the Boston lodge.

As the luncheon part of the program was brought to a close the favors were distributed, the special remembrances to the ladies being silver vanity purses of odd design.

The Elk's toast was given with the hall in semi darkness at 11 o'clock by Edward J. Fegan after which the guests resumed dancing until midnight.

The girls who served at the tables were the Misses Eugenie LeClair, Helen Mitchell, Gertrude Bullock, Hannah Sandberg, Grace Humphrey, Gertrude Fraser, Annie Sullivan, Catherine Shea, Gertrude Callahan, Ida DuTemple, Catherine Cronin, Mary Beale, Margaret Burke, Agnes Monahan, Ruth Hildebrand, Bertha Josselyn.

The toast as given by Mr. Fegan was:

My Brothers:—

It is the hour of Eleven! I look beyond this festive scene—beyond your smiling faces and your brillant eyes—beyond your laughter and your happy sighs—and I behold tonight all Elkdom. Their laughter, light as yours, blows fresh as ocean breezes—their eyes, as bright as yours, flash light and love and gladness. All is joyous vibrant, thrilling with the fulness of being. I hear the merry jingle of eleven bells! In one short hour this day will have reached its culmination It is the hour of Life!

The scene changes. I see the outstretched hands of an Elk softly soothing a fevered brow. I see the stalwart arm of a Brother supporting at an open grave the convulsed form of a bereaved widow. I see a kindly comrade guiding and leading sobbing children and gently brushing away the tears of sorrow. I see the Christ-like messenger generously dispensing to the grateful poor and needy. I hear the silvery pealing of eleven chimes! In one short hour a new day will break upon the horizon of tomorrow. bringing us its opportunities of spreading universal joy and peace. It is the hour of Love!

I have another vision! I see the great host of Elkdom of yesterday and the past glorious and triumphant! But there are hushed and darkened rooms—there are sighs and sobs and breaking hearts. There are winding processions and mournful obsequies I hear the doleful tolling of eleven bells! In one short hour today will have passed into the eternity of yesterday. It is the hour of Death and Remembrance!

And so, my Brothers, as we stand enthralled by the magic spell of this wondrous hour of Life and Love—of Death and Remembrance—let us drain our glasses to that imperishable toast of Elkdom:

"To our absent Brothers."

Here's to the friends who loved us!
Here's to the hearts that were true!
Here's to their souls above us
In the wonderful field of blue!
They will dwell in their mystical temple,
And at eve when the twilight falls,
Without one fear they will answer "here"
When the voice of the Master calls.

MORTIMER GALVIN.

The funeral of Mortimer Galvin, an aged Braintree resident who was well known here took place Wednesday in that town.

Fr. J. J. McMorrow was the celebrant of the high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church and Fr. W. T. Deasey of Randolph was deacon and Fr. John J. Casey of Quincy was subdeacon. Music was by the regular choir. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery, West Quincy.

Have you secured your tickets for "The Revels," the best entertainment and dance of the year? If not there are a few left that could be had by applying quickly to members of the committee as advertised in today's Ledger.

Get your tickets today for "The Revels" at Music hall tomorrow night.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity.
Friday fair. Saturday unsettled but probably fair.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.11
Sun sets	4.37
Length of day	9.26
Moon sets	7.00
High water, A. M.	10.45
High water, P. M.	11.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 20 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	35 degrees
Jan. 14, 1914,	13 degrees
Jan. 14, 1913,	32 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

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A seven passenger Rambler car, beautiful design, and most comfortable riding car made. This car has been well taken care of and operated less than 16,000 miles or about half a year's ordinary run.
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You can see and inspect the car at my garage No. 1230 Hancock Street, Quincy.
J. S. SWINGLE.
Jan. 9-6t

EAGLES FLOCK TO INSTALLATION

Nearly 400 Enjoy Exercises and Entertainment

Close to 400 members of John Adams aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles attended the instatement of officers in Electa hall Wednesday evening. District Deputy Supreme Worthy President Charles Laird of Brockton presided and the work was under the direction of Past Worthy President James J. Mellen and the uniform degree team of the aerie.

At the close of the exercises Retiring Worthy President Frank Duffy presented Peter M. Dackers, a bronze frame, glass cased clock with an onyx base in recognition of his services as recording secretary.

The annual report showed that the membership the past year had been increased by 235 and that close to $4000 had been expended in sick and death benefits. An extensive supplementary report pointed out that the widow and orphan relief had been an important endeavor by the aerie.

Plans for the annual ball to be held in Alpha hall on Feb. 5 were completed and several applications for membership were accepted.

The gathering after the meeting adjourned to Protection hall where speeches, entertainment and refreshments were in order.

Deputy Laird, the only deputy this side of Providence, R. I,. made the speech of the evening. Touching on the points on which the organization is founded he branched out until he had given a most comprehensive explanation of the Eagles' work. He was given rousing applause.

The officers are:

President—John C. Faircloth.
Vice President—Fred Steinbrenner.
Chaplain—Frank W. Lynch.
Financial Secretary—Henry Langelier.
Recording Secretary—Peter M. Dackers.
Treasurer—Edward S. Welch.
Inside Guard—William Allen.
Outside Guard—William Childs.
Trustee—Timothy W. Stack.
Physician—Dr. John T. Reynolds.
Entertainment committee chairman—James J. Melien.

FLOUR MAY GO TO $9 A BARREL

Quincy Dealers Quote Best Brands At $8.75

A financial paper published the statement Tuesday that flour was $9.25 per barrel for the best brands but this has not been substantiated. It is probable however that this week will se an increase to $9 a barrel.

Quincy dealers are quoting $8.75 for the best brand and $8.50 for the second grade quality.

Robert Johnson this morning said it was not difficult to follow the price of flour since one could keep in constant touch with the price through following the wheat quotations.

According to Mr. Johnson five bushels of wheat are necessary to a barrel and an increase of a cent a bushel means an increase of five cents on the barrel.

However, according to Mr. Johnson while an increase was expected last Monday it has not come, probably because wheat has gone off a few points the past week.

Should flour reach $9 a barrel it will be at its highest point in ten years in this vicinity.

ENJOYED SOCIAL.

The women of the First church of Squantum assembled in the church vestry Wednesday evening and had an enjoyable social affair. It was a get-to-gether of the church workers and their guests. After a social hour refreshments were served and games played. Mrs. Richardson, president of the Ladies Aid society assisted by Mrs. James H. Sumner had charge of the affair which was a great success. Rev. T. W. Davison spoke briefly of the fine work being done by the ladies of the church.

SERVICES FOR KARL HEUSER.

Rev. William B. Ayres officiated at the services held in connection with the funeral of Karl Heuser at Elm street Wednesday. The body was taken to Gethsemane cemetery, Roxbury for burial.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

LAUNCH CUSHING NEXT SATURDAY

Sponsor of Destroyer is With Boston Friends

Miss Marie L. Cushing of Fredonia N. Y., who will be sponsor of the torpedo boat destroyer Cushing to be launched at the Fore River shipyard at 11.30 Saturday morning, arrived in Boston Wednesday and is the guest of friends. She is expected to pay the yard a visit today.

Only a few will witness the launching of the destroyer. The exercises will be followed by a luncheon and there will be a few speeches by prominent officials at the shipyard and by visitors.

Miss Cushing is the daughter of Lieut. Commander Cushing who died in 1873, and whose deeds of valor in sinking the Confederate ram Albermarle off Wilmington, N. C., have been honored by naming this vessel for him

This vessel, until the christening, is recognized as No. 55 of the Class of six Destroyers appropriated by Congress in 1912. She is 305 ft. 3 in. long 31 ft. in breadth, 18 feet 3 inches in depth and has a displacement of 1050 tons on a mean draft of 9 ft. 5 1-2 in. She is of the usual torpedo boat destroyer design with high forecastle—the model which has proved so successful that it has been practically standardized by the Navy Department for this type of vessel.

The hull is built entirely of steel and is divided by watertight and oiltight bulkheads into fourteen principal watertight compartments. All the strength members of the hull are of a special high tensile steel, which increases the strength of the vessel by about 33 per cent. Fuel oil tanks are incorporated in the vessel's structure capable of carrying about 93,000 gallons of fuel oil for firing boilers.

The armament of the Cushing consists of four inch rapid fire guns and four twin torpedo tubes—all having a large arc of fire.

An elaborate electric plant is installed with powerful searchlights and a radio telegraph equipment.

In view of the strenuous life experienced during manoeuvres and in warfare by the officers and crew of vessels of this type, special attention has been paid to the living spaces, and very comfortable quarters are provided for six officers eight petty-officers and eighty-six men.

The propelling machinery consists of two sets of Curtis turbines in combination with cruising turbines and reduction gears,—all of the latest design and most modern type for driving the vessel at a speed of 29 knots per hour. There are four water tube boilers of the Yarrow-Fore River type placed in two watertight compartments, fired by oil fuel and designed for a working pressure of 265 per square inch.

The Cushing will be launched with smokestacks and mast in place and will be about 85 per cent complete when she enters the water. Work will be rapidly pushed to completion with a view to the vessel going on her trial trips within the next few weeks.

A CHALLENGE.

Penio's Colts wishes to issue a challenge to the league composed of the Franklins, Senecas Pastimes and Quincy Adams Social clubs to play a tournament in pool to decide the championship of the city. They will meet the winner of the league in pool only. Should they decide to accept write to H. E. Penio, 228 Copeland street stating when and where said tournament can be held.

Exchange your old fountain pen for one that does not leak. The Crocker "Ink-Tite" does not leak in any position. It does not require a filler to load the pen. Just see one demonstrated at A. L. McGilvray's or G. C. Shunks.

GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R F. CLAFLIN Clerk.
Jan. 12-7t

QUINCY BOY HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

John Conway of the Boston Underworld Once Lived Here

John Conway, 18, who lived in this city until five years ago, and Richard Viancour, 23, of Boston, were held for the Suffolk Grand Jury this morning charged with murder and with having burglars tools in their possession.

Both, according to the police, admitted they were crooks after they were arrested in connection with the shooting of Florence Sullivan, 22 known in the underworld as "Red" and "Rat," in Boston Tuesday.

The police found Conway and Viancour in company with a girl, Ida Onion, 21 years old, at one time of Needham. The girl, it is said, has been Viancour's companion in the South and West Ends and in New York for some time.

They told her the shooting was accidental.

The "pals" of the dead man told the police much the same story at first. Going over their belongings, the officers came across a big bunch of false keys, a huge jimmy and things which looked as though they might have been stolen. Under pressure the dead man's friends acknowledged that the tools were burglars' tools and the other things loot—the result of a "job" in Allston, in which they and the dead man had participated they said.

They later said they were scared and "framed up" the story but said the shooting was accidental. In court this morning they stuck to the latter story.

INTERPRETS DICKENS.

Quincy Mansion School girls and their friends Wednesday evening enjoyed a recital of the "Christmas Carol" by Frank Speiaght, the distinguished Dickens interpreter. The entertainment was given in Livermore hall.

SMALL ATTENDANCE.

Owing to the northeast gale Tuesday night only nine members of the Squantum Improvement association braved the storm and met at the regular monthly meeting in Richards Memorial hall. As a consequence the business of the evening was put over to the next regular meeting and those at the meeting enjoyed an evening of whist.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE

Edward J. Fegan Succeeds John L. Hamilton as President

Board Endorses New Route of Boulevard and Urges Consideration by Council of Public Dock Question

John L. Hamilton, for the past two years the president of the Quincy Board of Trade, retired from office at the annual meeting of the Board Wednesday evening, being succeeded by Edward J. Fegan. There was an unusually large attendance at the meeting and a number of important matters were discussed informally, especially the question of a public dock and the completion of the Quincy Shore Boulevard from Wollaston beach to Hancock street. It was voted that the Mayor be requested to send a communication to the city council urging that the matter of the purchase of a site for a public dock be considered. It was also voted to approve the new route of the boulevard and to urge that work be commenced the coming spring.



EDWARD J. FEGAN.

In connection with the boulevard question a petition was largely signed urging the appropriation by the legislature of an additional sum of $50,000 for this work.

It was stated that the original layout of the boulevard came through a part of Merrymount Park, but this route was objected to as it was not desired that the park be split up. It was also stated that the takings for the new route had been made by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners and it was this new route that was approved.

Originally the commissioners made an attempt to obtain certain land from the Adams estate but were unsuccessful. Now however this land has been acquired. The new route carries the boulevard along the beach and across Black's creek by a bridge to near the northerly boundary of the Adams estate. From this point it follows the course of Black's creek and Butler's brook to Hancock street. It is proposed to build a substantial bridge over Black's creek with a draw so that yachts can pass through.

The first business of the evening was the election of new members and Newall D. Atwood, Edward M. Graham and Nelson E. Gould were elected.

Peter T. Fallon, reporting for the committee appointed to consider the question of the purchase of the Johnson Lumber Co., wharf as a site for a public dock, stated that it could be purchased for something like $20,000. He spoke at length on the needs of a public dock in Quincy, but he said his committee thought it unwise to work separately from the original committee appointed during the administration of Mayor Stone and recommended that the present Mayor be requested to refer the matter to this committee.

John R. Richards spoke of the great piles of grout that had been accumulated in the quarries for which there was now no market because of the lack of shipping facilities. He said that if the city had a public dock it would be in a position to figure on and obtain some of the contracts that were in the market for this grout for rip rap work. The quarry business, he declared, was one of Quincy's old standbys and if we are to retain it something must be done. He said he new for a fact that work on some quarries had been given up because of the piles of grout.

Dock Commissioner Crane spoke of the present status of the public dock question and declared that it was only by reporting that the city was acting in the matter that the city was able to keep its hold on the appropriation of $25,000 for dredging the Town river which was contingent on the City of Quincy commencing work on a public dock.

The matter of printing a list of members of the Board in book form with advertisements was referred to the incoming Board of Directors.

The annual report of the secretary was laid over until the next meeting.

The annual report of the treasurer showed the balance on hand Jan. 1, 1914 to have been $7.95, receipts during the year $2 097.52 making a total of $2,105.47. The expenditures were $2,077.53 leaving a balance on hand of $27.95. There was due the Board for dues $300, and there was due the secretary $150.

The secretary also reported that the membership Jan. 1, 1914 was 317, added during the year 89, making a total of 406. Of this number the Board had lost 39 members by death and resignations leaving the membership to date 367, or a net gain of fifty during the year.

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Most Profitable

THAT THE MOST PROFITABLE ADVERTISING IS THAT DONE THROUGH NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES IS THE BELIEF OF R. R. UPDEGRAFF, WHO LECTURED BEFORE THE PILGRIM PUBLICITY ASSOCIATION RETAIL ADVERTISING FORUM IN BOSTON, JAN. 5. MR. UPDEGRAFF CLAIMED, ALSO, THAT IT WAS NOT NECESSARY TO USE BRIEF COPY, FOR IF THE STORY IS WELL TOLD, HE FOUND PEOPLE WOULD READ IT EVEN IN SMALL TYPE.

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THE NATION NEEDS THIS MAN.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge again has demonstrated that in the realm of international relations he has few superiors in this country. Announcement is made from Washington that the clipper ship Aryan will be allowed by the British government to sail from Sydney to Boston with $1,500,000 worth of merino wool. Other men did their share in bringing this about but to Senator Lodge appears to belong much of the credit for successfully consumating the delicate negotiations with Great Britain.

This serves as another reminder that the senior senator from Massachusetts is too big a statesman to be allowed to retire to private life at the expiration of his present term. He is not a popular public servant and it may be that with the direct election of United States senators in effect he will not be returned. This would be regretable.

Massachusetts will have to search far before finding a man of the calibre of the statesman who has represented her in the senate chamber at Washington for nearly a quarter of a century. She can likely find a man who is more in touch with popular demands but public servants of this character are too often lacking in any other claim to distinction.

At all events the nation needs this man; if not in the United States senate, then in a foreign embassy or in the state department. Henry Cabot Lodge could fill the office of secretary of state as no one has filled it since the days of John Hay and Elihu Root.

IN THE WEE SMALL HOURS.

A recent dispatch states that a scientist has established, at least to his own satisfaction, the fallacy of Franklin's maxim: "Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise."

Many of us will hasten to believe in the professor's views. It is all very well to talk about going to bed with the birds, but, after all, there is a delight to be found in the night hours stolen from our sleep which some of us would hate to forego. When the day's work is done and when all wise persons are asleep what is so rare a treat as a few hours with a good book and a good pipe. Then is the time of meditation and reflection, for the birth of ideas to be worked out in the light of the day.

THE RIGHT ATTITUDE.

Among the changes which have been brought about in recent years is the improved attitude of the public service corporation toward the people it serves. It has come to recognize that its position in the future depends in no small measure in taking the public into its confidence, in giving publicity to its policies and the reasons for adopting them. The American Telephone Co., has occupied an advanced position in this regard, thanks to the broad mindedness of President Vail. The street railway and lighting companies are beginning to fall into line. Those that fail to do so, those that fail to give the public their confidence, must not object if some day they awake to find that the public has no confidence in them.

A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH.

The letter from Rev. Rufus B. Tobey, printed in Wednesday's Ledger, deserves consideration. Mr Tobey favors the Fourth of July Pageant as an aid to maintaining the "Safe and Sane Fourth" which he holds is already here. Mr. Tobey would not abolish a celebration on the Fourth. He would, however, eliminate the more noisy observance and attendant dangers of the old Fourth and substitute in place of it something better. He advocates the historical pageant. An historical pageant in Quincy would be something worth while.

PUMPERNICKEL.

"Pumpernickel" is the title of a fragment, alleged to be from a hitherto unpublished manuscript of the great Victorian novelist, William Makepeace Thackeray. It was published in Wednesday's Transcript. The evidence presented as to its genuineness by Mr. Braithwaite in his introduction appears to be fairly conclusive. At all events "Pumpernickel" is written in a style which all lovers of Thackeray will recognize. The whole thing rings true.

HIS FEET ARE ON THE PEDALS.

His honor has proved that he has not forgotten how to ride a bicycle. Let us hope that he will ride that more complicated machine, the city government, just as well. So far he appears to be firmly seated in the saddle and his feet are on the pedals.

MAYOR HOLDS CONFERENCES

Working For Boulevard and Neponset Bridge

Mayor Campbell is having two conferences in Boston today. The first conference was held at 10 o'clock with the Metropolitan Park Commission relative to the building of the boulevard from Wollaston beach to Hancock street, for which an appropriation of $100,000 is available.

It has been understood that the commissioners are about ready to commence work on this boulevard and all that remains in to clean up some minor matters. One of these is the matter of a bridge over Black's creek. A bill for this is to be introduced in the legislature this week by Representative Sandberg and every effort will be made to get it through early.

The main idea of having the state make the appropriation for this bridge is in order that the Metropolitan Park Commissioners may have the whole $100,000 to expend on the boulevard, and this amount will be needed for that work alone.

Immediately following this hearing the mayor with Mayor Curley of Boston will have a conference with the commissioners in relation to the Neponset bridge question. It is the desire if possible to get the commissioners to agree to stand a part of the expense of building this bridge.

LECTURES ON GETTYSBURG.

Rev. Mr. Austin Gives Patriotic Address at Church.

Rev. Rev. Leon H. Austin of Roslindale, formerly pastor of the Washington Street Congregational church, gave a very interesting lecture, illustrated by the stereopticon, in the church auditorium on Wednesday evening. His subject was "The Battle that Saved the Union, or, The Blue and the Gray at Gettysburg."

Mr. Austin, who had visited the battle field of Gettysburg last August, presented a number of good pictures of that historic spot. He showed views of the many monuments erected on the field in memory of the different regiments that fought there, of statues of generals who were prominent leaders, such as General Meade, General Reynolds and others, of roads leading to the place and of houses riddled by bullets. There was the scene of Pickett's desperate charges and the wheat field over which the troops of Sickles and of Longstreet fought until ground was covered with slain. The 17 acre National Cemetery was shown with rows upon rows of graves where lie the dead, known and unknown. The last picture showed Mr. Austin's father, an old Union soldier, as he appeared at the recent celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the battle, clasping hands with two veterans in gray.

During the lecture, words of patriotic songs, "The Star Spangled Banner," "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," "America" etc. were thrown on the scene, and the audience, led by Mr. Raymond, joined in singing them.

A number of veterans of the G. A. R. post were present as guests. The head usher was Mr. Carleton McNeil of the Order of Sons of Veterans, assisted by the following boy scouts, all in uniform: Fred Gibb, Eric Nelson,, Fred Spencer, Mrs. Daniel Scouler and Miss Helen Lincoln, assisted by several young ladies were in charge of the home-made candy which was sold during the evening.

The proceeds of this patriotic lecture will go toward the fund for redecorating the church auditorium.

☞Miss Annie L. Prescott has $1.00, also the 75 cent tickets for "The Revels" for those in costume and also balcony seats at $1.00 each. Tickets are in great demand this year as every one seems to be going to "The Revels" either to take part or look on.

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ANNUAL MEETING

(Continued from Page One.)

Peter T. Fallon spoke on the question of petitioning the legislature to give the county commissioners authority to build a roadway 80 feet wide from the Granite avenue bridge to the five corners in Braintree.

This brought a little discussion during which it was stated that the City Charter placed the sole control of the streets in Quincy in the hands of the city. This is working badly for the city, it was pointed out, especially in the building of main thoroughfares as the city has to bear the whole expense although the improvement is as much for the benefit of surrounding towns as for Quincy. If the streets were placed back in the jurisdiction of the county commissioners then if one of the main thoroughfares was rebuilt or widened the whole county would be assessed for a share of the expense.

After some little discussion it was voted that the new board of directors consider the advisability of having the city charter changed by legislative action so as to place the main thoroughfares under the jurisdiction of the county commissioners.

County Commissioner Merrill spoke at length on the meetings to be held at Dedham, Jan. 23, to consider the matter of organizing a farm bureau for Norfolk county. Five counties in Massachusetts had already organized farm bureaus and this meeting would be addressed by Prof. William D. Hurd of the Agricultural college and Prof. L. A. Clinton of the office of farm management at Washington. Mr. Merrill spoke at length on the benefits to be derived from such a bureau.

The Board voted to endorse the movement.

It was voted to hold the annual banquet this year and the president was enpowered to appoint a committee of three to take the matter under consideration, and arrange for the banquet, to be held before Lent.

It was then voted that the sense of the Board be that it was advisable to commence work on the boulevard this spring.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Edward J. Fegan.
Vice-President, Herbert S. Barker.
Secretary-Treasurer, John O. Hall.
Auditor, Arthur W. Stetson.

DIRECTORS.

Ward One—Francis Abele, Jr., Rev. A. L. Hudson.
Ward Two—Albert L. Hayden, Joseph Walker.
Ward Three—J. Andrew Milne, Jr. A. O. Diack.
Ward Four—Oscar S. Sandberg, Charles J. McGilvray.
Ward Five—Thomas H. Irving, F. D. Field, Jr.
Ward Six—John R. Nelson, William E. Barnes.

In resigning the office of president, Mr. Hamilton spoke of the many good friends he had made during his two years in the office and said he had enjoyed serving.

In taking the office of President, Mr. Fegan thanked members for the honor they had conferred upon him and said that he considered himself fortunate in being chosen to succeed such a man as Mr. Hamilton, and he promised to give his best efforts to the board. "We want to accomplish things and I know of no organization that does more to develop those things for the welfare of Quincy than the Board of Trade," he declared.

Rev. Mr. Hudson moved that a rising vote of thanks be extended to the retiring president for his faithful, able and sufficient work in behalf of the Board of Trade and its interests and the City of Quincy and its interests.

Herbert S. Barker amended by including the Vice President and Joseph Walker further amended by including the Board of Directors. A vote of thanks was also extended secretary-treasurer John O. Hall.

The motions and amendments were unanimously voted.

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DISTURBANCE IS WIDESPREAD

Full Extent of Disaster Not Yet Known, Owing to Interruption of Telegraph Service—Historic Buildings and Churches In Rome Violently Wrenched—Eight Thousand Reported Killed In One Town Which Is Completely Destroyed — Special Prayers Offered by Populace

Rome, Jan. 14.—Italy has again been visited by an earthquake of great extent, according to the latest advices, has destroyed towns and villages and resulted in the death of 12,000 persons and injury to possibly 20,000 more.

The town of Avezzano, sixty-taree miles east of Rome, has been leveled to the ground; 8000 persons are reported to have been killed.

In many small towns surrounding Rome buildings were partially wrecked, while at Naples a panic occurred. Houses fell at Caserta, a short distance to the east.

Historic buildings on the Plazza Colonna, in the centre of Rome, were damaged, as was also the famous Farnese palace, occupied by the French embassy. The belfry of the Church of St. Andrea is in danger of falling.

A large crowd gathered in the square in front of the Column of Marcus Aurelius, observing with interest to a point about half way up the monument. Here the column has been broken and twisted. The immense bronze statue of St. Paul on top of the column also has been thrown from its correct position.

So violent was the shock that the dome of the Church of St. Charles Colinari was cracked. A large piece of the cornice of the Jesuit Church of St. Ignatus broke and fell.

Ceilings in many of the houses fell, a number of persons being injured in that manner.

A colossal statue at the Basilica of St. John in Lateran, which occupied a position visible from many parts of Rome, fell and was shattered on the steps of the edifice.

Several sereet car lines suspended operations because of the damage caused by the earthquake.

At Monte Rotondo three persons were killed and two wounded, at Zagarolo the dome of a church fell, at Paliano part of the cathedral was wrecked, at Veroli two persons were killed and two injured, at Tivoli one person was killed, at Pereto five houses collapsed, and at Poggio Nativo one person was killed and several were injured.

Thus far it has been impossible to communicate with the ancient fortified city of Aquila, owing to the interruption of the telegraph service. It is reported, however, that several villages were destroyed in that vicinity.

At Torrei Cajetana, about thirty-seven miles east of Rome, the entire village was almost destroyed, while at Arnara the municipal building collapsed.

From numerous places in the affected regions calls for doctors and medicine are reaching Rome.

At the capitol two magnificent candlesticks fell and were broken. At the Palabbo del Drago, where American ambassador Page lives, several cracks in the building which already had existed opened wider, and plaster fell in several of the rooms. The glass was broken in the embassy office.

In addition to the statue of St. Paul on the column of Marcus Arelius, the facade of the Church of St. John Lateran was damaged and the statue of the Saviour, which is fifty feet high, was twisted out of plumb.

In the Lateran palace the earthquake caused cracks of sufficient size to permit of the light from outside penetrate the building. The hall of the chamber of deputies likewise was cracked.

Among other edifices damaged were the churches of St. Andria Fratte and St. Agatha of the Goths, the latter being the oldest church of Teutonic origin in Rome.

When the shock was felt the frightened populace rushed into the churches, but the police ordered them out of those which were in danger of collapsing. In all the churches in the city, after the shock had subsided, special prayers were offered for deliverance from disaster.

It is officially announced that the centre of the earthquake was between Campobasso and Sarno, and that it was felt strongly at Perugia and slightly as far north as Ferrara.

In the country places the people are camping in the open. The town of Pofi is reported to have been half destroyed.

At the Meterological institute it is said that buildings continued to rock or tremble for about thirty seconds after the shock had ceased, and that the duration of the phenomenon altogether was about one minute.

New President of Salvador

San Salvador, Jan. 14.—Carlos Melendes was chosen president of Salvador in the presidential election.

CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Show Past Year Was Successful One

Looking forward to its fortieth anniversary next fall, when it is expected the new stone parish house will be completed, the Wollaston Congregational church held its annual meeting and supper, Wednesday evening.

The year just closed had been a successful one from all sides and, although laboring under the increased burden of the structure now building, the members of the parish have rallied nobly to its support in a manner which bodes well for the forward movement already begun.

The following officers were elected:

Deacon (2 years)—Rufus B. Tobey.
Clerk—Charles F. West.
Treasurer—Louis S. Bugbee.
Supt. Sabbath School—Charles A. Campbell.
Moderator—Charles P. Hutchins.
Executive Committee—Barnabus H. Bain, Charles A. Randall.
Prudential Committee—Barnabus H. Bain (3 years,) David H. Goodspeed (2 years.)
Music Committee—William A. Mann, Chester I. Campbell, Henry F. Van Buskirk.

Charles P. Hutchins presided as moderator and the meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, pastor of the church. Charles F. West, the clerk, read the call for the meeting and his annual report.

During the past year the church has made a net gain of 13 members, the present number in active standing being 257. It has lost by death during the year the following: Mrs. Sarah N. Nesbitt. Mrs. Grace S. Scavey, Joseph W. Lovett, Mrs. Ellen P. Wilde, Mrs. Ellen M. Marshall, George Fleming and Reuben Chapman.

Louis S. Bugbee read the reports of the treasurer and collector of weekly offerings. Auditors Amos T. Leavitt and Charles E. Hathaway approved the same.

Superintendent Charles A. Campbell in reporting for the Sabbath School told of the various changes that had been put in force this year. The primary department has been augmented by a kindergarten and a home department of 105 members has been organized. An infant department of 33 members has also been started. Last year the Sabbath School experienced the best average attendance in its history.

Herbert W. Marshall read his thirty-eighth annual report as secretary and treasurer of the Sabbath School. The school has a present total of 318.

Mrs. A. A. Lincoln reported for the Women's Board of Missions, the Little Lights Mission Band and the Cradle Roll. For the Ladies Benevolent Society, a very active organization of 73 ladies, Mrs. M. T. Kingman reported.

Eugene Smith, for the Christian Endeavor Society, reported active work being done. Miss Dorothy Taylor read the treasurer's report. Mrs. Weinschenk reported for the intermediate department.

Chester I. Campbell, president of the Men's club stated that the limited membership of 125 was all taken up. William A. Mann reported for the Music committee.

Edward S. Tenney gave an interesting description of some of the construction features of the new parish house; while Charles A. Campbell spoke regarding its finances. Pledges have been paid up remarkably well and everything points toward an early completion.

George W. Stone, for the Prudential committee, brought in the budget for the coming year. This showed increased expenditures occasioned by the new parish house and the necessary refinishing of the present structure.

After the election Charles P. Hutchins tendered his resignation as a member of the Prudeatial committee and Barnabus H. Bain was elected to fill the vacancy. Upon motion of George W. Stone, the old system of primary nominations was done away with and George W. Stone, E. W. Carlisle and Charles A. Randall were appointed a nominating committee for 1916.

A special vote of appreciation for faithful service in church work was tendered Mr. and Mrs. George H. Murray who are to leave shortly for Milwaukie where they will make their future home.

Upon motion of Charles A. Campbell the executive committee was requested to investigate conditions with a view to bringing about greater efficiency in all the various departments of church work.

In closing Dr. Sneath had a few words of optimism in which he pointed out some of the objects to be worked for in the future. He was accorded a hearty vote of appreciation for his good offices in the past. With a vote of thanks to Mrs. Murray and Mrs .Wiley, committee on church decoration, the meeting adjourned.

Preceding the meeting a fine turkey supper was served by the following committee: Mrs. George H. Murray, Mrs. S. B. Wiley, Mrs. A. L. Sayward, Mrs. Walter Brady, Mrs. A. A. Lincoln, Mrs. Charles Bates, Mrs. A. L. Baker, Mrs. Litch, Mrs. E. R. Johnson, Miss Flora Wight, Mrs. Rufus B. Tobey, Mrs. Edward S. Tenney and Mrs. Amos T. Leavitt.

OLD COLONY ASSOCIATION.

The quarterly meeting of the Universalists of the Old Colony district will be held at North Weymouth next Wednesday. Rev. George E. Leighton, state superintendent will deliver an address on "A study in churchly situations," at eleven o'clock. Dinner at noon followed by business session. There are several speakers for the afternoon meeting at 1.30. All are cordially invited to attend.

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PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION.

Steps to bring about the installation of electric light fixtures in the Cranch school were taken at the meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association in the school hall Tuesday evening.

During the discussion it developed that the building while wired was not equipped with fixtures other than in the eighth grade and the corridors. The committee appointed to confer with Mayor Campbell and council were Richard Nelson, Rep. Charles Ericson and J. O. Bergvall.

During the evening the subject of B "Facts" was discussed by supervisor of drawing, Miss Newman; music Miss Amsden; Physical education, Dr. J. Gardiner Smith, and sewing, Miss French.

They spoke of the way subjects were taught which while they appeared to the parents to be nothing more than fads were big factors in developing accuracy of the hands and brain.

Music was rendered by Mrs. H. Grant. Vice President George L. Norrie presided and there were 125 present. Refreshments were served

ADAMS EVENING SCHOOL.

The average attendance for the first forty nights, or the first half term, at the Adams Evening School is 147, a gain of four over the corresponding period for last year. This fact would seem to prove that men are not as is sometimes stated, leaving Quincy owing to the business depression.

In the Naturalization Class nine of the men have already received their first naturalization papers and seven others have made applications for them. Members of this class are to visit the city council next Monday evening in order to learn first hand how municipalities are governed.

On the last night of Evening School this year it is proposed to hold graduating exercises for the first time. Every member who has attended 75 per cent of the sessions and has made satisfactory progress in learning to read and write English will be presented with a certificate by the chairman of the school committee.

ADAMS SCHOOL.

Many leaks were discovered in the roof of the new building this morning and the tinting on the walls and ceiling of many of the rooms has been practically ruined by water.

The Parents' and Teachers' Association will meet next Tuesday evening the School Hall. Rev. Benjamin Willmott, pastor of the Bethany Congregational church will speak on "Cooperation between Home and School" Mrs. Frank J. Moore and Albert L. Hayden are to furnish the music.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The storm did considerable damage in several of the school buildings, driving in through leaks that had not been suspected and causing many discolorations.

The Montclair school and the Adams schools were the principal sufferers, the former especially taking in a great deal of water, as it has been doing regularly ever since it has been built.

The opening of the second half year on Feb. 1st when new first grades are to be admitted will see conditions which will bring forward very sharply the need of new school accommodations. The Washington school will be obliged to send 25 or 30 pupils to the Adams school mainly from the section about South, Main and South Walnut streets. The Coddington school must also send pupils in several grades to the same school, the children coming from the neighborhood of Dysart street.

The transfers will in some cases no doubt will not be satisfactory to the wishes of the parents but it is a case where there is no alternative as both schools in many rooms are filled to their utmost capacity.

The Massachusetts Fields school is sending pupils to the Quincy district almost every week and the time is near at hand when the lines of the Wollaston school district must be narrowed on the north side.

It will interest many to know that the Industrial school is constructing a considerable amount of furniture to be used in the schools. It now has under way four teacher's desks for the Atherton Hough school, teachers tables, umbrella racks and sewing tables. The amount and quality of the work done at the school is very satisfactory. Orders will be accepted for joiner work, all of which will be of the best possible construction.

The next meeting of the Parents and Teachers association of the Washington school will be held next Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in the corridor of the school. The speaker of the evening will be T. G. Wadsworth, agent of the State Board of Education, who will address the meeting on "Team Play between the Home and the school." Mr. Wadsworth is an expert on educational matters, is a good speaker, and the Association is fortunate in securing his services. The "Bluebirds," a society of little girls living in the neighborhood of Edison street and Edison Park will give folk dances under the direction of Miss Ruth Bass. All interested are cordially invited to be present and join in the Association.

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GOOD BOWLING IN TENNIS LEAGUE

Three pretty strings gave W. E. Raymond 312 and high total in the Wollaston Tennis club matches at the Coliseum alleys Wednesday evening. Several passed the century mark and Hoxie secured that limit with 119.

The Greens and Munroes took clean sweeps, the Jenners and Hoxies three each and the Litchfields and Bakers one apiece.

JENNER 3— LITCHFIELD 1.

CAPT. JENNER.

Murray	91	94	114	299
Carr	80	89	73	242
W. M. Smith	81	93	103	277
Barker	86	86	95	267
Jenner	111	99	97	307
	449	461	482	1392

CAPT. LITCHFIELD.

Holmes	101	76	102	279
Bates	81	81	81	243
Crossley	87	91	102	280
Nickerson	84	82	89	255
Litchfield	89	88	116	293
	442	418	490	1350

CAPT HOXIE 3—CAPT BAKER 1

CAPT. HOXIE.

Brigham	79	79	79	237
Chase	80	80	80	240
Fleichner	90	90	77	257
Powers	82	76	110	268
Hoxie	119	84	98	301
	450	409	444	1303

CAPT. BAKER.

Gardner	79	98	81	258
Oldham	87	95	72	254
Redlon	77	89	88	254
Hulton	85	63	109	257
Baker	98	91	83	272
	426	436	433	1295

CAPT. MONROE 4—CAPT. GEDDES

CAPT. MONROE.

R. Baker	88	80	76	244
Brown	72	84	107	263
W. Raymond	110	995	107	312
Pinkham	93	95	77	265
Monroe	100	83	109	292
	463	437	479	1376

CAPT. GEDDES.

Albee	81	80	97	258
Emery	91	75	82	248
Seiders	107	89	72	268
W. Smith	84	78	81	243
Geddes	91	76	82	249
	454	398	414	1266

CAPT. GREEN 4—CAPT. ESTES 0.

CAPT. GREEN.

McLean	83	83	83	249
A. Davis	88	88	98	274
Weld	76	83	96	255
Hiller	91	81	93	265
Green	83	92	90	265
	421	427	460	1308

CAPT. ESTES.

C. R. Davis	85	85	85	255
L. Smith	69	70	104	243
Simpson	77	79	85	241
A. Raymond	85	85	85	255
Estes	79	79	95	253
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INJURY TO PATRONS RARE.

Fatalities Scarce Despite Dangers That Lurk In Underground System—At One Time 300 Persons Were Held In Darkness Under East River For an Hour.

New York's subway has been remarkably free from fatal accidents. Although many have died in cave-ins during construction work or by leaping or falling from station platforms, instances in which death has come to passengers actually in the trains are rare. In the more than ten years of the subway's operation there has been no accident even approximating the Parisian subway holocaust of August, 1903, in which eighty persons lost their lives.

The biggest accident during the construction of the present subway, destined to be dwarfed eleven years later by a cave-in during the building of the new system, occurred on Jan. 27, 1902. On this occasion, following explosions at Park avenue and Forty-first street, six men died and considerable damage was done to the Grand Union and Murray Hill hotels. Two months later three houses caved in at Park avenue and Thirty-fifth street.

One man was killed and three injured in a crash in the Brooklyn tube on Sept. 20, 1906.

Fire near the Mott avenue station of the Lenox avenue branch resulted in the colliding of two trains on June 1, 1910. One car was thrown from the rails, a panic followed, and dozens of persons were overcome. There were no fatalities.

Three Hundred Trapped.

An accident not unlike that of the one at Broadway and Fifty-fifth street occurred on Dec. 4, 1913, when 300 passengers were held in darkness under the East river for an hour after a collision.

Until the recent one the worst traffic tieup in the city's history was that which occurred on Jan. 21, 1914. On this occasion two accidents delayed hundreds of thousands of passengers in the subway and elevated trains for hours. The axle of a car in a Lenox avenue local snapped at the crossover at Ninety-sixth street, tying up the subway for more than an hour. An "L" accident completed the demoralization of traffic.

Passengers and firemen were imperiled when fire in the Lenox avenue subway followed the collision of a shuttle and a work train at One Hundred and Forty-second street on Sept. 30, 1914.

At the time of the Paris tube accident, just before the opening of the subway here, E. P. Bryan, general manager of the Interborough, said such an accident could not happen in the New York tube. Most of those who died in Paris were suffocated.

"The New York subway is close to the surface of the street," said Mr. Bryan, "and the air from outside has a free circulation through it. The stations are close together, and there will be room in case of accidents for people to get out of the cars if they want to and walk to the stations."

WILD GEESE BLOCK TRAIN.

Engineers Forced to "Shoo" Flocks of Fowl Off Track.

Wild geese congregating along the right of way of the Nevada, California and Eastern railroad, running out of Lakeview, Ore., have interfered seriously with the operation of the trains. So numerous are the birds that several times it has been almost necessary to stop the trains that the birds might not be run over.

The engineer has hastened their flight by frequent blasts of the whistle. When the great flocks of geese rise from the track the beating of their wings can be heard distinctly several miles away.

The geese have been feeding in the neighboring grainfields and along the marshes of Klamath lake. The lack of sand on the marshes, which the geese require as an aid to digestion, is reported by sportsmen to have driven them to the railroad, where sand is used as ballast.

PENNY PAINS CONSCIENCE.

Woman Cheated Slot Machine and After Year She Makes Restitution.

Because she "cheated" the weighing machine in the Union Pacific depot at Junction City, Kan., out of a penny more than a year ago the conscience of an Abilene woman has been bothering her ever since, according to a letter received by G. W. Mills, the company's agent.

In her letter the woman stated that more than a year ago she and her daughter were in the depot waiting for a train. The daughter placed a penny in the weighing machine, and after it had registered her weight and before she stepped from the machine the mother stepped on also and was weighed free. This worried her so much that she inclosed a stamp in the letter and asked Mr. Mills to place a penny in the weighing machine, thus easing her conscience.

MANY HEAR GLEE CLUB

Wollaston Singers Give First Concert of Season

In spite of the heavy downpour Tuesday evening a large audience greeted the Wollaston Glee club at its first concert of the season in Wollaston. The club was assisted by Mme. Cara Sapin, contralto, of the Boston Opera company and William Ellis Weston, accompanist.

Mme. Sapin will be remembered by opera goers chiefly for her finished work as the witch in "Hansel und Gretel." Her voice, a rich contralto of unusual range and handled unusually well did much toward making the evening an enjoyable one to music lovers.

Perhaps the most effective piece of the evening was the rendering by the Glee club with Mme. Sapin of Brahms' "Rhapsody." In this selection the soloist lent great depth of color, which served as an inspiration to the chorus and resulted in a masterly production which has not been excelled by the club.

Popular taste was catered to in the last number when "Tipperary" was sung, the solo by S. B. Bates and the chorus by the club. In the final chorus the audience was invited to join. The uproarous applause which followed this new departure has hardly ever been equalled at the concerts of the club.

The chorus work of the club was well up to its usual high standard of excellence and the soloist of the evening not only showed her appreciation of the skilled accompaniment of Mr. Weston but also of the fine support accorded her by the club and the understanding direction of John A. Crowley, the conductor.

"Awake my love," by Gericke, was the first selection of the evening. This was followed by the aria "Dinites du Styx," by Gluck, sung by Mme. Sapin. This number was the signal for an evidence of appreciation for the work of the soloist which continued throughout the evening.

Next in order came "Mammy's lullaby," by Spross. This was an arrangement from Dvorak's "Humoresque" and the dreamy southern dialect balanced well with the rythm of this well known classic.

For the closing number of part one came the "Rhapsody" by Brahms, in which Mme Sapin, with the chorus as a ground work was so effective.

During intermission the club's pleasant social custom of mingling with its guests was continued.

The opening number of the second part was "Monk of the mountain" by Bullard. With its dashy and accelerated movement and rollicking chorus the piece found instant poular favor. The solo part was taken by Messrs. Bates, White and Weston.

Three songs by Mme. Sapin formed the next offering. "Psyche" by Paladilke, "Traum durch die Dammerung" by Richard Strauss and "Flower rain" by Schneider were the pieces. In them the singer had opportunity to display, not only a fine color and depth of tone, but also the high range of which she was capable. The selections were loudly encored and Mme. Sapin favored with a short offering to her own accompaniment.

"Sweetheart" by Prentiss was sung by the club and this received its merited amount of applause. Another song group by Mme. Sapin followed which included "Way down south" by Homer, "Wunsch" by Breidt and "Through a primrose bell" by Spross. "Tipperary" by Williams and "Soldiers Farewell" by Hinkel were the closing numbers. The program as a whole was most acceptable and those venturing out in the storm felt the evening to have been one profitably spent.

The club is entering upon its fourteenth successful season and will hold another concert early in April. Following is the make-up of the chorus:

Tenors—Richard Bishop, E. E. Bullock, H. M. Dean, Jr., A. M. Dingwell, Herbert J. Gurney, William F. Mitchell Percy A. Hull, Dr. E. R. Johnson, Charles Luard, A. A. Orcutt, W. Edwin Wallace, Charles A. Tanner, Dr. A. P. Thompson, Carl D. Hopkins David Hanson.

Basses—S. B. Bates, F. H. Bishop, H. F. VanBuskirk, Frank W. Crane, J. A. Horton, F. K. Linscott, A. W. Robinson, W. A. Seiders, Peter W. Sharp, George A. Smith, Louis B. Weston, Arthur P. Strout, T. L. Edwards, W. F. Atwood, A. M. Painten, J. S. White, Kenneth S. Smith C. M. Kempton, James Falconer, F. L. Armstrong, L. C. Holbrook, P. B. Clapp.

Much appreciation was voiced of the fine floral display donated by Charles Luard, a member of the club.

NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy will be held at

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WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t

STORM DAMAGES BOULEVARD

Squantum Street Rendered Impassable by High Tide

The aqueduct leading from Atlantic to Squantum which was built three years ago at a cost of about $20,000 suffered severely from the storm and Dorchester street, which is an unaccepted street extending from the postoffice to the Moon Island road, was washed out so as to be impassable.

Tons of gravel were washed away on the Squantum boulevard or aqueduct. On Wednesday morning the 15-foot tide washed completely over the roadway. The 7 and 7.30 A M. cars made their trips but after that there was no trolley service until about noon. The tide carried gravel and stones over the car tracks so as to make traffic impossible. Passengers, more than 75, who wanted to get to their work in Boston, were compelled to wait until the tide subsided and a snow plow made a trip to clean off the tracks.

The snow plow scraped the gravel, stones and sea ward off the car tracks and piled the whole up in the center of the boulevard so that now team and automobile traffic is dangerous. It will take several days work and tons of gravel to put the boulevard back in the condition it was before the storm.

Not since the great Christmas storm in 1909 has there been such a high tide at Squantum. The water came to the level of the horse trough in Postoffice Square and completely across the boulevard from there to below Essex street going toward Atlantic On Dorchester street the sea wall was under a foot of water and the road and car tracks were inundated.

A score of Squantum people who wanted to get to Boston watched the high tide from the store of A. Friberg where they were marooned for an hour or more.

For years there has been constant dispute whether Dorchester street belongs to the city of Quincy or to the city of Boston. Since Boston took the land at Squantum Head this street has been kept in order by Superintendent T. F. Callahan of the Moon Island sewerage plant.

The high tide had washed away the street surface to the car tracks. The old stone wall that helped to keep the roadway intact has almost completely disappeared. It is dangerous for any team or automobile to venture upon this street as there are ruts and pitfalls that might land one bottom up at the ocean side of the seawall.

DELL CAPTURES BIG TRIPLE

Triple Scarce at Wardwell Alley Rolloffs

Jimmie Dell whaled out a triple of 344 in the rolloffs at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday night. His high single was 132 and another was 124. Triples were scarce.

FIRST TEAM.

M. Nicoll	108	112	98	318
R. Mahoney	90	100	86	276
Spargo	77	86	81	244
J. Dell	88	132	124	344
B. McLean	81	92	86	259
C. Bishop	86	87	76	249

SECOND TEAM.

J. Dunn	116	103	90	309
J. Olindy	83	110	123	316
H. Smith	84	108	101	293
J. Cox	98	114	80	292
G. White	81	92	94	267
G. Erickson	122	96	92	310

THIRD TEAM.

J. Hebb	80	75	80	235
B. Donovan	94	103	101	298
J. Brown	94	61	85	240
N. Olsen	94	114	110	318
J. Morgan	87	113	86	286
Jepson	77	107	102	286

FOURTH TEAM.

Bergfors	85	107	86	278
Erickson	95	85	91	271
Gusatson	82	105	71	258
Harkins	90	61	63	214
J. Smallett	89	97	95	281
Dobos	90	108	101	299

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PROBATE COURT.

Judge Flint Conducts Regular Session At Quincy.

Judge Flint held probate for Norfolk county at Quincy Wednesday and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Elizabeth C. Adams late of Franklin, William A. Adams, executor, Bond $10,000.

Of John Bany late of Quincy, Maynard C. King executor, Bond $4,000.

Of Amanda M. Rich late of Weymouth, Ada M. Rich, executrix, Bond $700.

Of Rolland W. Stoddard late of Braintree, Mary I. Richards executrix Bond $2000.

Of Henry L. Thayer late of Weymouth, Georgianna R. Thayer, executrix. Bond $8,000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Sarah E. Mastin, on estate of Chauncey M. Mastin, late of Braintree Bond $16,000.

John E. Fisher on estate of Lizzie M. Fisher late of Dedham. Bond $800.

William F. Purseker on estate of Maria A. Purseker late of Brookline. Bond $1,100.

Charles T. Bailey on estate of Minna P. Bailey late of Weymouth. Bond $3,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of Edith A. Cameron administratrix of estate on Daniel E. Cameron late of Quincy for $18,826.71.

First of Edith A. Cameron guardian of Raymond E., Clarence D., Edith M., and Amelia L. Cameron, minors for $1,888.52

Fifteenth of George H. Brown trustee of will of Joseph A. Berry late of Quincy for the benefit of Addie L. Harris, for $4,273.65.

First of Frank O. White, conservator of property of Emma A. Wales of Brookline for $13,655.41.

First and final of Minot P. Garey, conservator of property of Harriet T. Prescott of Wilton, Me., for $6,818.99.

Second and final of Ellie E. P. Thomas, executrix of will of Nellie E. Lovell late of Weymouth, for $685.22

First and final of Alice Holbrook administratrix of estate of Caleb S. Holbrook late of Stoughton for $1,034.76.

First and final of W. E. Pedricks administrator of estate of Lucy J. Ivers late of Dedham for $2,388.52.

Second of Edward C. Richardson trustee under will of Sarah C. Brackett late of Quincy for $18,708.05.

Third of Albert A. Pope trustee under will of Albert A. Pope late of Cohasset for $68,076.

First and final of Ellen P. McNally executrix of will of Thomas F. McNally late of Norfolk, for $1,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Thomas Bishop and Frederick Barnicoat declined to serve longer on the bond of Edith A. Cameron, on account of business engagements and the American Bonding Co., was accepted.

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MATCHES IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Dubos and Rhodes tied at 111 for high single in the church league matches at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday evening. Cahill of the Rand class high total, 302.

The Makaria and Davis class took all four points, the Rand three and the Pilgrims one and Clark and O. U. B. Classes failed to score. The summaries:

DAVIS 4—CLARK 0.

DAVIS CLASS.				
Wilson	72	65	95	232
Smith	103	94	81	278
Harling	82	92	97	271
Niel	84	101	86	271
Duff	86	83	76	245
	427	435	435	1297
CLARK CLASS.				
Tinny	68	81	83	232
Craig	72	83	90	245
Jacobson	83	71	98	252
Moyle	96	96	83	275
Falconer	74	92	76	242
	393	423	430	1256

MAKARIA 4—O. U. B. 0.

MAKARIA.				
Tytler	99	99	74	272
Nicolls	96	98	106	300
Prescott	82	101	93	276
McFariane	91	101	93	285
Brooks	90	110	82	282
	456	486	437	1379
O. U. B.				
Frost	93	90	101	284
Sprague	70	78	67	215
Dorley	92	102	77	271
Mayer	90	87	103	280
Burrell	67	81	89	237
	412	438	437	1287

RAND 3—PILGRIM 1.

RAND.				
Cahill	79	84	89	252
Hatfield	84	82	75	241
Cahill	80	107	80	267
Cahill	101	103	98	302
Rhodes	90	111	91	292
	343	487	433	1354
PILGRIM.				
Hoffers	103	97	92	292
Dummy	79	84	75	238
MacQueen	93	75	101	269
Dummy	80	82	80	242
Dubos	111	98	75	284
	466	436	423	1325

MAKES OLD FRIENDS LAUGH.

St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter Has Convocation.

Many of the old time friends of John Thomas the Quincy boy who has won fame as a humorist took the opportunity Wednesday evening to greet him at the convocation of St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter.

The convocation convened at 6 o'clock and an hour later a recess was taken during which time supper was served, followed by a half hour social session during which Mr. Thomas greeted many of his boyhood friends.

After the business session he entertained the companions for an hour or more with humorous stories and selections. He spoke of his boyhood days in Quincy and of some of the familiar faces of those days which he could recall. Some of those he saw before him and others had gone to the great beyond.

Story after story kept the companions in a constant roar of laughter. It was one of the most entertaining convocations the chapter has held in a long time.

TURKEY SUPPER.

The men of the Universalist church have won a reputation for most excellent suppers and another in the series will be served next Tuesday evening in church vestry, "Murray hall" at 6.30 o'clock. There will be roast turkey with all the fixings. Hon. Chester I. Campbell, our popular mayor, Hon. Melvin S. Nash of Hanover, Rev. George E. Leighton, state superintendent of Universalist churches ond Rev. W. W. Rose, local superintendent will be present and give brief addresses. Tickets, limited at 200, are on sale by the men, also Mr. H. D. Cole, the optician, Depot street.

AVE MARIA HANDICAPPED.

Ave Maria Council's bowling team team will be handicapped tonight by the absence of its captain George Reinhalter, who is out of town on a business trip. The team will be in charge of Leo Garity, who promises his team will make McPherson's St. Mary's go the limit. Should Ave Maria take better than an even break tonight it will bring all four teams nearer together and make things more interesting.

BORAH ATTACKS WILSON

Delivers General Broadside Against the Administration

Washington, Jan. 14.—In a stirring debate, the senate heard sharp Republican attacks upon President Wilson's recent Indianapolis speech, criticism of the administration's policy toward Mexico and denunciation of Democratic legislation, followed by warm defense of the president by the Democratic leaders and a prediction of his renomination and re-election.

Political discussion was precipitated over a resolution requesting information from the president as to what the government proposed to do with Mexican customs collected during the American occupation of Vera Cruz. The resolution did not get to a vote.

Senator Borah delivered a general broadside against the administration, which reached a climax in an attack on the chief executive's speech at Indianapolis last week, in which the president said that those Democrats who would not "play on the team should get off the team."

"These were the same instructions as were issued by Tom Taggart to the eighty political henchmen of Indianapolis who were afterward indicted for political corruption," said Borah. "They are the same instructions issued by Boss Murphy to his slavish followers in Tammany Hall."

WORK FOR TEN THOUSAND

As Many More Will Soon Be Employed In Wheeling District

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 14.—The resumption of more than a dozen mills and factories in the Wheeling district this week meant the return to work of more than 10,000 men.

Within the next two weeks 10,000 and more workmen will find employment in the resumption of as many more plants.

The LaBelle Iron Works company and the Laughlin plant of the American Sheet and Tin Plate company at Martin's Ferry, O., are now operating with 3000 men employed. The Riverside mill of the National Tube company, which employs 5000 hands, is expected to resume within the next two weeks.

POLITICIANS SENT TO PENITENTIARY

Leaders Convicted of Bribery Charge Surrender Themselves

New York, Jan. 14.—Joseph Cassidy, former Democratic leader of Queen's county, and William Willett, Jr., a former congressman, were committed to Sing Sing prison to serve one year and six months each.

Their commitment followed the affirmation by the court of appeals of the verdict of the jury which convicted Willett of offering, and Cassidy of receiving, a brbe to obtain Willett's nomination to the supreme court in 1911.

The pair surrendered themselves yesterday and indicated their desire to begin serving their sentences at once. They were taken at once to Sing Sing.

REPUBLICAN UNSEATED

Maine Democrats Control Joint Convention by One Vote

Augusta, Me., Jan. 14.—The house, by a vote of 78 to 72, accepted the majority report of the committee on election in unseating Levite V. Thibodeau, Republican, and seating Fortunat W. Michaud, Democrat. This action gives the Democrats a majority of one vote on joint ballot.

The house accepted the unanimous report of the committee on elections in refusing to seat Peter Harmon, Democrat, in place of James L. Clement, Republican.

HAS SUPPORT OF VILLA

Gutierrez Again Chosen Provisional President of Mexico

Mexico City, Jan. 14.—It is understood that the national convention has renamed General Gutierrez as provisional president of Mexico.

The reappointment of Gutierrez as provisional president by the national convention is understood to have the full support of General Villa and his northern troops. Its acceptance, however, by the followers of General Zapata, the southern chieftain, is considered doubtful.

Harvard Has 5699 Students

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 14.—The number of students enrolled in all departments at Harvard university is 5699, the largest number yet recorded, the official catalog announced.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Grand View House, a summer hotel at Nahant, Mass., was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of about $5000.

It was announced at the Vatican that Pope Benedict had decided to hold a consistory on Feb. 22.

President Hustis of the Boston and Maine railroad is out one $3000 automobile as the result of a fire in the barn on the W. B. Forrest estate at Winchester, Mass., which he leased some time ago.

Mrs. Emeline Cheney, widow of Arthur Cheney, who was in his day a prominent theatre owner in Boston, died at Boston.

CITY HALL NOTES

City Auditor Fairbanks has been elected as clerk of the finance committee.

Meetings of the committees on Finance, Licenses and Legislative Matters have been called for next Monday evening just previous to the council meeting.

TO HOLD GENTLEMENS NIGHT.

The Quincy Catholic Club will hold its annual Gentlemen's Night in Colonial hall this evening. The special guests will be the clergy and members of the Knights of Columbus councils of the city.

The affair is to be in charge of a committee which includes Miss Mary Lyons, Miss Louise Crowley, Miss Emma Bigness and Miss Annie T. Walsh.

HOLD PARLOR RALLY.

A parlor Y. M. C. A. rally meeting was held Tuesday evening at the home of Prof. Marceau at Wollaston. On account of the storm the meeting was not as largely attended as it would otherwise have been. The speaker of the evening was Alfred O. Booth of Boston who gave an interesting talk on Association work. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

WIND WORKS HAVOC.

The heavy winds of Wednesday blew down a stone shed on West street occupied by Henry Geer. It also uprooted a tree on the property of Mrs. Mary Daley of Willard street blowing it within a few feet of the railroad track. Had it gone on the track it would have tied up the trains on the branch for quite a while.

☞The Ledger would like to hear from some one who could write Wollaston news items such as personals, afternoon social affairs, etc., each day for the paper. Good pay on space to the right one either man or woman.

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GETS LIFE SENTENCE

Punishment of Habitual Criminal Who Stole Two Hams

Chicago, Jan. 14.—William Cline stole two hams, pleaded guilty before Judge Petit, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for life, under the "old offender" statute.

The court read from a record that Cline had served several terms in the house of correction, had twice been in the penitentiary and had changed his name several times.

"The world will be informed," concluded the court, "that I have sentenced a man to the penitentiary for life for stealing two hams. I have not done that. Your record shows you to be a crook and I hope they will find a way to keep crooks like you in the penitentiary when you reach there this time. Your are sentenced to the penitentiary for life, according to law."

MUCH DAMAGE BY STORM

Wind Reaches Velocity of Seventy Miles an Hour Along the Coast

Boston, Jan. 14.—Between gale, high tide and heavy precipitation, Boston and its environs passed through one of the most damaging storms on record. Along the coastline the wind velocity attained a maximum of seventy miles an hour and the tide reached an exceedingly high mark.

These different elements, with a twenty-four-hour precipitation, made a damaging combination, in which several coastal points were the main sufferers. Waves undermined streets, sidewalks and railroad beds; swept away sections of seawalls, damaged buildings and filled numerous cellars with water. Local shipping suffered to some extent.

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE BURGLAR GANG

Arrests Follow the Killing of One of Their Number

Boston, Jan. 14.—Florence O Sullivan, sometimes known as "Red," 22 years old, is dead and his pals, Richard Viancour and John Conway, alias "The Kid" and "Brown," together with Conway's sweetheart, Ida Onyon, are under arrest, on suspicion at present, but facing a far more serious charge—that of murder.

O'Sullivan was found in his room with a bullet through his head and another wound in the back of the neck. In consequence warrants charging Conway and Viancour with murder will be sought.

The police say that after a three hours' grilling the two survivors of the gang admitted that with "Red" they had been engaged in robbing an apartment house and the police think that more than one other burglary may be traced to their door before the investigation of the case is concluded.

STRINGER IN BANKRUPTCY

Failure Closely Follows Suicide of Member of Brokerage Firm

New York, Jan. 14.—G. F. Stringer, whose son, G. F. Stringer, Jr., committed suicide last Saturday after heavy losses in the wheat market, had caused a suspension of the firm of Stringer & Co., filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy as an individual and as surviving partner of the brokerage firm of which he and his son were members.

Stringer in his petition places the partnership liabilities of the firm at $413,752. The assets are $106,687. In the individual petition Stringer places his personal liabilities at $149,976 and assets at $39,955.

DIRECTORS GIVE BAIL

Railway Men Before Coroner on the Charge of Culpable Negligence

New York, Jan. 14.—Directors of the Interborough Rapid Transit company appeared before Coroner Riordan and gave bail on the charge of culpable negligence found against them and other officers of the company by the coroner's jury which held an inquest into the deaths of two persons in a recent "L" road wreck.

Riordan had announced that he would not require the personal appearance of the directors before him, but later changed his mind, stating that under the law there was no alternative in the matter.

LOCKER SYSTEM ILLEGAL

Court Classes It as "Tippling Place" Under the Laws of Maine

Bangor, Me., Jan. 14.—Because of a decision of the law court, all liquors have been removed from members' lockers at the Tarrantine club.

Chief Justice Savage, in an action brought by the state against the Cumberland club of Portland, ruled that any place where men gathered to drink intoxicating liquors, even though in a club where private lockers were maintained, was a "tippling place" within the meaning of the law.

Must Keep Husband's Name

Boston, Jan. 14.—Judge Chase of the superior court refused to allow Mrs. Lucy I. Sabine, who had been granted a divorce, to assume her maiden name. The court said nothing could eradicate the fact that a married woman was a married woman, even though divorced.

FARMERS ASKED TO "BUY IT NOW"

Launch Vigorous Campaign to Restore Country's Prosperity.

DON'T POSTPONE PURCHASES

Statistics Show That Farmers Had Most Successful Year In History—If They "Buy It Now" They'll Put Money Into Circulation and Start Business Boom.

A campaign unique in character and farreaching in results, affecting the general prosperity of the country, has been launched with the Agricultural Publishers' association (national association of farm papers) pledging its cooperation to interest the farmers of the United States. The slogan of the campaign is "Buy It Now!" and the purpose a general awakening of business throughout the country if purchases of those things necessary, such as machinery, implements, building material and other heavy merchandise, are made now instead of the latter date.

Information of the proposed campaign was made public by C. C. Rosewater, general manager of the Twentieth Century Farmer, Omaha, who is chairman of the special committee of the Agricultural Publishers' association.

"While the campaign should appeal to every one," said Mr. Rosewater, "it should particularly appeal to the farmers of the United States. Government statistics just issued prove undeniably that the farmers today are more prosperous than ever before. These figures show that crops valued at $9,872,936,000, $83,000,000 in excess of last year, were produced on the farms of the United States. While the manufacturer and merchant are struggling to make ends meet—and that is the general condition throughout the country—the farmers are particularly fortunate in that they have shown good margins of profit.

Can Make Purchases Now.

"The farmers can make certain purchases now which ordinarily are postponed until the spring months. If they will co-operate in this campaign by buying now, they will assist materially in restoring the trade activity of the country and at no additional expense to themselves. These purchases must be made later. Why not now? The result of such co-operative movement would be manifested in many ways. Factories would be permitted to run full time with full forces employed; many men, now out of work and whose families are in need of the necessaries of life would be given employment. Jobbing houses would also be permitted to run full time. In short, the general unsettled conditions would be corrected, confidence would be restored much quicker than under present conditions, and a general awakening of business would follow. The farm population alone is nearly 40,000,000. An average expenditure of $10 would place more than $400,000,000 in circulation, from which every one would reap a benefit. This campaign is not one to urge indiscriminate buying; rather it is one to urge economic buying, but insisting on buying now those things which must be bought later."

The Agricultural Publishers' association represents the farm papers of the United States, and through the various publications the appeal "Buy it now" will be carried to every farmer in the United States. In addition it is proposed to have every newspaper in the United States join in the campaign, while business men will be asked to make the appeal through their advertising and other publicity. In Mr. Rosewater's opinion, the campaign should be as beneficial as the early shopping campaign. The country press will be asked to co-operate. Plans include the widest possible distribution of the "Buy it now" appeal.

TO SAVE SAILORS' LIVES.

Sir A. Conan Doyle Wants Collapsible Boats For Warships.

Writing to the Daily Mail, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle urges that measures be taken to minimize the fearful loss of life entailed by such naval disasters as those of the Bulwark and the Formidable. He suggests the use of collapsible boats.

"We have to remember," he says, "that the objection to boats was that they were inflammable and to some extent in the way in a surface fight. No doubt that is true, but we have learned now that a hundred men perish from mines and torpedoes for one who dies in a fair action, and therefore we must cease to provide for what is exceptional, and we must take precautions for what is usual. It is always easy to jettison boats in a surface action.

"It is no exaggeration to say that had our ships been provided with collapsible boats we should have saved the vast majority of the seamen for whom we mourn. No one is to blame for this. The conditions were new, and the lesson had to be learned, but now that the lesson is learned not a day should be lost in getting boats for the ships, making first provision for those, like the Zeebrugge blockaders, which are in most peril. We can spare and replace ships; we cannot spare men. They must be saved, and this is how to save them."

As He Saw Him.



Candidate—I hope you don't believe what the other side is saying about me.

Pat—Not a bit! All I believe about you is phat you are sayin' about the other side.—Chicago News.

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Sheriff's Sale

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
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Seized on execution and will be sold at public auction on Saturday the 23rd day of January, A. D., 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin Street, in said Quincy, all the right, title and interest which Samuel M. Harmon, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the said 8th day of December, at five o'clock and thirty minutes P. M. the time the same was seized on execution, in and to the following described real estate, the record or legal title standing in the name of Lydia W. Harmon, to wit;—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Wollaston, being a portion of the Lot No. 9 and the whole of Lot No. 10 in Block One of Section 2 as shown on a plan of said Sections drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 402, the said lots being bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly on Highland Avenue 150 feet; Southeasterly on lot 8 in said Block 175 feet; Southwesterly on land of the Wollaston Land Associates 150 feet; Northwesterly on lot 11 in said Block 175 feet. Hereby conveying all of said two lots except so much of said lot 9 as has been conveyed by S. Milton Harmon to A. C. Sprague and Elizabeth I. Nesbett.

GEORGE H. FIELD,
Deputy Sheriff.
3t Jan. 7-14-21

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

For breach of the condition of a certain mortgage deed given by Katherine G. Wagner to Emily H. Burdett dated April 27, 1909, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 1108 page 375, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday the sixth day of February 1915 at 3 o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described substantially as follows;

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, known as Wollaston, being lot B, on a plan by H. T. Whitman, C. E. recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 997 page 587, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Prospect Avenue eighty-seven (87) feet distant from South Central Avenue at the Northwesterly corner of Lot A. on said plan, thence running fifty-five (55) feet along said Prospect Avenue to Lot C. as shown on said plan; thence turning and running along said lot C. seventy-five (75) feet to the easterly corner of said lot C.; thence turning and running fifty-five (55) feet to the Northerly corner of said lot A.; thence turning and runing along said lot A. seventy-five (75) feet to the point of beginning, containing according to said plan 4125 square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Katherine G. Wagner by George H. S. Soule by deed recorded with said mortgage, and the premises will be sold subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

The premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments or liens if any. A deposit of $300. will be required at the time and place of sale. Balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

James H. Burdett and Albert F. Burdett Executors of the will of Emily H. Burdett, Mortgagee.
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BATTLES ON IN MANY QUARTERS

Russians Are Making New Move Against East Prussia

CLAIM TO HAVE ADVANCED

Germans Bring Up Reinforcements and Recover Ground Taken From Them by French—London Gives Little Credence to Report of Turkish Invasion of Egypt—Dover Not Attacked by Submarines—Resignation of Austrian Premier, Who Precipitated War, Causes Some Stir

London, Jan. 14.—Battles large and small, all having an important bearing on the situation, are in progress at widely separated points in the war areas in Europe and Asia.

The Turks have occupied the Persian city of Tabriz, which is a Russian shpere of influence; are battling with the Russians in the Caucasus, and are repored to be making preparations for an invasion of Egypt.

The Russians have resumed the offensive in East Prussia, while the Germans continue to attack them in Poland, and they are again trying to cross the Nida river in southern Poland, which is held by the Austrians.

The Russians also claim to have made a further advance to the southwest of Rawa, another indication that they contemplate a repetition of their attempt at an invasion of East Prussia from the east and south, despite the fact that repeated German attacks south of the lower Vistula in Poland are keeping them fairly busy. These attacks are being made at different points and, according to the Russian official statements, are easily repelled.

There is no recent account of the fighting in Southern Poland and Gallicia, but a Bucharest dispatch says the Russians have begun an attack on the Austrian fortifications in the mountains that divide Bukowina, now in their possession, and Transylvania, an attack on which is considered likely to bring Roumania into the war on the side of the allies.

The renewed activity of the Russians in East Prussia indicates that the freezing over of the Mazurian lakes, for which they have long been waiting, has at last occurred, for otherwise it would be impossible for troops to advance through the narrow defiles defended by the Germans.

The battle which is creating great interest is that in the Aisne valley to the northwest of Soissons, where the French have been attacking the German entrenchments for a week. They succeeded in taking some important positions on Friday last and again on Sunday, but the Germans, bringing up reinforcements, succeeded in recovering some of the lost ground. Otherwise the unfavorable weather has compelled the Germans and allies to confine themselves to artillery engagements.

The Turks, according to a Cairo dispatch, have at last decided to attempt an invasion of Egypt. In London little credence is given to this report. It is not believed possible that troops can cross the desert which stretches eastward from the Suez canal, and even if they conquered the waterless waste, they would be so exhausted by the effort that the British forces in Egypt, it is confidently thought, could easily repel them.

Rumors were current, as they have been on several previous occasions, that German submarines had made an attack on Dover and that two of them were sunk. The authorities deny that any submarines have been sunk, but give no explanation of the firing of the guns of the forts.

The announcement that Count von Birchtold, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, has resigned and has been succeeded by Baron Stephen Burian, minister of the royal court of the Hungarian cabinet, has caused a sensation in diplomatic circles in Europe.

Von Berchtold, who directed Austro-Hungarian foreign relations for a number of years, and was responsible for the note to Servia which precipitated the war, had on a number of occasions, both before and after the Balkan wars, asked Emperor Francis Joseph to relieve him of office. But the continued unsettled conditions which followed the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina made this impossible.

Anxious, therefore, as he was to retire, it was not deemed that he would do so while the war was in progress, for it was considered that such action might suggest that his policy had fallen into disfavor. More significant than his resignation, however, is the announcement that he is succeeded by a Hungarian.

The appointment of a Hungarian to succeed him in control of Austrian affairs is believed to indicate that henceforth Hungary will assume a more prominent place in shaping the policy of the dual monarchy during the war.

THE MERCIER EPISODE

What Cardinal and German Governor General Have to Say

Cardinal Mercier, the primate of Belgium, declines for the [illegible] to discuss what he defined

GENERAL VON BISSING.

German Commander New Governor General Of Territory In Belgium.



Photo by American Press Association.

tious measures" of the German authorities in Belgium with reference to him and to the pastoral letter written by him on Christmas.

General von Bissing, governor general of the Belgian territory occupied by the Germans, in reply to a request that he forward to Mercier a telegram asking him for the exact facts in connection with the incident, said:

"Cardinal Mercier requests me to forward to you the following dispatch in response to your inquiry:

"'I feel very much the sympathy you have shown me, and for which I thank you; but I prefer not to dwell for the moment on the vexatious measures to which you allude, and I prefer to continue to shut myself in my episcopal ministry. I wish to declare, however, that I have withdrawn nothing and will withdraw nothing from my pastoral letter.'"

General von Bissing adds:

"As this reply of the cardinal might give rise to misunderstandings, I add thereto the following remarks:

"I certainly caused proofs of the pastoral letter in the printing office to be confiscated, and I summoned the priests to give up copies of it in their possession. The cardinal never has been arrested nor has his personal liberty in any other way been encroached upon. I merely requested him to give me explanations of the tendencies of the pastoral letter, and besides this, in order to prevent possible manifestations, I asked him to abandon a projected journey to Antwerp.

"If these measures perhaps appear to the cardinal subjectively vexatious, yet they were objectively absolutely necessary in order to clear up the situation."

THE FORMIDABLE DISASTER

British Admiralty Blamed For Loss of Officers and Men

Admiral Beresford, retired, in a letter to the press, discusses the loss of the battleship Formidable, which was destroyed recently in the English channel by a German submarine.

"The ship was lost," he says, "under conditions whose repetition, after the losses of the Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue, we thought impossible. In both cases, heavy ships were sent into waters infested with submarines, without the protection of torpedo boat destroyers, which are the natural defense against the submarine.

"The efficacy of the destroyer is shown by the fact that submarines are unable to injure the British squadron off the Belgian coast. It is unpardonable that officers and men should be thus gratuitously sent to the bottom without a shot being fired."

BROWN LOSES HIS APPEAL

Council Votes Not to Reopen Case of Small Loan Supervisor

Boston, Jan. 14.—E. G. Brown, deposed as state supervisor of small loan agencies, petitioned the executive council to reconsider the vote of removal, to reopen the case and to give him opportunity to present evidence in his behalf.

The first formal test between Governor Walsh and his Republican council resulted in a victory for the governor when five of the Republican councillors voted against Lieutenant Governor Cushing and Councillor Ham in the efforts of the latter to reopen the Brown case.

Two Men Perish In Fire

Portland, Me., Jan. 14.—Martin B. Glennan and Joseph T. Glennan, brothers, aged about 40 years, were suffocated by smoke by a fire in a tenement house at 43 Centre street. Pulmotors were used on the two men, but it was too late to revive them. The monetary loss by the fire was small.

Murder Suspect Freed

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 14.—Felix Vadenais, charged with the murder of Joseph S. Goldberg at Manchaug, was discharged in the district court, Judge Utley declaring he found no evi- show that Vadenais shot

ASKS FOR TOTAL OF $148,000,000

Naval Committee Submits Its Program to House

TWO BATTLESHIPS ASKED FOR

Six Destroyers and Seventeen Submarines Also Incorporated Into Bill, Which Contains Notable Changes From Previous Supply Measures—German Shells Rejected by America

Washington, Jan. 14.—A naval building program of two battleships, six torpedo boat destroyers and seventeen submarines was adopted and incorporated into the naval bill by the house naval committee. The bill was reported at once to the house. The vote for the two battleships was 16 to 4; for the six torpedo boat destroyers 15 to 5 and for the seventeen submarines 11 to 8.

Already the committee has put into the bill provision for a naval reserve; created the office of admiral and vice admiral of each of he Atlantic, Pacific and Asiatic fleets; created the office of bureau of operations to handle all war strategy matters; provided $1,000,000 for aviation; increased the officers in the marine corps; abolished the "plucking board" and made other notable changes from the usual naval supply bills.

Besides the larger craft, the program adopted includes one oiler, one transport and one hospital ship. The bill with this program aggregates approximately $148,000,000, of which $21,906,000 is for next year's part of the new construction.

The committee made no provision for a gunboat, which Secretary Daniels recommended.

Louis Gathman, the American who claims to be the inventor of the high explosive shells that Germany is using in he monster guns which swept away the defenses of Liege and Antwerp, told a minority of the senate committee on expeditures in the war department that he had been endeavoring to interest the ordnance officials of the American war department for many years and had made no effort to give his invention to foreign governments until it had been repeatedly refused by American army officers. He charged that the facts had been suppressed by the ordnance bureau.

Gathman said that in tests in 1897, before American ordnance officers, his shell had blown to pieces six and ten-inch armor plates when merely leaned against the steel and exploded. The whole theory of shell fire had been so changed by the adoption of high explosive shells, in place of armor piercing projectiles, he said, that the coast defenses of the United States were virtually useless, because they still used the latter type of projectile.

Officers of the German navy, he said, had informed him that armor piercing shells had been displaced upon German war vessels years ago, and that the Germans relied upon high explosives to destroy a ship on which their guns were trained.

It had been demonstrated, he said, that armor piercing shells had never sunk a ship.

Gathman also attacked the coast defense mortars, on which the United States, he said, had expended $100,000,000. These, he said, have a range of only six miles, use only armor piercing shells and cannot pierce armor at a mile, as a majority of the blows would be glancing. Equipped with high explosive shells, he said, their fire would be deadly.

JEROME'S COMMISSION

Made Special Deputy Attorney General to Go After Thaw

Albany, Jan. 14.—Attorney General Woodbury, after a conference with William T. Jerome, announced that Jerome had been designated as a special deputy attorney general, and his commission would continue in force until such a time as Harry K. Thaw is returned to the jurisdiction of New York state from New Hampshire.

It is expected that action to return Thaw will be started within two weeks.

Druggists Heavily Fined

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 14.—Fines totalling $900 were imposed on the Roycroft Drug company and its employes by Judge Stone for alleged violations of the liquor laws. Appeals were entered on all sentences.

Fishermen Perhaps Lost

Portland, Me., Jan. 14.—Anxiety is felt for the safety of Captain McIntyre and a crew of five fishermen who left port early Tuesday morning for the fishing grounds in a gasolene gill netter and have failed to return.

Steamer Damaged In Collision

London, Jan. 14.—The British steamer Colorado, from Hull Jan. 1 for Boston and New York, was in collision with an unknown vessel and is returning to Hull in a damaged condition.

Philadelphia, [illegible]—Fire, starting from a lighted match carelessly dropped near oils stored in the garage of Melville Bros., destroyed twenty-four automobiles and other vehicles, with a loss of $75,000.

CUPID AT SEA

By OSCAR COX

Rufus Willard when eighteen decided to leave the paternal nest. Instead of remaining in the city of his birth or going elsewhere in the United States he decided to take a longer flight. He sailed for South America and, not content with remaining on the eastern coast, passed southward, through the strait and up to Chile. There he became engaged in business, and there was every prospect that he would make that country his permanent home.

A man settling in a far distant land is not likely to feel at home with the people there and naturally longs for his old associates. After a sojourn of a few years in Chile Willard thought that if he had a wife—one from his native land—he would be better contented. He remembered one Leona Andrews, a very pretty girl, that he had formerly been "sweet" on, and it occurred to him to begin a correspondence with her with a view to marriage.

Miss Andrews replied to his letter, and he wrote again, the correspondence growing sweeter and sweeter till he made a proposal by letter, which was accepted. The young lady realized that it would be difficult as well as inconvenient for him to return to America to marry her and consented to go to Chile for the wedding. This was a very satisfactory arrangement, and Willard was happy over the prospect. He bought a house, furnished it and made all essential arrangements for his bride's reception.

Miss Andrews wrote him of the steamer on which she would go to Chile, the date of her departure and the date of her probable arrival. Willard counted the days till she should come and his loneliness would be ended. He had made a number of good friends among the Chileans, and they had volunteered to do all in their power to make the lady's residence among them a happy one.

One Monday afternoon the ship on which Miss Andrews was coming was announced to arrive the next morning. Willard made arrangements for a simple noon wedding to take place on the day of his bride's arrival, to which a few friends were invited.

When the steamer arrived Willard was on the dock, looking up to see his fiancee. He saw her standing beside a gentleman, and when she caught his eye, instead of greeting him with a happy smile, she looked embarrassed. Running aboard, among the first to do so, he joined the lady, who introduced him to the gentleman beside her:

"My husband."

The voyage had been a long one. She had met a fascinating man, and the two had concluded that the most satisfactory solution of the problem would be for them to be married before their arrival in Chile. Willard would accept the inevitable without unnecessary prolonged torture.

Thus ends the first part of this story. The second part is in this wise:

Willard in order to recover from the shock bethought himself of another girl at home who might like a husband even if he did bring her to a distant land and entered upon another correspondence with marriage in view. He was equally successful in this case as the other, and it was not six months after his mishap before he was engaged again.

A great deal of sympathy had been enlisted for him in his disappointment, and his friends were much pleased to hear that, after all, he was to be made happy. He announced that this time he would go for his bride and bring her back with him. A sea voyage was a poor place for constancy when there was temptation at hand. He had suffered once from this cause, and he did not propose to take the rub a second time.

Willard in order to get away for so long a time was obliged to take in a partner. This he did. And when all was running smoothly he set sail for the United States with the blessings of many friends showered upon him. The women said nothing as to his former matrimonial experience, but the men shouted to him from the dock, "Don't trust her on deck without you." "Beware of the captain if he is good looking" and other such innuendoes upon the constancy of woman.

In due time Willard returned with his bride. Now that he was married innuendoes would be in bad taste, and it was agreed that they should not be made. But owing to the groom's previous mortifying episode every effort was made by the Chileans to give him and his bride a good sendoff. When the ship came in Willard was seen standing on deck beside a Chilean young lady who had sailed for the United States on the same vessel that Willard had taken when he went to be married. He was the color of a boiled lobster. He descended the gangway with the Chilean lady and, on being greeted somewhat wonderingly, introduced her as his wife.

"My friends," he said, "I met Mrs. Willard on our voyage out, and we were married before landing in New York."

"Oh, my goody gracious!" exclaimed the women.

"Why couldn't you have courted her here," asked the men, "without going all the way round the Horn and up the Atlantic?"

"Gentlemen," said the groom, "if any of you doubt Cupid's power on an ocean voyage try it and see for yourselves."

DELAYS MAKING APPOINTMENTS

Mayor to Name Official Family on Feb. 1.

People who are awaiting anxiously to learn whom Mayor Campbell will select as his department officials will have to curb their impatience for a little longer as his honor does not intend to announce the list next Monday. It was his intention at first to send the list of appointments to the city council at the meeting next Monday. He now finds that owing to the pressure of other city business he had not had all the time he desires to consider this important matter and therefore he will not announce his official family until the first meeting of the City Council in February, which will be Monday Feb. 1.

In speaking of his appointments the Mayor again said that he did not intend to make any radical changes. He however dropped no hint of whom he expected to retain in office.

Mrs. Rose Cassani of Copeland street who underwent an operation at the Quincy City Hospital on Wednesday is reported as resting comfortably this morning.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen A. Markham late of Quincy in said County deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John D. Mackay of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

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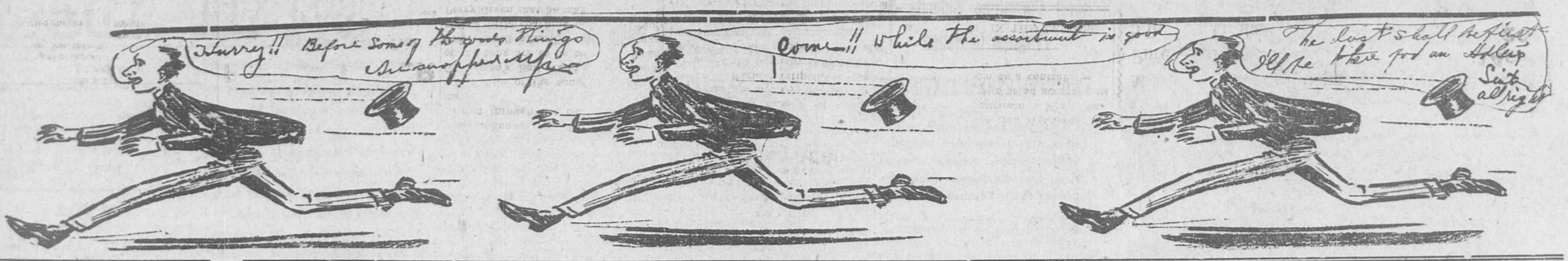
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Other bonds to secure Postal Savings	44,259 10	181,759 10
Bonds, securities, etc. on hand (other than stocks) including premiums on same		109,181 76
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank $12,000		
Less amount unpaid 10,000	$2,000	
All other stocks including premium on same	9,825	11,825 00
Furniture and Fixtures		980 00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank		16,947 16
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	$ 9,203 57	
in other reserve cities	32,462 13	41,665 70
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)		2,043 32
Outside checks and other cash items $910 27; fractional currency $557 24		1,467 51
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,175 95
Notes of other National Banks		13,040 00
Lawful money reserve in bank: Specie		44,307 85
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		6 875 00
Total		$1,091,693 49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$15 ,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits	48,278 36	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	7,841 03	
		40,437 33
Circulating notes	137,500 00	
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	1,600 00	
		135,900 00
Due to banks and bankers (other than above)		39,904 79
Dividends unpaid		3 00
Demand deposits—		
Individual deposits subject to check	690,531 30	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	5,000 00	
Certified checks	600 87	
Postal Savings deposits	42,370 00	
State and municipal deposits	27,544 20	
		676,048 37
Total		$1,091,693 49

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HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier.

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Jan. 14-1t

DIVISION 5. A. O. H. INSTALLATION

Four division presidents and county officials were at the installation of Pres. John J. Donahue and the officers of Div. 5, A. O. H. in their hall on Wednesday evening.

The installing officer was James Knox of Weymouth, county financial secretary, and suite of Div. 9 of Weymouth The visiting presidents were Jas Foley of Div. 3, of Randolph, Councilman James O'Dowd of Div 22, Edward Shay of Div. 17 and Edward Finn of Div. 4. State Treasurer Dennis J. Slattery was the special guest.

The visitors made speeches and there were songs by Daniel Donahue, James McVey, Patrick Cummings, Cornelius M. Driscoll, William Duane, Timothy Daley, Daniel J. Donahue and William Garity. Refreshments were served.

FINE TALENT FOR REVELS.

Those in charge of the Revels Friday evening announce that they have been able to secure some exceptionally fine talent. Among this talent is the Herford Chorus of the Arlington street church, composed of 20 young society people with Miss Marie Smith as soloist. The chorus will bring their own violinist and accompanist. Two of the best wrestlers from the Technology team have also been secured and it is expected that there will be some fancy dancing by professionals.

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ECHO SOCIAL CLUB LAYS ITS PLANS

The Echo Social club of West Quincy held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of William R. McDonald on Revere street. This club is composed of fifteen well known young men of the section who entertain their friends at their cottage at Nantasket during the summer months. Their cottage last year was the scene of many good times. They intend to outdo themselves this year and make this year's cottage a larger and better success than last. They had a six room cottage well situated on Bay street last year but are contemplating taking a larger and better one this year. After the election of officers an hour was devoted to talking over the prospects of a good time for the coming season. Michael J. Saville was elected president and Clemente J. Patriarch, financial secretary and treasurer. Plans were made to raise funds to defray the expenses of the cottage.

"BILLY" PRACTICES NEW SONG.

"Garbage Gentlemen's Ball" Is the Title of the Charming Piece.

If one should happen to visit the stables of the Board of Health and hear any unusual noises that sounded like music, they should not be alarmed for investigation would show that it was only the inspector practicing the words of a new song, which some unknown kind friend forwarded to him through the mail this morning.

The title of the song is "Garbage Gentlemen's Ball," and if the words of the song are to be believed it was some "swill affair." "Billy" thinks with a little coaching on the part of Perry Green that he may perfect himself enough to be given an opportunity to appear at the amateur night to be held soon by the Elks, provided it is agreed that no garbage is thrown at him.

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Just to show the "wimen folks" that they are not the only people on earth who know how to get up a good supper, the men of the Universalist church will be in charge of the supper to be held in the vestry of that church next Tuesday evening The men feel a little elated over their proposed supper and evidently expecting a rush of women have given it out that the number of tickets will be limited to 200. Just what they propose to serve has not been given out although it is rumored that turkey will be one of the chief articles on the bill of fare.

Several of the prominent men, it has been noticed, have taken to reading considerably of late, and while the women have been accusing them of reading novels it now develops that what they have been reading have been books on cookery.

SPEAKS BEFORE BROTHERHOOD

Prof. Daniel Evans of Andover Theological Seminary of Cambridge spoke on "Racial Antipathies" before 100 men of the Bethany church Brotherhood in the chapel Wednesday evening.

During his talk he showed that racial antipathies were instinctive and not rational, but that reason was rapidly overcoming them. The final ideal, which is developing, is that all men shall be brothers. The lecture was the same one he delivered before the Sociological Conference at Sagamore several months ago and which received such wide notice.

FENNO STREET GOUGED.

Fenno street, near Rufes Hummock was badly gouged by the storm and it will cost about $200 to repair the dame.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The young women's auction bridge club meets tomorrow with Miss Louise Abercrombie of Elm street Braintree.

The clock on the First church, which was out of commission all day Wednesday, is marking time again.

The street men were about this morning sanding the slippery sidewalks.

There was another high tide this morning but nothing like that of Wednesday.

Mrs. E. E. Waterhouse of Atlantic street has the sympathy of friends in the death of her brother Percy Butterfield of Wisconsin.

The Chicatawbut Social club will hold its regular meeting Friday evening at the home of Theodore Minahan of Rustic place.

It would be a good time now for the young people of Atlantic to hold that sleighing party that was called off last week on account of the disappearance of the snow.

Miss Agnes Garity who has been visiting her father Thomas Garity of Larry place returned to Barre, Vt., on Wednesday. She is chief operator of the Barre telephone exchange.

Mrs. Ethel Jones Bostwick of Squantum and Miss Hersom of Fitchburg, were the artists appearing before the Hudson Women's club Wednesday afternoon at a musicale. Mrs. Bostwick is well known as an accompanist and Miss Hersom as a contralto soloist.

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WANTS ASSESSORS ELECTED BY WARDS

Edw. J. Fegan Also Urges Three Other Changes in City Charter

Speaker at Annual Meeting of Wollaston Park Improvement Asso.

The Wollaston Park Improvement association held its annual meeting, Thursday evening, at Progressive hall and elected the following board of officers for the ensuing year:

President—William M. Chase.
Vice President—Russell T. Anthony.
Treasurer—P. H. Gallagher.
Secretary—Harry M. Watts.
Directors—William M. Burrill, C. L. Young, Dr. Philip Kelley, Charles A. Chase, Arthur E. Linnell, Arthur J. Bartlett, Charles E. Weeks.

The speaker of the evening was Edward J. Fegan, newly elected president of the Quincy Board of Trade, who gave a lucid and interesting analysis of some changes he considered beneficial to the present city charter.

In his opening remarks the speaker made an urgent appeal for individual co-operation with the Board of Trade and for hearty support of the movement on foot to aid the local G. A. R. post.

Mr. Fegan recommended four important changes in the charter as it now stands: the automatic ascension to the mayoralty by the president of the city council in case of death; higher remuneration for the office of city solicitor; participation by the county in meeting expenses of the main arteries of the city; and ward representation on the board of assessors.

"One of the most popularly known defects in the present charter" said Mr. Fegan, "is the provision which says that if a chief executive dies more than three months before the expiration of the municipal year a new election is necessary."

"This is a needless expense and there is no rhyme or reason in the president of the council not automatically becoming the acting chief executive of the city. With a ward councilman dying it is a different proposition as the question of ward representation is involved and the cost as compared with the mayoralty election is infinitesimal.

"Another matter popularly agitated is increased compensation for our city solicitor. It is well known that that he receives an inadequate amount for the work and time he is expected to give to the office. The city has grown by leaps and bounds and the pay of the city solicitor has not kept pace with it. The city solicitor is really the legal advisor of every department, department head, and employee of the city as well as of its legislative department.

"The main arteries are absolutely in the keeping and control of the city of Quincy. This means that the cost of enlarging them and the damages arising from it must be borne by the city without outside help, although the entire county is reaping a large per cent of the improvement.

In regard to the assessors, I am in favor of having this part of the government placed directly i nthe hands of the people. For two reasons: that there be district representation and that they shall hold office by the sufferance of and be directly responsible to the people.

The present power of the chief executive is open to abuse. It is a terrible power to invest in the hands of one man over your property and mine. Under the present law it is within the power of the chief executive to remove an assessor simply 'for the good of the service,' without other reason.

(Continued on Page Six.)

THOMAS BARRY.

Well Known Young Man Dies After Long Illness.

Thomas Barry, one of the best known young men of West Quincy, died at his home at 9 Willard street just before midnight Thursday after an illness of many years standing.

He was the son of Joanna and the late Richard Barry and was born in this city. He was educated in the Willard and High schools, graduating from the latter with the class of 1900. A few months later he was appointed to a clerkship with the N. E. T. & T. Co. and was afterward a collector for that company.

With a failing in health came the necessity for outdoor work and he became a motorman on the Quincy branch of Bay State St. Ry. Co., running out of the Quincy barn. He was obliged to suspend work two years ago and since then has been under treatment at his home.

Mr. Barry has been a constant sufferer since his graduation from High school and obtained relief through the surgeons knife at least six times. He was abliged to take to his bed three months ago.

Mr. Barry was a member of the Quincy branch of the Street and Electric Car Employees of America, Copeland Club and Div. 22, A. O. H. both of West Quincy and also of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's parish.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Joanna Barry, one sister, Miss Katherine Barry and one brother, Richard Barry.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Saturday probably fair and slightly warmer. Moderate southerly winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.10
Sun sets	4.38
Length of day	9.28
Moon sets	5.56
High water, A. M.	11.45
High water, P. M.	12.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 22 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12 M. today	38 degrees
Jan. 15, 1914,	32 degrees
Jan. 15, 1913,	42 degrees

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PROTEST SCHOOL IS OVERCROWDED

Parents and Teachers Association Holds Monthly Meeting

The present overcrowded condition of the Massachusetts Fields school formed the principal subject for discussion at the monthly meeting of the Parents and Teachers association held Thursday evening.

After the expression of many opinions it was finally voted to instruct the secretary to write the city council urging an appropriation to relieve the congestion. It was also voted to send a letter to the school committee bespeaking its cooperation.

The speaker of the evening was Ernest L. Collins, headmaster of Quincy High school, who spoke on the general subject of "Boys." "The mother," he said, "is not able to size up the boy. She shuts her eyes to his shortcomings and is not willing to recognize his failings. The father is away too much.

"The mother and father are not able to recognize the capabilities of the child. They are not able to determine the thing for which he is fitted and often try to make him take the college course when his talents do not lie in this direction.

"The mother and father ought to know where the boy is and what he is doing. Too much time spent in idling has a tendency leading to crime. Mothers and fathers ought to give the boy what is best for him. They ought to put him where he may develop the best that is in him. Boys lose much by not being able to associate in friendly relationship with their mother and father."

Vocal solos by Misss Rita Brown were accompanied on the piano by her sister.

CHARTER IS HERE.

Edward J. Fegan who had charge of the matter of securing a charter for the G. A. R. Post 88 Aid association reported this morning that the charter came down from the Secretary of State Wednesday. President Whiton of the association will now take immediate steps to get his committees at work in the different wards raising subscriptions to the fund

TO PETITION FOR LATE CAR.

The younger people of West Quincy who use the late car from Neponset on Sunday evenings are planning to petition the Bay State Street Railway Company to run the 11.50 car to East Milton on Sunday evenings the same as other evenings. Every Sunday from 25 to 30 people have to hike it from Quincy Square to their homes. There have been several petitions already presented to the city council but that seems to be as far as they have got

TO HOLD DANCE.

The St. Mary's C. T. A. & M. R. society will hold a testimonial dance in St. Mary's hall tonight. The committee in charge have worked hard the past two months to make the affair a success. The committee in charge are: Lawrence Donovan, chairman, Harold Kennedy, Edward Joyce, Dennis Mannig, Leo Garity, John Flaherty, Thomas Buckley and John Sheahan. Music will be furnished by Wilson's Orchestra. Dancing from 8 to 12.

FIRE IN PLUMBER SHOP.

The alarm from Box 73 at 10.05 Thursday evening was for a slight fire in the plumbers shop of William A. Turner at the corner of Washington street and Broadway. The fire evidently started from a torch on one of the workmen's benches and was working up the side of the building in the sheathing when discovered. The firemen laid a line of hose but were unable to extinguish the blaze with a chemical stream. The damage was slight.

Louis K. Liggett of the United Drug Co. will be the principal speaker this evening at the Park and Downs church before the Men's Forum.

MAYOR ACTS AS BEST MAN

City Clerk Performs Marriage Ceremony In Executive Office and Mayor Attends

Bride is Exceedingly Pretty

Conceptcion Aja. or Mrs. Aurelio Acebo, as she is now called, left city hall this morning with her face wreathed in smiles, for she had the unusual honor of having had His Honor, Mayor Chester I. Campbell officiate as best man at her marriage. Miss Marguerite S. Lyons, the assistant city clerk was the bridesmaid and City Clerk Emery L. Crane recited the oft repeated words which joined them in holy wedlock. City Solicitor Walter S. Pinkham was also a witness to the ceremony and smiled blandly as he looked on approvingly over his glasses.

The ceremony took place about 10 o'clock and His Honor kindly donated the use of his office for the ceremony. The only decorations were the natural adornments of the office, which consisted largely of the portraits of the gentlemen who have served the city as mayors during the past twenty-six years.

Both bride and groom are Spanish by nationality, and it was the first venture for both. Aurelio is employed as a stone cutter and the bride gave her occupation as "at home."

The ring ceremony was used and the City Clerk was at his best. Congratulations were in order immediately following the pronouncing of the words "By the authority vested in me I declare you husband and wife."

Mayor Campbell heartily congratulated the couple and wished them all kinds of success and happiness. It is not recorded whether the Mayor exacted the right of a best man to implant a kiss on the bride's ruby lips, but he could not be blamed if he had done so for she was a remarkably pretty bride.

She wore a becoming gown of brown broadcloth, with brown velvet hat and long plume to match. In the place of the usual bouquet of bride roses she carried a muff.

ISSUES FIRE REGULATION

Chief Billings Seeks to Prevent Spontaneous Combustion

Chief Faxon Billings announced today that the fire in a Quincy Point plumbing shop Thursday night started from spontaneous combustion because the proprietor did not clean out his oily waste and papers under his bench As a result of a conference on prevention with J. O'Keefe of the Fire Hazard Commission the chief has adopted the following regulations.

"Oily waste and papers underneath workmen's benches and all rubbish in shops or anything that will tend to promote spontaneous combustion must be removed by the occupant of the premises before the close of business each day."

The Daily Ledger is newsy every day. Are you a regular reader?

GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy. Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th. 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R F. CLAFLIN Clerk.
Jan. 12-7t

MRS. EMMA ELA NOBLE GRAND

Reliance Lodge Holds Yearly Installation

District Deputy Grand Master Harry E. Richardson of Somerville, and suite, with Mrs. Mabel Streeter of Somerville as marshal, installed the officers of Reliance Rebekah lodge in Odd Fellows Hall, Wollaston, Thursday evening.

The installation was followed by a business meeting at which three applications were accepted. Cut glass water pitchers were presented to both the presiding officers, Noble Grand Mrs. Emma Ela making the first presentation and Vice Grand Mrs. Maude Luke the second.

The representatives of Rebekah lodges which attended the ceremonis were from George L. Gill lodge of Quincy, Amana lodge of Braintree and Amity of Milton. Ice cream, coffee and cake were served at the close of the program.

The officers chosen were:

Noble Grand—Mrs. Emma Ela.
Vice Grand—Mrs. Maude Luke.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Clara P. Merritt.
Financial Secretary— Mrs. Clara Noyes.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Snow.
Warden—Mrs. Helen Thayer.
Conductor—Miss Eldine Young.
Chaplain—Mrs. Charles Cummings.
Right Support to Noble Grand—Mrs. Mary Smith.
Left Support to Noble Grand—Mrs. Mamie Johnston.
Right Support to Vice Grand—Mrs. Lena Merrill.
Left Support to Vice Grand—Mrs. Nettie Badger.
Inside Guardian—Mrs. Ida Tressels.
Outer Guardian—George C. Ela.
Trustee—Mrs. Mary Smith.
Banner Bearers—Mrs. A. J. Batchelder, Miss Lena Allen, Miss Isabella McBirnie, Mrs. Fred Bent.
Altar Bearers—Mrs. Frank Frost, Miss Jeanette Soule.
Degree Master—Andrew S. Johnston.
Pianist—Mrs. Bertha Davenport.
Finance Committee—Andrew S. Johnston, Mrs. Maude Luke, Mrs. Minnie Campbell.
Visiting Committee —Mrs. Maude Luke, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Minnie Campbell. Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. Lena Merrill, Mrs. Ida Tressels.
Entertainment committee — Mrs. Mamie Johnston, Mrs. Maude Luke, Mrs. John Walsh, Miss Bertha Davenport, Eugene Luke, Charles Houghton, George Ela.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SUCCESS

The Quincy Catholic Club, an active charitable organization of the city composed of women prominent in affairs of St. John's parish, held its Gentlemen's Night in Colonial hall Thursday evening. The special guests of the evening included the members of Quincy, Ave Maria and out of town Knights of Columbus councils.

The program was a varied one, an entertainment being given at odd moments. Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 9 after which there were vocal solos by Adolph Restelli, J. Killian of Somerville and Arthur W. Holmes. Dancing was then continued for another hour and the remaining numbers of the concert included cello solos by J. Donlon with Miss Corrine LaBreeque as accompanist, and readings by Mr. Strachan of Somerville. Dancing was then resumed.

Music during the evening was by Wilson's orchestra and the refreshments included ices and cakes.

YOUNG MEN'S CLUB.

The Young Men's club of the Swedish Congregational church will hold a meeting Monday evening at the home of Chas. A. Johnson, Granite street. Fred Erickson, will read a paper on "Moses" and Robert Jakobsen, will read a paper on Gustaf Wasa, the great Swedish king.

COMPLETION OF BOULEVARD NEAR

Mayor Encouraged After Conferences With Commissioners

Asks Port Directors to do Additional Dredging at Wollaston Beach

Mayor Campbell feels much encouraged as a result of the conferences which he attended in Boston on Thursday. The first of these conferences was with the Metropolitan Park Commissioners relative to the completion of the Quincy Shore boulevard from Wollaston beach to Hancock street. The new route of this boulevard was gone over and was perfectly satisfactory to all parties.

As outlined in Thursday's Ledger the route has been changed from the original route which crossed through Merrymount park. It will now continue along the beach at Wollaston and cross Black's creek to the Adams farm from which point it follows the creek and Butlers Brook to Hancock street.

It was announced that it was the intention to commence work early in the spring on the building of this section. The matter of a substantial and ornamental bridge over Black's creek was also gone over. This bridge will have a draw so that yachts may pass through. A bill has been introduced in the legislature asking for an additional appropriation.

There was some question if there would be any delay in commencing work on account of the bridge over Black's creek and the mayor was informed that there would be no delay on this account.

The second conference was with Mayor Curley of Boston, Mayor Campbell, the Metropolitan Park Commissioners, and others on the matter of the proposed new bridge over the Neponset river. Both Mayor Curley and Mayor Campbell want the bridge built under the direction of the Metropolitan Park Commissioners.

Another conference was held a little later by Mayor Campbell with the Directors of the Port of Boston. This conference was in reference to getting the Port Directors to do some additional dredging at Wollaston beach between the Wollaston and Squantum yacht clubs. What the Mayor desired the Port Directors to do was to make an additional appropriation of $5,000 for this work and to have the work done at the time the boulevard was built so that the matter taken by the dredges can be used in building the boulevard, instead of being taken out to sea and dumped. The Port Directors promised to take the question under advisement.

CHIEF BILLINGS IS PRESIDENT

Annual Meeting of Firemen's Relief Association

The annual meeting of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association was held Thursday evening at the Central Fire station. There were three candidates for the position of president and two ballots were required to elect. On the second ballot Chief Faxon Billings was elected. The other officers elected were:

Vice President, Arthur Pinel.
Secretary, James Gallagher.
Treasurer, Amos L. Litchfield.
Directors, Chief Billings, Murdock McDonnell, Michael P. Barry, Capt. Albert L. Meade, Samuel P. Hanson, Richard Williams, Capt. Cornelius O'Connell, James Malone, Edmund G. Hayden, Amos L. Litchfield, James C. Gallagher, William Gerry, District Chief A. L. Stephenson, Alex A. Robertson, Christopher Oliver, Capt. Gilbert H. Rhodes, John Reinhalter, Henry M. Hughes.

The report of ex-Chief Amos L. Litchfield, the treasurer of the association showed the finances to be in a good condition.

Ex-Chief Engineer A. L. Litchfield, treasurer of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association, makes the following interesting report as to the condition of the finances of the association.

The balance on hand Jan. 1, 1914, amounted to $7,539.36. The income during the year amounted to $1,318.85, which included the sum of $485.55 profits at the recent ball and the donation of $100 from Moreton T. Swallow.

The expenditures during the year had been $1,255.35, of which $800 was paid in death benefits, and $280 in sick and accident benefits leaving a balance on hand Jan. 1, 1915, of $7,602.86.

Members of the George L. Gill Rebekah lodge visited Mystic lodge of Charlestown Thursday evening and witnessed the public installation.

ELECTION AND INSTALLATION

The Painters, Paper Hangers and Decorators of Quincy held an election and installation in the Johnson building Thursday evening. H. N. Macauley, retiring president, was elevated to the office of preceptor and after conducting the installation he was given a vote of thanks for his service. The annual report showed the organization to be in flourishing condition with a good balance in the treasury and a good membership. The officers elected were:

President—W. A. Simpson.
Vice President—Harry Hudson.
Recording Financial Secretary—Charles F. Best.
Treasurer—B. F. Upton.
Conductor—George Now.
Warden—James McArdle.
Preceptor—H. N. Macauley.

REV. GRAINGER VISITS CITY.

Rev. William E. Grainger of Canton, who will become rector of Christ church on Feb. 1, was in Quincy Thursday looking over the church and rectory. He was accompanied by Mrs. Grainger who had never been in the city before.

Rev. Mr. Grainger will move here on Feb. 1, and will preach his first sermon on Feb. 7.

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COUNT BERCHTOLD RETIRES.

When the history of the Great war comes to be written its various aspects will assume their proper proportions. The causes and results will claim first place and the actual military operations, now so all important, will be treated as an aspect of minor importance.

Count Berchtold, minister of foreign affairs for Austria-Hungary until a few days ago, will occupy a prominent place. He it was who drafted the impossible ultimatum to Servia which soon had the nations of Europe clutching at each other's throats. Just what part he had in shaping the policy of the dual monarchy last July cannot now be known. The real reasons for his retirement at this critical period cannot now be known. These questions, and other more important ones, will not be answered until the history of the war is written from the calm point of view of one who views the international calamity as a horror of the past.

In connection with Count Berchtold's retirement one thing, however, stands out with perfect clearness: the identity of his successor indicates that the imperial government at last realizes that an essential to the success of its arms, yea an essential to its very existence, is the loyal adherence of Hungary.

A LIMITED TOWN MEETING.

A limited town meeting is included in the new scheme of government proposed for Brookline in a bill just filed with the legislature. The measure calls for precinct voting, limited town meetings, a referendum and an annual moderator. The voters are to select 27 of their number, nine each year, to serve for three years at the town meeting. The term "town meeting" is a misnomer, of course. Brookline under such a plan would have representative government as does a city but would still remain a town. This is not wholly new in municipal experiments for Newport, R. I. has in operation a system of government essentially the same. If Brookline adopts the system her experiment will be watched with keen interest.

A FIEND INDEED.

If there is any time when one almost regrets that the days of the Inquisition are over it is in the presence of the fiend who takes his copy of Shakespere's plays to the theatre where he is supposed to enjoy one of the dramas of the master. He does not enjoy the play however, nor does he let anyone round him. With eyes glued on the page before him he follows speech by speech to see how near the actors keep to the original, and if, perchance, an actor forgets or changes a line the fiend is happy. With a laugh of truly ghoulish glee he raises his eyes from the book for a moment to tell his neighbor, who may have overlooked the omission in his enjoyment of the play. The true lover of Shakespere leaves his book at home.

KING COTTON.

The problem of moving the bumper cotton crop of the South has long been recognized as one of the most serious financial problems, engendered by the war, which the American people have had to face. The report of the Census Bureau of the United States Government upon this point is illuminating, and encouraging too, when everything is considered. In December 1913, 456,262 bales of cotton, exclusive of linters, were consumed. In December 1914 the consumption was 450,824.

DOROTHY ARNOLD.

The reported finding of the long missing Dorothy Arnold in Los Angeles, California, must be taken with many grains of salt. Former "discoveries" of the girl have been reported whose only result has been to interest the public for a time and to augment the anguish of the girl's parents.

Chester "Impossible" Campbell. Down in Providence the other night his honor said it meant impossible to beat. Judging by the time and energy the mayor appears to be putting into the duties of his office a better name would be Chester "Industrious" Campbell.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

In the bowling league at Cunningham Gym team 9 still remains in first place. Teams 3 and 7 are tied for second play. Team 1 seems unable to evacuate the bottom of the list and it appears as if it would remain there for good. The standing of the teams is as follows.

Team	Won	Lost	Total P. F.
9	24	12	10765
3	22	14	11813
7	22	14	10862
10	21	15	11643
6	20	16	11407
4	19	17	11271
8	17	19	11538
2	14	22	11083
5	12	24	11074
1	9	27	9999

The high individual averages are: Wood. 95.6; Jobbing 94.6; E. Cummings 93.5; Duggan 92.2; Sim C Smith 91.5; W. Farrell 91.3; J. F Reid Jr. 91; J. Corkery 90.5; Bishop 90.3; D. Reid and J. Cummings 90.1. The high three string is held by D. Reid at 336 and also the high single at 124.

The no school signal sounded Wednesday morning much to the joy of the public school pupils as it was their second holiday on account of the inclemency of the weather, within a week.

The Cunningham Gym Juniors defeated the Fairmount A. A. of Hyde Park Wednesday afternoon in fast game of basketball 36—3. Parks and W. Lewis were the stars of the game.

Miss Alice F. Tilden has been appointed a councilior of the Appalachian club.

QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

Charles C. Barton et al trs to William F. Macy, Quincy Bay.

Annie M. Biggs to Fred W. Wood.

Hilda Carlson to Grace B. Du Cett, Eddie street.

Wilton A. Dunham to Mary A. McCloskey, Houghs Neck.

John P. Granahan to August H. Morton et al, Phillips street.

John Hall to City of Quincy, Hancock street.

Rose A. Kelly to Maria Purpora, Main street, Walnut street.

Henry L. Kincaide to Grace W. Kincaide.

William F. Macy to George E. Muirhead, Quincy Bay.

Fannie L. Millard to Evelyne C. Davies, Merrymount road.

James R. Murphy tr to Fannie L. Millard, Merrymount road.

John M. O'Brien to Catherine J. O'Brien, Station street, Charles street.

Edmund M. Parker tr to Teresa G. Young, Billings road.

James Perry to Fred W. Wood, Glover avenue.

George A. Richards to Louis E. Flye et al trs, Bay View & Central avenues.

Frances L. Richards to Louis E. Flye et al trs, Bay View & Central avenues.

Marion F. Thompson to Thomas Fenno tr, Hancock, Berlin, Chester, Cushing, Woodbine, Wayland streets, Western avenue, Cheriton road, Oxenbridge road.

ARRANGE FOR CLASS INITIATION.

Three Courts of Foresters of America Plan Big Time.

The general committee representing Courts John Adams, John Ericson and Roger Wolcott, Foresters of America, has completed arrangements for the class initiation which is to take place in Quincy Adams Hall, A. O. H. building at 2.30 P. M. next Sunday.

There will be large delegations present from the Courts in Weymouth, Brockton, Taunton, Plymouth and Boston and a number of the Grand Court officers will be there, and it is expected that Supreme Chief Ranger, Judge Ed. B. O'Brien will be present.

The degree staff of Court Adams No 144, which is the premier court in this city, has charge of the initiatory work, and no doubt a splendid exemplification of the ceremonies will be shown.

BRAINTREE REAL ESTATE SALES.

Wilton A. Dunham to Grace L. Brooks, Mountain Side Park.

Henry S. Moody tr to Charles W. Restarick.

Oscar T. Prescott to Evelyn B. Jenks.

Lois E. Turner to Charles B. McHannan et ux, Sherbrooke avenue.

START ON FULL TIME.

A large number of workmen from this city returned to work this week at the Kneeland Shoe shop in Braintree. The shop will start on full time Monday. This announcement will be received with pleasure by a large number from this city who have not worked a full week since early in the fall.

QUINCY SOCIAL CLUBS LEAGUE

Hold Majority Session Thursday at Coliseum

The Quincy Social Clubs league had a majority session at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night and for the first time since the sport took first place in the city all of the winning teams made clean sweeps. The Quincy Adams, Nonpareils and Wasecas were the winning teams and the Senecas, Franklins and Pastimes were the losers. The high mark of the evening was made by O. Djerf, 315. His single was 115. Other men on the team quickened their paces and several passed the centuries.

WASECA 4—PASTIMES 0.

WASECA.

Pinel	90	100	101	291
Costello	77	76	95	248
Allen	85	95	91	271
Wright	88	101	93	282
Sheriff	76	75	78	229
	416	447	458	1321

PASTIMES.

Austin	69	70	82	212
French	73	75	86	234
Di Bona	80	103	87	270
Blanchard	92	80	90	262
McLoud	85	101	78	264
	388	429	423	1242

NONPAREIL 4—FRANKLIN 0.

NONPAREIL.

O. Djerf	97	103	115	315
Markham	73	106	102	281
T. Djerf	94	99	81	274
J. Rouillard	93	81	82	256
C. Lawson	94	95	94	283
	451	485	474	1409

FRANKLIN.

W. Carson	99	80	70	249
Igo	78	75	81	234
Costa	77	73	80	230
J. Bisson	81	77	78	236
C. Carson	103	97	100	310
	438	402	409	1249

QUINCY ADAMS 4—SENECA 0.

QUINCY ADAMS.

Galvin	88	79	93	260
Muer	86	87	75	248
Sullivan	82	83	83	248
Ponet	105	103	99	307
Curtin	84	97	108	289
	445	449	458	1352

SENECA.

Michael	96	89	83	268
Grassick	73	78	85	236
Crammond	84	86	91	261
Moyle	72	98	83	253
Booth	89	97	85	271
	414	448	427	1289

START ON SECOND WEEK.

Swedish Churches Hold Successful Union Meetings.

The second week of the Union meetings of the Swedish Congregational Baptist and M. E. Churches will begin Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the M. E. church. Services will be held at that church next week on the evenings of Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

The meetings held the past week at the Swedish Baptist church are reported to have been a big success. On Thursday evening a largely attended service was held. Rev. Paul Hallie of the Baptist church preached the sermon. Rev. A. G. Sporrong of the Congregational church conducted the services and Rev. A. E. Hillman of the M. E. church led the after meeting.

The last Union meeting in the Baptist church will be held this evening. Rev., Mr. Hillman will preach. There will be singing by the large Union chorus, led by Rev. Mr. Sporrong.

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1914 RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION.

The new railroads built in 1914 totaled 1,532 miles of road which is the smallest mileage built in any year, except 1895, of which the Railway Age Gazette has any record, its records extending back to include 1893. In 1913, 3,071 miles of road were were built, and in 1902, which is the best year of which there is any record 6,026 miles were built. Nineteen fourteen is the first year in which more railroad was built in Canada than in the United States, the total first-track built in 1914 in Canada amounting to 1,978 miles.

There were 2,235 locomotives built in 1914, which is a smaller number than in any year since 1898. In 1913, 5,332 locomotives were built.

At the end of 1914 there were 21,048 miles of steam railroad in the hands of receivers, with a total outstanding stock of $4344,599,738, and total funded debt of 6830,728,790. During the year 1914, twenty-two roads, with a total mileage of 44,222 outstanding stock amounting to $62,321,150, and funded debt amounting to $137,250,296, were placed in the hands of receivers. The mileage in the hands of receivers at the end of 1914 was the greatest at any time since 1896. The 4,222 miles placed in the hands of receivers during 1914 compares with 9,020 miles in 1913 and 29,240 miles in 1893, the greatest in any single year of which there is any record.

The total number of reight cars built in 19144 was 3,691, compared with 3,296 in 1913. O fthe total passenger cars ordered 2,002 which is not the same as the total number built 1,409 were all-steel and 339 others had steel underframes. —The Wall Street Journal.

Pretty Quick.

Officer—You say the chauffeur sounded his horn just as the machine struck the man? Witness—Yes, sir. Officer—Was the victim killed instantly? Witness—So instantly, sir, that he must have heard the echo of that horn in the next world.

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Queen Esther Circle Gives Unique Entertainment

The first public appearance of the newly organized "Queen Esther Circle" of the Hall Place M. E. church took place Wednesday evening in the vestry at which time it presented an entertainment showing the various phases of work done by the Woman's Home Missionary society and the different places where it is carried on.

The trip to these different places of interest was made in the good airship Queen Esther. Miss Mary Williams proved a very efficient conductor and one well acquainted with the route.

The first stop was made at our national capital, where two deaconesses were interviewed as to what they had been doing that day. Next we visited the Southern states where an interesting dialogue took place between two mountain girls, one of whom had already spent some time at the W. H. M. S. School at Boaz, where she had been learning some of the many things that we learn as a matter of course but which are little known among the mountain girls, where ignorance is backed up by a lack of desire to know.

The next stop was to listen to two colored girls who likewise are receiving their education at one of the Mission schools in the South From here we travel to different places through out our country where are situated schools conducted by the W. H. M. S. and listen to the stories of the work done there, among the Porto Ricans, the Indians, the Chinese girls, Spanish girls, the Alaskans, and the Mormons. We see Home Missions and Foreign Missions grasp hands together in the great work they are doing. We go West to California, North to Alaska, through our sunny Southland and the island possessions of our country, where the great and glorious work of educating the people not only to read and write, but to cook properly, to sew and to live rightly and most important of all, to know Jesus Christ.

The different parts were taken by:

Conductor—Mary J. Williams.

Deaconesses:

Miss Hudson—Bessie Nicholls,
Miss Brown—Edna Burke.

Mountain Girls:—

Melissa—Ethel Newcomb.
Nancy—Ethel Nicholls.

Negro Girls:—

Araminta—Hilda Francis.
Rosabelle—Jennie Manhire.

Porto Rican Girl—Edna Miller.

Indian Girl—Alice McCormick.

Chinese Girl—

Lee Ho—Addie Newcomb.

Spanish Girl,—

Francesco—Edna Miller.

Juanita—Susie Edwards.

Alaskan Boy—Rita Hunter.

Home Missions—Mrs. F. W. Fuller.

Foreign Missions—Mrs. P. S. Neldon

Missionary—Bessie Nicholls.

Mormon Woman—Edna Burke.

Mite Box Girls—Mona Norris, Helen Sparrow.

Literature Girls—Sarah Fuller, Ethel Miller, Lillian Williams.

At the close of the entertainment tea was served by the Queen Esther girls. A candy table was presided over by Miss Jennie Manhire and Miss Hilda Francis.

DISTRICT COURT.

Charles Krinsky was arraigned for assault on Rebecca Goldberg at Quincy. Rebecca acknowledged satisfaction and the case was dismissed on payment by defendant of $5 on account of costs.

Henry Patterson was fined $10 for operating an automobile at Cohasset without a license.

Frank Zeoli was arraigned for non support of his family at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 28.

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At 8 o'clock

for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

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HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

St. Chrysostom's Woman's Guild Elects Officers.

Following an all day sewing meeting, the Woman's Guild of St. Chrysostom's church held its annual meeting in the rectory Wednesday afternoon. In the absence of the president the first vice president, Mrs. Howard D. Fowler presided.

The secretary treasurer, Miss Annie Clean read reports giving a review of the year's work which included twenty-five all-day sewing meetings. During the Lenten season the work was for needy families in the parish; the others were for the coming fair, except one which was devoted to making garments for the Belgian sufferers.

Three suppers were given netting $145; and a birthday party brought in $28. Mrs. Hattie Gurney kindly opened her home for a sale of food and fancy articles in the fall. The $76. earned by members of the Guild during the year has been used to pay for furnishing the Guild room of the new parish house which includes a table, two leather seated arm chairs, mirror and rug.

Eleven new members were added but the Guild recalls with sadness the death of Mrs. Elisha D. Atkins for many years a most faithful worker, and Mrs. William H. Barker, who although a recent member, entered into the work willingly. Mrs. Ana L. Lee who for a number of years served as parish librarian for the church periodical club resigned early in the year and Mrs. Christopher A. Wyatt took her place, until her removal from the parish. Mrs. Herbert L. Packard was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The treasurer's report showed receipts of $339, for the year.

Mrs. David L. Jewell, chairman of the Missionary committee gave an account of the work for Missions which totaled $93 including $19 for parochial work $20. for the Belgians and a Christmas barrel to Trinity Mission, Kenbridge, Va., valued at $34.

A fair is to be held Feb 11. The chair appointed Mrs. Klingenhagen, Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Poch to serve luncheon at the meeting Jan. 27.

The officers elected were President. Mrs. Daniel C. Miller; first vice, Mrs. William J. Croucher; second vice, Mrs. William Klingenhagen; secretary and treasurer, Miss Annie Clean.

SOCIAL AND WHIST.

A social and whist party was held Thursday evening at the home of William Kusser of 210 Willard street. Whist was enjoyed for an hour and a half. The souvenirs for the highest points were won by Adam Kusser and the consolation prize by Frank Schaetzl. After the whist a social hour followed. Dancing was enjoyed by all. Music was furnished by a Victrola. Fred Patterson and Marion Brown sang a few selections. Among those present were: Mary Slauger, Marion Brown, Rose Devine, Margaret Rogers, Mildred Smith, Helen Devine, Frank Schaetzl, Fred Patterson, Edward Kusser, Adam Kusser, William Kusser, Robert Smith and James Devine.

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REFUSES TO PAY $1 A WEEK

Dentone Won't Obey Judges Order in Non Support Case

"I pay her no dollar, I go to jai first" said Dominico. "I no take dol lar, I want four dollar and I go t court again and get it," replied Rosie his wife. The case was that of Rosi Dentoni against Dominico Denton both of Holbrook for non-support.

The case first came into court sev eral weeks ago and at that time Rosi testified that they had not lived to gether for three years. He did noth ing for her support, she said. In he testimony she said that he ha "loads of money" for she had seen it

It also came out at this hearing that the woman lived on one side o the street in a house and that the ma lived on the opposite side in a smal hut.

After hearing the evidence the cour referred the matter to Probation Offi cer Fahey to see if he could not fix i up. Mr. Fahey tried to get the part ies to live together again but was un successful. This morning the cas came up again before Judge Pratt, wh in giving his finding ordered Dominic to pay his wife $1 a week toward he support.

Then it was that he declared h would go to jail before he would pa and his wife declared that she woul not take his old dollar. She left th court room declaring that she woul bring action again.

SKANDINAVIAN BROTHERHOOD.

Dancing and Refreshments at Instal lation.

The installation of officers of Skan dinavian Brotherhood of Americ Quincy lodge, in John Ericcson ha on School street Thursday evenin was attended by a large number o members who after the ceremonie enjoyed the dancing and rfreshments.

District Dputy Axel Rylander o Gardner, Mass., did the installing an was assisted by men prominent in th brotherhood. Speeches were delivere by the deputy and visitors. The off ers installed:

President—Swan Cedarstrom.
Vice President—Gust Lumberg.
Past President—August Johnson.
Master of Ceremonies—Mrs. Hilm O'Brien.
Secretary—Axel Glant.
Asst. Sec.—A. Weedman.
Financial Secretary—AlbinW. Matt son.
Treasurer—Axel Anderson.
Lecturer—Mrs. Anna Jacobson.
Inside Guard—John Mattson.
Outside Guard—Peter Nelson.

IS THIS A BAD SIGN?

One of the "Keep to the Right" signs in city square was run down b an automobile Thursday afternoon but was not damaged.

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PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

Unless you make up your mind right now to see Cyril Maude, the notable English actor, appearing in "Grumpy" at the Plymouth theatre, Boston, you will miss the biggest theatrical treat Boston has had in years. "Grumpy" will satisfy you in every way, shape and manner. If it's a thrill, throb or laugh that you want you will get it in this truly wonderful play. "Grumpy" is a cleverly constructed play of love, romance, comedy and melodrama. It grips your attention from the very start and does not relieve you until the final curtain. There is never a moment during the four acts that your suspense is not at a high pitch. The story of this remarkable play is written around a mysterious diamond heft. Mr. Maude appears in the title character which critics acclaim as his greatest dramatic achievement. It is the finest piece of acting that New England playgoers have been privileged to witness in a long time. The piece is staged in identically the same manner as when it scored its long New York and London runs. The production is excellently staged and each character, no matter how small is adequately portrayed. The usual Thursday and Saturday matinees are given at 2.15, evening at 8.15 promptly.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.

Everyone of the acts booked for B. F. Keith's theatre the week of January 18 is new to Boston audiences and nearly everyone is of the star variety. Toby Claude, the clever little musical comedy favorite, who has not been seen in Boston in several years, will present her La Petite Roquette, a medley of parts she has played in the past, introducing "Fifi" of "The Belle of New York," "A Chinese Honeymoon;" Follies Bergere in Paris, The Palace Music Hall in London ,and other celebrated characters she has created during her recent career. Miss Claude will be assisted by William Smythe, the melody man from London, and a large company of singers, dancers and entertainers. Una Clayton, one of the best known playwrights on the vaudeville stage, and author of some of the biggest hits in recent years, will present for the first time in Boston her latest and most sensational playlet, "Milk," a dramatization of a theme that is dear to the heart of every mother, and which deals with one of the big vital questions of the day. The food of the millions of babies in this land must be pure and it is upon this theme that Miss Clayton has built a wonderfully strong and unique comedy playlet with a punch.

WILBUR THEATRE.

It is safe to say that "A Pair of Sixes," which is now in its third week at the Wilbur theatre, Boston, has scored the biggest success of any play that has been seen in the city in many years. Here is a brief excerpt from the Boston Post's criticism: "A Pair of Sixes" is a clean, wholesome farce, without a blush in it. Any young woman may take her parents to see it without fear of their sense of propriety being shocked in the slightest degree, but with the certainty that their sense of humor will be tickled amazingly. The entertainment would be almost one unending series of smiles, giggles and ha ha's if it were not for the fact that a sweetly pretty romance keeps coming to the rescue of those who like love-making. The kisses are there all right--the sort of kisses that, even when viewed by a non-combatant across the footlights, make the spectator sigh for the days when he or she was sweet and 20.". The great cast appearing in "A Pair of Sixes" is composed of such comedy stars as Frank McIntyre, Fritz Williams, Sam Hardy, Oza Waldrop, Maude Odell Thorne and other favorites. Matinee days at the Wilbur are Wednesday and Saturday.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

"Common Clay," produced by Cleves Kinkead, the Harvard Prize Play which had its first production last Thursday, opened its first complete week yesterday with every sign of an unprecendentedly long and successful run at the popular South End playhouse, which has already produced so much work of the younger dramatists. The really remarkable notices accorded this strong drama by the Boston Press are reflected in big houses and advance orders for seats on a big scale. The play deserves its success. It is vital and daring work, and the character of Ellen Neal, the little work girl who thirsts for the joy of life, and who when "down and out" pulls herself together by sheer force of character and drives home the lesson of her fall in the faces of her judges is one that haunts the imagination long after the curtain has fallen. Miss Mary Young lives in the part which she acts. Her speech in the great court scene is electrifying in its realism and is accorded the tribute not only of applause but of tears. Mr. Craig as the humane lawyer Filson, Mr. Carleton as young Fullerton, Mr. Roberts and Mr. Lunt continue the sound work that critics praised on Thursday.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Jose Collins, in Lew Fields' magnificent production of "Suzi" has firmly established herself in the affections of Boston play-goers, and it seems likely that the engagement of this star, and this operetta will prove one of the most conspicuous musical comedy successes in the recent history of Boston. "Suzi" is certainly tuneful ,and, what is somewhat unusual in adaptations from foreign sources, it has much comedy, making of it a typical Lew Fields production. Naturally much of the comedy falls to the lot of that prince of fun-makers, Tom McNaughton, who in the role of Dr. Herrick ,is one of the most droll characters the stage has seen in a long time. Connie Ediss, with her solid flesh and her Cockney dialect, is indescribably amusing,



Peg O'My Heart at Cort Theatre.

while Lew Hearn, as the stage director, gives a finished and artistic performance. The Hungarian atmosphere runs all through the music of "Suzi," but the adaptation of Otto Hauerbach of the original Buda Pesth book has been so cleverly done that the love story of the music hall prima donna and the young officers of Hussars is charming in its moments of passion and drama.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

Monday evening, Hazel Dawn makes her first appearance in Boston as a star in her own right in "The Debutante," a new operetta for which Harry B. Smith has written the book, Robert B. Smith provided the lyrics and Victor Herbert composed the music. Ever since the success of the new star in "The Pink Lady" a few seasons ago, it has been forecasted that Hazel Dawn would make a bid for stellar honors and this prophecy is now being fulfilled apparently in a very happy manner. In "The Debutante," which is divided into two acts Miss Dawn appears in the role of Elaine, a pleasant, ingenuous American girl, who is making her first appearance in English society. She is betrothed to an American youth the son of her guardian, who has grown neglectful owing to an infatuation with a reigning footlight favorite, and Elaine, in order to revenge herself upon the rival and at the same time to arouse the jealousy of her fiance, permits an impecunious French nobleman to make violent love. Of course in the end everything turns out happily and she wins back her sweetheart. The scene of the first act is laid at a country place in England near a harbor in which a man-of-war is anchored, and the presence of sailors and naval officers lends an agreeable odor of the salt sea to the picture. In the second act the whole assemblage of characters are transported to Paris.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

Charles Frohman's triple alliance of stars, William Gillette, Blanche Bates and Marie Doro in Sardou's greatest play "Diplomacy" is the current attraction at the Hollis Street theatre. The entire Boston press is unanimous in pronouncing this attraction the most important dramatic offering of the season. The arrival of any one of Mr. Frohman's stars is always an occasion of supreme interest to playgoers; but the coming of three such magnets as Mr. Gillette, Miss Bates and Miss Doro in one production constitutes a rare and unique event. Mr. Gillette after an absence from the stage of four years has been cordially welcomed back with even greater enthusiasm than attended his last appearance in Boston in revivals of the "Secret Service," "Sherlock Holmes," and "The Private Secretary." Blanche Bates, who has achieved a brilliant triumph as the "Countess Zicka" in "Diplomacy," has fairly taken Boston by storm and has won the highest encomiums from press and public for her remarkable impersonation of a fascinating role. Miss Doro, one of the most beautiful and gifted actresses now before the public, recently returned to America after a successful season in London where she was seen in the same role she enacts here, the heroine "Dora" in "Diplomacy." Miss Doro was honored in the British metropolis by giving a "command" performance before King George and the Queen at Windsor Castle. "Diplomacy" is undoubtedly the strongest and best of Victorien Sardou's world-famous plays. Many memorable productions in the past have made "Diplomacy" familiar to American audiences and it has become something of a classic on this side of the water, as well as in England, Germany and France. Its thrilling plot and countless exciting episodes full of surpriseful and unexpected climaxes rivet the attention of the spectator from the rise to the fall of the curtain in gripping suspense. Curtain rises promptly at 7.45 and 1.45 matinees.



Richard Buhler as Ben-Hur and John Milton as Messala in Ben-Hur at Boston Theatre.

SHUBERT THEATRE.

Every department in the immense theatrical machine controlled by the Messrs. Shubert has been directed for the past three months toward the production of the new operetta "The Peasant Girl," which they bring to the Shubert theatre, next Monday. This is the work of Oskar Medbal and Rudolf Friml, composer of "High Jinks" and that other record-breaking Trentini success "The Firefly." Friml has already proved his particular ability at taking advantage of the wonderful range and quality of Trentini's voice. In addition to the prima donna, the Messrs. Shubert have selected a truly distinguished cast and have coupled with her another star whose popularity in his own fields is equally well established, namely, Clifton Crawford. The two stars should make a particularly happy combination, for Trentini's exuberant style contrasts well with Mr. Crawford's droll manner. In spite of the talent and money that have been lavished on this production there will be no advance in prices for the engagement, and popular prices will prevail at the Wednesday matinees, with the best seats at $1.50. Mail orders will be filled in the order of their receipt.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Klaw and Erlanger's stupendous Panama-Pacific World's Fair Production of General Lew Wallace's "Ben-Hur" has registered the biggest hit ever known in the historic Boston theatre and this statement is made with the full knowledge that the most noteworthy offerings in the history of American amusements have all been shown upon its stage. Other productions of "Ben-Hur" have set the country agape at their pictorial beauty, but all these precedents set by Klaw and Erlanger have been cast into the shadow by the elevation and dignity, the pomp and grandeur of the new production. Beautiful women, men of majestic mien, fiery horses, bedecked in all the opulent splendor of the Orient, give life and brilliancy to the new elaborate staging. Considering that more than 400 people appear in the ensemble scenes and that 20 horses driven in five quadruple teams furnish the thriller in the chariot race, the public are positively getting value received for the money invested to witness this play. Although seen many times in Boston, interest in the present engagement gives one the impression that it is the first visit. As now arranged, it is a marvel of twentieth century stagecraft. Such massing of colors, grouping of crowds, and exquisite light effects, have never been shown in one entertainment. Those who have scruples against the theatre will have them removed after witnessing a performance of this presentation of the men and the times of the period when Christ walked the earth. All is reverently shown, and not the slightest offense is given to anyone's religious belief or prejudices, and singularly, also, those who never go to church are as deeply interested. The cutain rises on "Ben-Hur" promptly at 7.45 and at 2 o'clock on the matinees. No one will be seated during the prelude, which shows the appearance of the Star of Bethlehem to the Three Wise Men, and which should be seen by all who would thoroughly enjoy the performance of "Ben-Hur."

MODERN THEATRE.

"A Fool There Was," Porter Emerson Browne's great play adapted from Rudyard Kipling's famous poem "The Vampire" and used as a starring vehicle for several seasons by Robert Hilliard, will be the feature photo-play for the coming week at the Modern theatre, Boston's de luxe photo-playhouse. The production is the latest release of the famous Box Office Attraction Company, headed by William Fox, whose recent importation into this country of Betty Nansen, the famous Danish tragedienne, has played them in the front ranks of leading American producers. Those who have already witnessed its performance acclaim it to be the most absorbing photo-play ever screened. Edward Jose, former leading man with Sarah Bernhardt, portrays in a masterly manner the "fool" who forsakes family and friends for a soulless beautiful woman. The latter character is ably handled by Theda Bara, leading woman of the Theatre Antoine, Paris, and one of the most noted French actresses of the present day. Her interpretation is remarkable for intense dramatic realism while her wonderfully seductive beauty serves to enhance the illusion created by her art. Her gowns were especially designed for her by the leading costumers of her native Paris.

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Among these are four of the late musical comedies, with their bright catchy airs. They will especially please those who have seen and heard them, as by playing them over they can once more recall the scenes. These include "High Jinks," the musical farce by Otto Hauerbach and Rudolph Friml; "Sari," an operetta in two acts by E. Kalman "Adele," a French operetta by Jean Briquet and Adolph Philipp; and "The Little Cafe" a musical comedy by Ivan Caryll.

We have also added "Louise," the famous musical romance of the French composer Gustave Charpentier, which "has been produced on all the most important continental stages."

From the Musicians' library, the "Ten Hungarian Rhapsodies" of Franz Liszt has been bought. The library has quite a number of other volumes from this series, which includes most of the works of the masters of musical compositions, both vocal and instrumental.

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In addition to her 33 years affiliation with Maple lodge she has been a Rebekah for 24 years and is one of the few in this city who have taken the degree of Chivalry, the highest a Rebekah can go. She received her initiatory degree under the auspices of Amana lodge, I. O. O. F., of Braintree in 1891, and was a member there for four years, until she instituted the George L. Gill lodge of this city in 1888. She has been a Rebekah treasurer 20 years, 17 years with the George L. Gill lodge and was unopposed for re-election this term.

She is also a member of Paul J. Revere, Woman's Relief Corps of Quincy, having signed its roll 22 years ago. She has never accepted office with the corps.

Miss Furnald is the daughter of Elizabeth F., and the late Napoleon B. Furnald, and lives at 90 Washington street. She is a popular resident and is most energetic in any office she has ever been called upon to fill.

CHIEF WILL ENFORCE ORDER.

Chief Billings of the Fire Department has received the following letter from the Fire Prevention Commissioner for the Metropolitan district. The Chief said that he should comply with the order and that he should immediately forward all information to the commissioner relative to fires in Quincy.

Dear Sir:—

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Yours very truly,
John A. O'Keefe.

SCORE OF 274 WINS WATCH.

A low score of 274, made by George White took the watch offered in the roll off at City Square alleys on Thursday night. Other men who qualified for prizes were Ted Smith, 270, Walfred Nordquist and Fred Gustafson 269.

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HILDEBRANDS BANISH JINX

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The flags on the Wardwell alleys were run to the peak at 11 o'clock Thursday night when the returns on the Elks league matches showed that Exalted Ruler John Hildebrand's quintette had thrown overboard precedent and captured three points. Its victims were the supporters of Esteemed Leading Knight Edward Larkin's team.

The victory was a hard earned one and it was by a strange turn of fate it came about. Powers, middle man, passed the century with his second string and helped clear up the margin the Larkins boy had in the first and he then got another large string as a closer which stopped his opponents. The 3 to 1 win was with only four men, a dummy score filling out the fifth division. With a full team it is generally conceded a clean sweep would have resulted. It was the first real showing the Hildebrands made since the league was organized. The team will be banqueted at the clubhouse next week.

The aggregations of Dr. Maloney and David Hanson divided the points. But one pin separated the teams in the first single. The Maloneys took the second also. The Hansons reversed the position in the last single by enough pins to give them the total.

HILDEBRAND 3—LARKIN 1

CAPT. HILDEBRAND.

George	74	80	82	236
Schafer	59	72	70	201
Powers	86	102	107	295
Ross	76	81	95	252
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	370	410	429	1209

CAPT. LARKIN.

Coyle	87	74	68	229
Hoy	80	71	89	240
Larkin	77	70	83	230
Joyce	79	97	84	260
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	398	387	399	1184

CAPT. MALONEY 2—CAPT. HANSON 2

CAPT. HANSON.

Desmond	81	70	97	248
Hanson	94	86	91	277
Williams	72	75	76	223
Sweeney	104	73	83	260
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	425	379	428	1232

CAPT. MALONEY.

Reveney	76	73	73	222
Murphy	103	105	80	288
Keating	98	95	87	270
Maloney	73	61	58	192
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	426	409	373	1208

BRIEFS

Peter M. Sullivan of the Boston Herald is ill at his home on Edison park. His condition is improved.

The Chickatawbut Social club will hold a regular meeting this evening at the home of Theodore Minahan.

That rain shed under the Granite street bridge was greatly appreciated by pedestrians this week Tuesday.

If one sees any peculiar people on the streets tonight do not be alarmed. They are probably going to the Twelfth Night Revels.

The Franco-Americans will hold a whist party and dance in Hibernian hall, Copeland street Wednesday evening, Jan. 27th.

Tickets for the eighth annual concert and ball of Quincy lodge of Elks, Wednesday evening Feb. 3, are out. The affair will be held in Music hall.

The bad weather has interfered somewhat with work on the foundation of the new business block on the Packard estate on Hancock street.

Col. Henry L Kincaide was elected as one of the directors of the Massachusetts Trust Company at its annual meeting Wednesday

H. Gerrish Smith of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation discusses industrial education at the Boston City Club tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton who were to have gone to New York on a few days pleasure trip Tuesday but who were delayed by the storm left today for that city.

Henry B. Sheahan of this city who is receiving subscriptions for the American Hospital at Lyons is anxious to send at least $50 to the hospital. He acknowledges $25 toward that fund received.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Richard Hall of Faxon road has returned from a business trip to Maine.

Miss Julia Little, 59 Spear street, lost on Thursday a valuable gold breast pin.

Mrs. William Wragg who has been ill at her home on Botolph street is convalescing.

Mrs. James Thomas of 99 Billings road, who was operated upon at the Quincy City Hospital this week, is rapidly improving.

Everett Harkins of Adams street has entered St. Lawrence college at Montreal, Canada. He expects to study medicine.

The halliards on the flag pole on City Hall parted during the recent storm and the flag can not be displayed until new halliards are rigged.

The young women's auction bridge club of this city meets Saturday afternoon with Miss Louise Abercrombie of Elm street, Braintree.

Mr. and Mrs. Garret Robinson of Upland road are the parents of a 14 pound boy, one of the heaviest babies born in 1914, and one of the last that year.

The successful players at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club Wednesday evening were Moses L. Brown and Horace F. Spear. A Dutch lunch was served following the tournament.

Miss Jessie Martini of California avenue who suffered a sprained ankle while dancing Christmas day is able to be up and about. She has been under the doctor's care for over two weeks.

The many friends of Robert Pangraze of Wiliard street will be sorry to learn he is confined to his home by illness. The doctors claim he is run down and will have to rest for a few months.

Thursday evening at the Cochato club, Braintree, teams four, five and six in the gentlemen's Boston pin tournament made good scores. The totals were four, 1331, five, 1322, and six, 1249. Team four scored 5 1-2 points, five 5 points, six 1 1-2 points.

Granite Conclave, Improved Order Heptasophs met in Protection hall Thursday evening and arranged for its installation of officers on Feb. 25. The work will be under the direction of District Deputy Thomas Galvin of Hyde Park.

Lilla Viles Wyman of Boston the well known teacher of fancy dancing is to be one of the features tonight at "The Revels" as she is to do a special dance. This year's program is said to be quite different from last year's promising a good time for those who look on, as well as those participating in "The Revels."

William Burke who has been a reporter for 50 years visited friends in this city Thursday. Mr. Burke is managing editor of the East Wind and other Plymouth county papers published by Mrs. E. Sirowich, his sister. He organized the Burkes of America some years ago and established branches in many large cities. One, in Brockton, is in a flourishing condition. Mr. Burke is the father of Warton Burke, base ball expert of the Boston American.

STUDY PILOT RULES.

The Power Squadron of the Quincy Yacht club held a meeting Thursday evening at the home of Commander Charles W. Laing.

The evening was devoted to study of the pilot rules and coast navigation. The next meeting is to be held on the second Thursday in February.

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SPORTING COMMENT

The valuable 18 inch silver cup offered by Capt. George Wardwell to the winner of the city championships at the Wardwell alleys on Feb. 1, 2 and 3, has been placed on exhibition in the window of Thompson's Cafe, City Square. Surrounding it are the cups to be given the winning team in the Junior league, the cup for the high average bowler of the season and the handsome vase-like cup given the ladies league of the Wollaston Woman's club.

McPherson and Welsh, two of the best bowlers of the West Quincy league, are booked with Dell and Olindy in a special 10 string match at the Wardwell alleys.

St. Mary's heads the St. Mary's league with Div. 22 and Franco Americans tied for second place.

Mrs. A. P. Jacob is high bowler on a Somerville ladies' team and has a mark of 122. Quincy's fair representatives may roll that team.

The Revere team entertains Quincy in an Interscholastic league basket ball game at Revere Friday. Quincy will feel the loss of the services of Captain Crocker who is on the injured list, but doing well.

The Quincy Adams representations hold the lead in the Quincy Social Clubs league. The leaders have 16 points, Nonpareils 14, Waseca 10 Pastime 8, Franklin 6 and Seneca none.

The last pool matches between the clubs resulted in four points for the Quincy Adams and six each for the Pastimes and Wasecas, two for the Nonpareils and none for the Franklins and Senecas. Two more tournaments will be played and a silver cup will be awarded the winner. The last tournament:

SINGLES.

E. Knight, Nonpareils, beat T. Muer Q. Adams 50—40, W. Alicon Pastimes beat W Murray, Seneca, 50—28. J. Saunders, Waseca, beat, E Carson. Franklin. 50—25

DOUBLES.

Ted Muer and W. Neagle, Quincy Adams beat E. Knight and T. Djerf. Nonpareils. 100—91.

W. Alicon and P. Alicon. Pastime. beat W. Murray and J. Dickie, Seneca 100—71.

J. Saunders and Norman Allen, Waseca, beat J. Bisson and E. Carmeeting is convenient of access. son Franklin 100—51.

MID-WINTER MEETING.

Of Bay State Historical League at Milton Town Hall, Saturday.

The Bay State Historical League of which the Quincy Historical Society is a part, is to hold its mid-winter meeting in Milton, by invitation of the Milton Historical Society, on Saturday Jan. 16. at half past two in the Town hall.

The topic selected for consideration is "How can Children best be taught the History of their own Town." Henry Whittemore, superintendent of the State Normal School at Framingham, and Alonzo E. Locke, president of the Lexington Historical Society, will lead in the discussion. Charles S. Pierce, Esq., will speak briefly on "Milton's Place in the Country."

Members of the Quincy society are planning to attend as the place of meeting is convenient of access

BRIDGE TRUSTEES MEET.

The trustees of the Fore River bridge, who are the mayor of Quincy and the chairman of the selectmen of Weymouth and Hingham, held their annual meeting Thursday afternoon in the office of Mayor Campbell at city hall, Mayor Campbell was elected president and Walter W. Hersey of Hingham as clerk and treasurer. No other business was transacted but there was informal discussion of matters pertaining to the bridge.

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Rome, Jan. 15.—The Italian nation is stunned by the appalling magnitude of the disaster caused by Wednesday's earthquake.

Estimates of 20,000 dead and 30,000 injured have been made in some quarters, but these figures are only guesses, at the best, for no accurate records are yet possible, and it is hoped that when correct figures are available the loss of life will be far less than that.

At the same time, the happenings in Rome have been such as to justify the wildest fears.

Trains bearing injured survivors have been arriving in Rome from different centres. Every hospital in Rome was filled to overflowing, and Prince Colonna, mayor of the city, began to take over every available hotel for the use of the injured.

Then the hospitals and hotels were found to be inadequate, and temporary tents were erected under the supervision of the military.

King Aids His Subjects

All the resources of the government are being utilized to cope with the disaster. King Victor Emmanuel started for Avezzano, which seems to have been the centre of violence, when the dispatches began to show that the city had been virtually destroyed, with most of its inhabitants, and he is there supervising the work of rescue.

Queen Helena has expressed the utmost regret at being unable to go personally to aid the victims, but she is not yet sufficiently recovered from her recent illness, when her little daughter was born.

Relief trains bearing surgeons, nurses and ambulance men have been sent to the stricken centre so as to give all possible medical aid to the injured.

Other trains have carried detachments of troops with full equipment for the erection of tents and field hospitals for the wounded, and a still larger number of tents to shelter the homeless. These "tent colonies" are expected to provide for the thousands whose homes were destroyed.

Plans are also being perfected for sanitary measures to prevent any outbreak of pestilence in the stricken centres. It is expected, too, that large quantities of foodstuffs will have to be provided to avert famine among the survivors in some of the wrecked towns and villages.

District Was Thought Immune

To a people accustomed by long experience to dark tragedies of earthquake and volcano, the first reports of the disturbances conveyed no adequate idea of the extent of the devastation. The most marked sensation seemed to be a feeling of wonder that an earthquake should occur in a region which had come to be regarded as practically immune from such disturbances.

All serious earthquakes in the past have occurred in the south of Italy and the island of Sicily, but this latest disturbance occurred in the belt directly east of the capital itself. In fact, the centre of the disturbance seemed to be some fifty or sixty miles east of Rome. It was in this section that the ill-fated town of Avezzano was located.

Rome itself escaped with a comparatively small loss of life, but as a more general investigation can be made it is seen that there will be tremendous damage to the city's buildings.

These include some of the most famous and historic structures in the world. Walls in famous edifices have been cracked, statues displaced or thrown to the ground and columns and obelisks thrown out of the perpendicular.

The great church of St. Peter's has been considerably damaged and the colonnade surrounding St. Peter's square has sunk four feet as the result of the disturbance.

Some further shocks were experienced Thursday, and these further injured buildings already damaged, causing their collapse in some cases.

Twenty Towns Destroyed

So far as is known about twenty towns have been absolutely levelled, while an almost equal number suffered serious damage. In all these places persons were killed or injured.

In the ruins volunteers worked heroically, endeavoring the rescue the wounded or extricate the bodies of the dead.

It is estimated that in Avezzano 4000 persons are buried alive, some of them schoolchildren in an institution which collapsed. Only four soldiers of the garrison of 400 in the town escaped when the barracks fell.

Sora, with its population of 20,000, was almost entirely destroyed. All the municipal and government authorities perished. Four hundred and fifty bodies already have been taken from the ruins there, and a large number of injured are under treatment.

Among the towns which are said to have been virtually destroyed are Avezzano, Sora, Capelle, Magliano, Marse, Massadalbe, Collarmele, Gerchio, Lelli, Celano, Patedno, San Felino, Giosamarsi, Scurcola, Capistrello, Antrosano and Castronovme, while thirteen other towns are badly damaged.

From many other places come reports of slighter damages to property and minor casualties.

Shocks In the Alps

Geneva, Jan. 15.—Earth shocks were felt in the Mont Blanc mountain range and also in the Swiss and Italian Alps, along the frontier, and they caused huge avalanches, which have isolated the Alpine villages and hamlets and destroyed the forests.

From five to seven feet of snow fell on the Bernina, Splunge and St. Gotthard passes, while the snow is three feet deep in the Engadine.

Shocks also were experienced in the Piedmont towns and villages, but the damage cannot be learned, as the telegraph wires are down. Slighter shocks were felt in the Tyrolese Alps.

Red Cross Ready to Aid

Washington, Jan. 15.—The American Red Cross announced that it will be glad to receive at its headquarters here contributions for the Italian earthquake sufferers and would forward such money through the state department to the proper officials in Italy.

As there is a well organized Italian Red Cross, it was said that the American society would not send nurses or doctors, unless requested to do so. None of the workers on the battlefields could be so employed, however, it was said.

SUFFRAGISTS ASK AID OF PRESIDENT

Say They Think He Will Help Their Cause In New Jersey

Washington, Jan. 15.—Dr. Anna H. Shaw, Mrs. Medill McCormick and Mrs. Winston Churchill, woman suffrage leaders, called on President Wilson and discussed the suffrage amendment to the constitution in New Jersey, now pending in the legislature.

After their meeting, Dr. Shaw issued a statement which concludes as follows:

"We have come away from our interview with the distinct impression that very shortly the president will come out with a statement favorable to suffrage in the state of New Jersey."

President Wilson has repeatedly told delegations of suffragists he believed their question was one for the states. It was understood the delegation asked him to support the issue in New Jersey.

At the White House it was stated the president had not indicated in any way what position he would take.

ROGERS MARRIAGE TANGLE

Woman Who Killed Babies Has Sympathy of First Mrs. Rogers

New York, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Ida S. "Rogers" will have the aid and sympathy of the first wife of her lawyer-lover, Lorlys E. Rogers, when she goes to trial for poisoning her two babies.

"My sympathies are all for Ida," said Rogers' first wife. "I hope she is freed so she can marry Lorlys if she truly loves him."

Mrs. Roquemore-Rogers' story before the grand jury recalled the fact that from each of his two legal marriages, Rogers provided a loophole of escape.

Like Mrs. Caroline Rogers, the second wife, the first Mrs. Rogers said she had signed an agreement with Rogers that if he ever grew tired of her they would separate.

Alabama For Prohibition

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 15.—The state-wide prohibition bill was passed by the house, the vote being 74 to 26.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Rev. Dr. Jesse Hill, 46, one of the leading Congregational clergymen in New England, died at Portland, Me., following a surgical operation.

Princeton university will receive $250,000 from Mrs. Russell Sage, provided a like amount is raised by July 1.

A new girly-girl show, starting at 2 a. m. and lasting until daybreak, will be New York's newest offering to the tired business man.

Fire destroyed Grace Methodist Episcopal church at St. Johnsbury, Vt. The loss is $40,000.

William Beggs, 72, the richest man in Woburn, Mass., and the head of one of the leading concerns in the leather trade of the country, died at his home in Woburn.

The J. C. Sawyer company, retail Boston jewelers, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, listing liabilities of $36,155.

Henry A. Thompson, an elevator man, was crushed between an elevator and the fourth floor of a building at Boston. He was instantly killed.

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To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John J. Deady late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Katherine Deady of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving surety on her official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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Allies Receive Severe Defeat at Hands of Germans

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Paris Says Carrying Away of Bridges Endangered Lines of Communication—Two Days' Battle Witnessed by Kaiser—Russia's New Wrive Toward East Prussia Promises to Develop Into Great Feature of Eastern Campaign—Fighting of Severe Character In Progress

London, Jan. 15.—The allied armies in the western theatre of war have received a severe defeat, the German forces making material gains.

The French official communique admits that their forces were compelled to retire across the Aisne and that the Germans took not only a number of cannon, but also some prisoners. This is admitted in London as the worst defeat the allied armies have received for a long time.

The French statement declares the retreat was made necessary because of the flooded condition of the river, which destroyed several bridges and made it impossible to get reinforcements to the hard pressed troops in front of Vregny, and claims that most of the prisoners captured by the Germans were wounded men, but it is known in London that the Germans have been making strenuous efforts at this point, and it is believed that they have by sheer weight driven the allies back.

The battle continued for two days without ceasing and Emperor William himself witnessed the operations.

On the balance of the line the fighting has consisted mainly of artillery duels. Spirited cannonading is reported in the vicinity of Nieuwport and around Ypres, and the French artillery dispersed German pioneers on the outskirts of Angres, and also shelled the German trenches to the southwest of the chapel of Notre Dame de Lorette.

There was further fighting for possession of the German trenches in the region of Porthes, in Champagne, with the French taking the offensive.

In France there is a strong demand that Japan be requested to send her veteran troops to help the allies. While this demand is by no means universal, it is growing in intensity. Great Britain is silent on the subject.

Dispatches from Petrograd admit that it has been expedient to regroup Russian troops on the right bank of the lower Vistula, making necessary the abandonment of several towns they had already occupied.

It is evident that severe fighting is taking place in the eastern theatre of war. Russia is making a new drive toward East Prussia, while the Germans along the Bzura and Rawka rivers, where fighting has been in progress for a month, have begun a movement of great vigor. Their activity centres along the Sochaczew-Skierniewce line, where within the last forty-eight hours they have made four violent attacks and forced back the Russians.

Russia's new drive toward East Prussia, though, promises to develop into a great feature of the campaign. The czar's troops apparently are striking further west than they were when they were defeated at Tannenburg, and are making a direct threat at destroying the German railway communications. It would appear that the Russians were attempting to join these forces with the others which are now on the borders of the Mazurian lakes.

In their new drive toward Warsaw, the Germans have occupied the district to the northeast of Bolimow and have taken two villages. These positions are three or four miles from Sochaczew, and five miles east of the Bzura.

According to the Hamburg Fremdenblatt, eighteen Russian generals have beeen deposed from important positions; the names of the officers were not given.

A Netherland newspaper dispatch states that British aviators have dropped several bombs on the German positions at Antwerp; the damage done, though, was not ascertained.

In Geneva it is reported that members of the Hapsburg family and Austrian nobility and aristocracy are depositing large sums in Switzerland and also giving large orders for the purchase of American securities.

There is almost complete silence regarding the Russo-Turk campaign.

HELD BECAUSE OF DUTIES

American Gifts of Smokes to Men In Trenches Detained at Paris

Two and a half tons of tobacco and cigars, half of a shipment recently made by a number of Americans as a gift for allies' soldiers in the trenches, arrived at Paris and caused perturbation in the fiscal department, as the duties were $30,000.

The French government offered to remit the duties if the tobacco were intended for hospitals, but the donors wanted it to go to the men in the trenches. The shipment has not yet been cleared, but it is said the decision is certain to be favorable.

The French people have been much touched by this new manifestation of American generosity and the Paris papers comment at length on the gift.

GENERAL GALLIENI.

French Commander Heads Big New Army Now Invading Alsace.

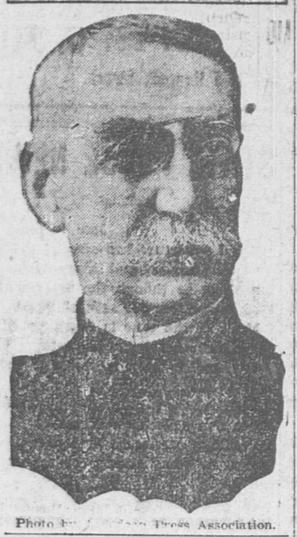


Photo by Press Association.

FORMAL INQUIRY ASKED

British Press Attacks Admiralty For Loss of the Formidable

The London Post follows up Admiral Beresford's letter concerning the sending of warships into waters where there are submarines, without an accompanying torpedo boat destroyer, with a demand for a formal inquiry into the loss of the battleship Formidable in the English channel. The newspaper calls for an answer to the following specific questions:

"Why was this squadron at sea at night? Why was it deprived of its proper defense of torpedo boat destroyers? Why was it steaming at a slow speed? Why has the admiralty withheld all detailed information regarding the disaster? Why has no court of inquiry been held? And what guarantee is there that a similar disaster will not occur in the future?

NO EXTENDED COMMENT

Bryan Notifies England That Note on Shipping Has Been Received

In a note delivered by Ambassador Page at London, Secretary Bryan acknowledged receipt of the preliminary reply of the British government to the American note protesting against the treatment of neutral commerce by the British fleet.

He expressed appreciation of the friendly spirit in which the communication had been received, and noted with satisfaction that the principles of international law set forth by the United States had been accepted.

Further comment, Bryan said, would be immature at this time in view of the intention of the British government to reply later in detail.

BIG GUNS FOR RUSSIA

Made In Pennsylvania and Shipped Via the Pacific Ocean

Fifteen specially designed 14-inch guns, said to be as powerful as the Krupp 42-centimetre guns, passed through Minneapolis for Russia. They will go via Vladisvostok. Railroad gossip said they will be used against the fortifications at Przemysl.

The guns came from Bethlehem, Pa. They left for the west on a special train. The train was under special personal escort and the guns did not carry the name of any consignee.

NEWBERT MADE TREASURER

Maine Democrats Also Elect Pattangall Attorney General

Augusta, Me., Jan. 15.—The deadlock in the Maine legislature was broken again after several days, and Elmer E. Newbert, Democrat, of this city, elected state treasurer on the seventh ballot.

The Democrats then followed up their victory in winning this office from the Republicans by electing Horace R. Pattangall attorney general on the first ballot.

The election of state officials was completed with the choice of William T. Guptill, a Democrat, as commissioner of agriculture.

No Cats at Naval Station

Newport, R. I., Jan. 15.—Cats have to be banished from the naval training station for sanitary reasons, it is announced, because their value as rat catchers is more than offset by their menace as germ carriers among the apprentices, with whom they are great pets.

Attorney an Alleged Briber

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 15.—Attorney A. L. Weil of Pittsburg, representative of the Manufacturers Light and Heat company, was released under $25,000 bail on the charge that he offered a $10,000 bribe to Public Service Commissioner Bronson.

"Safest Railroad In the World"

New York, Jan. 15.—Replying to criticism growing out of the recent subway disaster, the Interborough Rapid Transit company inserted large advertisements in New York newspapers declaring it operates the "safest passenger railroad in the world."

GOODS UNDER GERMAN LABEL

Extensively Manufactured In the United States

EMBARGO PLACED UPON THEM

Exporters In Sorry Plight, as Shipments Are Liable to Seizure by British, While Manufacturers Do Not Want It Known That "Made In Germany" Claim Is False

New York, Jan. 15.—While American manufacturers have naturally been objecting strongly to some of the restrictions they are forced to work under, owing to the British government's embargo on exports to this country from British possessions, the embargo on all German goods wherever bound, and the confiscation of these goods, is just beginning to bring to light some interesting facts as to the origin of these alleged German goods.

One large house in New York, which acts more or less as a clearing house for German merchants doing business with South American countries, finds itself in a most peculiar position. The head of his house is at present carrying thousands of dollars' worth of goods which he is unable to ship to South America, although the goods were manufactured in the United States.

German merchants who succeeded in working up a demand for their goods in South America discovered that they could have similar goods made up by American manufacturers, save the long and high rate of freight from Germany, and get the goods at lower cost.

The goods wanted covered a wide assortment, from tinware to silks, ribbons, etc., and for several years have been made up by manufacturers in Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and other states. In order to hold their markets, these goods were stamped "Made in Germany."

The head of the New York "clearing house" for these goods, who, by the way, is a South American by birth, fears to ship goods which are under order, and in many cases paid for. "If I ship these goods," he said, "they are liable to seizure or confiscation on the high seas by British naval ships. In most cases they would have to be shipped out of this port to South America in British merchant ships, and British merchant ships are not transporting German goods or merchandise marked "Made in Germany."

"If I inform our South American customers that we have been 'pulling the wool over their eyes' we are more than likely to lose our entire South American trade, as my countrymen are shrewd business men and would promptly feel that we had not been honest in our dealings with them. My German customers would lose the market for their goods for all time."

Other merchants in the export trade who are aware of the facts in the case are firmly convinced that American manufacturers who have been in the habit of concealing their products under a German label now have an excellent chance of going after this business direct and winning a large part of South American trade.

AGREES WITH GARDNER

House Almost Unanimously Passes Coast Defense Inquiry

Washington, Jan. 15.—A resolution by Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, calling upon the secretary of war for information as to the strength of coast defense, was passed by the house practically unanimously.

It asks whether there are mounted anywhere on the coast fortifications any guns of greater than 12-inch calibre; whether the range of the 12-inch guns is more than 13,000 yards; whether British dreadnoughts of the Queen Elizabeth type do not carry 12-inch 45-calibre guns, with a range of 21,000 yards, and whether that range does not exceed by more than four miles the range of any guns on the coast defenses of continental United States.

LOSES CLAIM TO THRONE

Nephew of German Empress Weds an American Woman

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Miss Elizabeth R. Rogers of Washington was married here in Trinity church to Prince Christian of Hesse.

The prince is a nephew of the German empress and is a captain in the German navy. By marrying Miss Rogers Prince Christian renounces all claim to the throne.

Missing Fisherman Safe

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 15.—The fishing schooner Mustado, Captain McIntyre, of Portland, which was thought lost, was towed into this port. For forty-eight hours the little craft and her crew were at the mercy of the gale, having lost her rudder and both anchors.

Quotable.

He—You look to me older than you said you were. She—You can't expect me to remember age.—Why, it's altering all the time.—Fliegende Blatter.

WORN BY QUEEN OF EGYPT

Valuable Diamonds Seized by Treasury Agents In New York

New York, Jan. 15.—Treasury agents seized from A. Anpikadjian, a resident of Constantinople now in this city, two egg-shaped diamonds weighing more than eighteen carats each and said to have been worn centuries ago by the Qreen of Sheba.

Collector of the Port Malone directed the seizure of the jewels, which, it is claimed, Anpikadjian failed to declare to the customs officials when he arrived in the United States on Oct. 19 last.

Their owner said he had purchased them in the jewelry market at Constantinople from an Egyptian princess, who declared they had been in her family for centureies.

At the time of the purchase Anpikadjian said, the diamonds were attached to two emeralds, about one inch square. The emeralds and the diamonds formed a large pair of earrings. The emeralds were purchased by another dealer, he said.

The treasury agents finally got on the track of the two diamonds and found Anpikadjian in the office of a diamond dealer, where he was offering the stones for sale.

CARVER SURRENDERS

Boston Lawyer Is Accused of the Theft of $35,000

Boston, Jan. 15.—Samuel Carver, an attorney, surrendered himself at police headquarters to answer an indictment warrant charging the larceny of $35,000. Of this sum, it is alleged, $25,000 was stolen from the late Julius Rottenberg on May 6, 1913, and $10,000 from Louis S. Levi on Dec. 9, 1913.

As the owner of Reservoir court, an apartment building, Carver raised a mortgage of $125,000 on the property. Later he secured a second mortgage of $30,000 and this mortgage and note were disposed of by him to Susan S. Demmon for $24,000.

The transfer of the mortgage to her as collateral for the loan was a legitimate transaction, but it is claimed that, on the dates mentioned in the complaint, he disposed of this same second mortgage to Rottenberg and Levi for the sums named, representing the property as unencumbered except for the first mortgage.

$17,168,611 FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS

American Board's 1914 Income Exceeds Record of 1913

New York, Jan. 15.—The total income of American foreign mission boards during the year 1914 was $17,168,611, according to statistics made public at the annual meeting of the foreign mission conference.

These figures cover the work of all American organizations doing educational and philanthropic as well as missionary work outside the United States and Canada, except that conducted under the auspices of certain other mission boards in Mexico, Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and Alaska.

For this work $500,510 was contributed during the year. Statistics show that contributions fell slightly below the amount received in 1912, the banner year, and exceeded by more than $1,000,000 the contributions of 1913.

In 1901, the first year for which statistics were available, the contributions totaled $6,228,173.

HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Viancour and Conway Accused of Causing Death of O'Sullivan

Boston, Jan. 15.—The two "pals" of Florence O'Sullivan, 22, who was found dead in a mysterious shooting, were charged with murder before Judge Murray and held without bail for the February grand jury.

The "pals" are Richard Viancour and John Conway. Both are charged also with having burglar tools in their possession, and Viancour also faces a statutory charge.

The "girl in the case," who is Miss Ida Onyon, said to be Viancour's sweetheart, appeared before Judge Wentworth charged with a statutory offense. He declined jurisdiction and she was held in $500 for the grand jury in February.

Hiccoughs Caused by Gallstones

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 15.—An operation for gallstones has cured Henry F. Harris of an attack of hiccoughs, which lasted several weeks. Specialists agreed that the chronic hiccoughs were caused by gallstones.

Postmasters Wanted

Washington, Jan. 15.—Examinations will be held by the civil service commission Feb. 20 to fill 525 fourth-class postmasterships paying $500 a year or more, for which no one passed the examination held last year.

Lifting Cattle Quarantine

Washington, Jan. 15.—Lifting of the livestock foot and mouth disease quarantine in many counties of Indiana, Kentucky and New York was announced by the department of agriculture.

Federal Judge Drops Dead

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 15.—James L. Martin, United States district judge for Vermont, dropped dead at a railway station here. He had been a federal judge for eight years.

Charles E. Decker, Auctioneer, Room 3, Adams Bldg, Quincy, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Arthur E. Holland to Benjamin Johnson dated March 11, 1913 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1242, page 396, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday the ninth day of February, 1915, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage and bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Oxenbridge Road in Taylor Terrace in that part of Quincy in the county of Norfolk called Wollaston, being lot Sixty-one (61) on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan book 50, plan 2392, the said lot being bounded Easterly on Oxenbridge Road, forty-five and 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 60 on said plan, eight-five and 28-100 feet; Westerly on Lot 64 on said plan, forty-five feet, and Southerly on Lot 62 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet, containing 3691 square feet of land, more or less.

Also Lot 62 on said plan, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly on Oxenbridge Road forty-five 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 61 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet; Westerly by Lot 97 on said plan forty-five feet and Southerly by lot 63 on said plan seventy-two 26-100 feet, containing 3398 square feet of land.

A deposit of one hundred dollars will be required at the time and place of sale; balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

BENJAMIN JOHNSON,
(Mortgagee.
3t Jan. 15-22-29

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Ryan late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John W. Ryan, of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 15-18-25

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Prof. Fisher Discovers that they are Dying of Thirst.

That Harvard's elm trees are not a thing of the past is surely good news to all interested in that college. Prof. Fisher has made a report to Pres. Lowell which says the lack of natural moisture is the main cause of the death of those magnificent trees that for years have been Harvard's pride. Prof. Fisher has discovered by a series of borings that the old yard rests on a layer of stiff yellow clay, almost impervious to water. The material brought up from below was extremely dry, showing that this clay tends to carry all the water that might percolate downward off toward the subway ditch. This subway together with various excavations made from time to time in or about the yard have gradually been drawing off all the moisture from the roots of the trees below the clay strata. Of course the leopard moth has been an important contributory cause, but their control is now fairly well understood.

The problem now is that of providing a source of artificial moisture. This can be done by irrigation as was proved last summer when it was tried causing the old stumps to send out yourg shoots. Prof. Fisher advocates with these precautions the planting of more elm trees as they adapt themselves so admirably to the conditions there.

NEW TELEPHONES.

Following are the subscribers connected with the Quincy Exchange for week ending Jan. 13.

1223W—Zottoli, Anthony M., Sagamore avenue.
1276W—Benoit, E. W. 187 Belmont street.
932M—Arnold, Charles F., 47 Hunt street.
1577M—Swift, Chas. W., 46 Ellington road.
1223M—Grady, Albert A., Highland avenue.
1051W—Tobin, J. W. Jr., 37 Rock Island road.
2290 —U. S. Navy. Const. Dept., Fore River Yard.
1370 —Relley, William P., 1360 Hancock street.

The telephone company report that all the trouble caused by the storm of Tuesday has been cleaned up and all lines are again in working order.

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Sweet Potatoes	5c lb
Hubbard Squash	3c lb
Large Navel Oranges	29c doz
Sunkist Lemons	20c doz
Grape Fruit, fine ones	5c each
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CITY HALL NOTES

On a windy day one wonders why it is that some of our commissioners have not placed revolving doors at the entrance of city hall.

Most of the officers at City Hall are supplied with calendars from the Stone-Underhill Co., which were sent out by ex-Mayor tSone.

Thursday was conference day with Mayor Campbell. He was present at conferences in Boston at 10, 11 and 12 and 1 o'clock, and then in the afternoon at 3.30 at City Hall.

The city's Ne w Year presents to the citizens of Quincy are water bills. Citizens are given until Feb. 10 to pay.

Brass handles have been attached to the outside of the swinging glass doors at city hall.

QUINCY GIRLS WIN.

The Quincy Girls bowling team faced the strong Waltham bowlers in the Greater Boston league at the New Boston alleys Thursday night and took one of the four points. Helen Olsen and Helen Gagan were absent and dummy scores were substituted.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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DEATHS

CHEVERIE—In Commonwealth Hospital, Boston Jan. 14, Isabella, beloved wife of Bedelius Cheverie of 19 Lancaster street, Quincy. Notice of funeral later.

BARRY—In West Quincy, Jan. 14 Thomas beloved son of Joanna and the late Richard Barry, age 30 years.
Funeral from his late residence 19 Willard street, Monday, Jan. 18 at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at nine o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Gloucester. Kindly omit flowers. 15-2t

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BRIEFS

Tonight—Music Hall—The Revels.

The annual meeting of the City Hospital Trustees will be held Monday evening.

Bethany church will hold the annual meeting on next Wednesday.

Rural lodge, A. F. and A. M., will hold a ladies night on the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 27.

The annual dance of the Corinthian club will be held in Alpha hall this evening.

Daniel Falvey, wire chief of the Weymouth telephone exchange is confined to his home on West street with illness.

Among the guests at the Evening Star lodge, K. L. of H. at Somerville Thursday evening were members of Maple lodge of this city.

William McPherson of Common street, who developed an abdominal trouble this week, is under observation by Dr. N. S. Hunting.

Charles E. Decker has been reappointed a deputy fish and game warden by G. W. Field, chairman of the Fish and Game Commission.

The Catholic Women's Club play, "The Real Thing," will be given in Alpha hall on the evening of Tuesday Jan. 26. Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis is coach.

George C. Ela of Wollaston was this week presented with a past grand Odd Fellows jewel by the members of Reliance Rebekah lodge with which he is affiliated. Andrews S. Johnston made the presentation.

District Deputy Supreme Knight Edward D. Barrett and James Whelan as marshal will conduct a third Knight of Columbus degree at Springfield Sunday under the auspices of the council of that city.

District Deputy Grand Protector Mrs. Rose A. Reid of Quincy and suite will install the officers of Silsby lodge K. L. of H. of Brockton Tuesday evening. The grand officers will be in attendance. Several Quincy members will accompany the suite.

The play at the weekly whist party of the George L. Gill Associates in Odd Fellows' hall Thursday was close and exciting and the winners were Mrs. Mary Thomas, Mrs. M. Levangie, Mrs. Adeline Young, Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Mrs. Annie T. Thompson Mrs. Mary A. Jones.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connell entertained her associate members of the Samoset Club at her home on Richmond street on Thursday evening. The club voted to hold its annual banquet in the near future and a valentine party on the evening of Feb. 14. The business session was followed by a social hour during which an entertainment was given and a collation served.

WANT ASSESSORS

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"These amendments many only be brought to a successful fruition," said the speaker in conclusion, "by such organizations as this improvement association working in harmony with the best interests of the city."

President-elect Chase was unable to attend on account of illness and in his absence the newly-elected vice-president, Russell T. Anthony was escorted to the chair. Vice-President Harry M. Watts opened the meeting in the absence of President Kelley. Several new members were admitted and the annual reports accepted.

Following the speaking a Dutch supper was served by Thompson of Quincy.

GIVES THEATRE PARTY.

Miss Cushing and Family Guests of President Powell.

Miss Marie Cushing who will be sponsor of the torpedo boat destroyer Cushing to be launched at the Fore River shipyard Saturday morning, her sister Miss Katherine Cushing, and her mother, Mrs. William B. Cushing, widow of the hero in whose honor the ship is to be named, were the guests of President Powell of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation at a Boston theatre party Thursday evening.

ISABELLA CHEVERIE.

Isabella Cheverie wife of Bedelius Cheverie of Lancester street, died Thursday at the Commonwealth Hospital, Boston where she was a patient.

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COP THOUGHT BOY WAS ELOPER

Quincy Lad is Detained in North Station

Edward Ferguson, a 17 year old shipbuilder of this city mistaken for an eloper in the North station Thursday by a policeman and delayed several hours in making a start for the shipyard at Montreal, Canada, was the butt of many good natured jokes on the trip.

Ferguson, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ferguson of Phipps street was the one of the last group of men who left Fore River shipyard for Canada. He arranged to leave Quincy on a few hours notice and while crossing Boston joined three sisters who were seeing the brother off, to a Canadian college.

They were grouped about the train when a policeman was attracted by their serious demeanor. Thinking to prevent on elopement he detained Ferguson, believing him to be responsible party. His release was secured through his identication by friends but his departure was delayed several hours.

SUSPENDED LADS ARE REINSTATED

Three mature youths, part time students at the Adams Industrial School who kicked over the traces a few days ago and were suspended when they refused to be disciplined were reinstated this morning when they took their medicine.

The occasion arose when one of the lads sat on a tack and create such a disturbance through its discovery that the instructors could not do otherwise than make an investigation.

Three boys were indicted for the offense and were ordered to do several hours overtime. On their refusals they were indefinitely suspended. Today they called at the school, apologized and were reinstated.

STRENGTHEN HOLD ON FIRST PLACE

The St. Mary's strengthened their hold on first place in the West Quincy league by taking four points from the Ave Maria council bowlers at St. Mary's hall Thursday night. McGrath got 117 for high single.

ST. MARY'S.

Kennedy	74	83	97	244
McGrath	89	79	117	285
Donovan	90	81	88	259
Connelley	92	87	77	256
McPherson	96	101	91	288
	441	421	470	1332

AVE MARIA COUNCIL.

Garity	99	81	83	262
Fitzgerald	87	92	86	265
Leary	78	84	69	231
Desmond	82	76	82	240
Shortle	82	80	97	259
	428	413	417	1258

GRANITE MEN IN PARTNERSHIP

Konstant Tikkanen, formerly foreman for the Sampo Granite Co., of South Quincy, and Neil McDonald, formerly foreman at Deacon Bros., polishing shop, have entered into partnership under the firm name of the Willard Granite & Polishing Co. They have bought out the Mannex shed on Willard street where they will locate their business.

LAUNCHING NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Submarine L-1 Will Be Biggest of its Kind Afloat.

L-1, one of eight submarines under construction at the Fore River shipyard for the United States government will be launched next Wednesday. The ship when placed in commission will be the biggest of its kind afloat. The seven others are in various stages of construction and launchings of at least three more will take place within a short time.

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STATE HOUSE NEWS

Jan. 14, 1915.

The Legislature has already settled down to business, and things are moving along as though the session had been under way for several weeks.

Much of the time is taken up with committee hearings however. The two branches only meet for a short time in the afternoon.

Petitions for legislation may be filed up to five o'clock on Saturday.

Petitions cannot be filed unless endorsed by some senator or representative.

Although the governor and lieutenant-governor have been inaugurated, the republican secretary, treasurer, auditor and attorney-general do not oust the present incumbents until January twentieth.

The need of a legislative drafting bureau is seen from the fact that the legislators this year incorrectly drew the bill for their own salaries, so that although it passed both branches, it had to be redrafted and sent through all over again.

The special recess committee on legislative proceedure, the bar association and the Attorney-General are all expected to favor a legislative drafting bureau.

Judge Thomas P. Riley on Thursday resigned as first assistant attorney-general, so as to take his position on the Gas and Electric Light Commission. Attorney-General Boynton at once appointed ex-Senator Roger Sherman Hoar to fill the vacancy.

Two bills of particular interest to farmers are pending. One is Commissioner Walker's bill for an appropriation to pay the farmers for their cattle destroyed during the foot-and-mouth disease epidemic. The other is the recommendation of the Homestead Commission for farming schools in cities.

Apropos of Mr. Walker, it is interesting to note that Representative Greenwood has filed a bill to abolish the Board of Economy and Efficiency.

It was on the recommendations of the board that Mr. Walker was discharged by the Governor and Council. Political wiseacres claim to see the hand of Mr. Walker guiding Mr. Greenwood.

The estimates for the state expense for this year show an increase of about two million dollars.

The new executive council has refused to reopen the discharge by the old council of E. Gerry Brown, Supervisor of Loan Agencies.

This case and the Walker case are the chief topic of conversation on the Hill this week.

Representative Lewis R. Sullivan of Boston is again as usual, trying to democratize the Boston School Committee. His present plan is to make ex-officio members of the mayor and the president of the city council.

Still another attempt to repeal the bar-and-bottle bill.

An attempt will be made to have the Public Service Commission investigate the alleged telephone trust.

KEEN RIVALRY IN EXCITING MATCH

The Machine Gallery, leading team of the Fore River league, met defeat at the hands of the Quincy five at the Wardwell alleys Thursday evening in one of the most exciting matches this season. Intense rivalry urged the men to exert themselves to the utmost. There were no triples, Dobos took high single with 114. Morgan followed with 111.

QUINCY FIVE.

J. Dobos	87	94	114	295
L. Ross	88	102	98	288
B. McLean	99	102	88	289
J. Dell	94	86	101	281
J. Olindy	103	92	92	287
	471	476	493	1440

MACHINE GALLERY.

White	93	100	86	279
Croketts	83	82	94	259
Carlson	85	75	89	249
Morgan	78	111	85	274
Tirrell	79	99	79	257
	418	467	433	1318

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RUMP ROASTS	23c lb
5 RIB CUT ROASTS	20c lb
SHORT RIB ROASTS	18c lb
UNDER CUT ROASTS	23c lb
POT ROASTS	15--18c lb
FRENCH ROASTS	22c lb

— STEAKS —

BEST RUMP STEAK (Short Cuts)	40c
PORTER HOUSE (Very Heavy Tenderloin)	30c
SIRLOIN	25c
RIB STEAK (Best Cuts)	25c

CHOPS (Cut from Genuine Spring Lamb)

KIDNEY CHOPS	30c
RIB LAMB CHOPS	25c
LEG AND LOIN	18 1-2c
SHORT LEGS	20c and 22c

NATIVE CHICKEN (Weight 5 lbs.) 23c lb
NATIVE FOWL AS USUAL
ROAST PORK (By the Strip) 14 1-2c lb

VEGETABLES.
Best Green Mountain Potatoes (Limit 2 pks) 16cts ok
Spinach, Lettuce, Celery, Kale
Spanish Onions, Squash, Turnips
Parsnips, Carrots and Beets

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Sliced PEACHES delicious flavor	15—25c can
Hawaiian PINEAPPLE	10—15—25c
CRAB APPLE JELLY or CURRANT JELLY or APPLE JELLY	3 for 25c

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U. S. S. CUSHING IS LAUNCHED

Torpedo Boat Destroyer Slides Down Ways Without Hitch

Months Work Remains to be Done Before She Will Be Ready for Trials

The torpedo boat destroyer "Cushing," built for the United States navy was successfully launched at the Fore River shipyard today at 11.15, 15 minutes ahead of scheduled time.

The sponsor was Miss Marie Cushing, of Fredonia, N. Y., daughter of Lieut. Commander Cushing, the Civil War hero, who blew up the rebel ram Albemarle in the Roanoke river and in whose memory the ship was named.

The Cushing was launched with smokestacks and mast in place and was about 85 per cent. complete. It is expected she will be ready for her trials within a month.

The launching was the occasion of a most unusual incident for Mr. William B. Cushing, mother of the sponsor and widow of Commander Cushing, was present as one of the guests of honor. Accompanying her was Miss Katherine Cushing, another daughter, also of Fredonia and Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hinkley, Mrs. S. B. Hinkley of 99 Bay State road.

The guests on their arrival at the yard were received by President Joseph W. Powell of Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation and shortly after were escorted by him to the launching platform.

President Powell presented Miss Marie Cushing with a large bunch of handsome Hadley roses which she carried on her arm while she shattered the bottle of champagne against the bow of the ship as she slid away from the launching stand.

The bottle, enclosed in a mesh of gold wire, was tied with red, white and blue ribbon looped over her wrist. Its fragments were placed in a teakwood box, silver mounted, and given the sponsor at the luncheon directly after President Powell presented her with a solid gold bracelet watch suitably inscribed the gift of the company.

The recently organized Fore River band, under the direction of John Carter, formerly of Carter's band, made its appearance for the first time and played the "Star Spangled Banner" as the ship sped on its way to the waters. As she floated for the first time the band rendered "Tipperary" and "Annie Laurie" the favorite song of Commander Cushing.

Most of the guests present were Cushings and included Miss Georgianna Cushing Lane of Goffe street.

President Powell in making the presentation said: "Two men stand out more prominent than others in the annals of the navy, John Paul Jones and Commander Cushing. Commander Cushing comes of a family of fighting men. One of his brothers were killed at the apex of Picketts charge at Gettysburg and another lost his life in the Indian fights in Arizona.

"Commander Cushing was probably the leader of more naval exploits than any other man in the history of the navy and from time to time he escaped all sorts of danger. His sinking of the Albemarle was one of the most successful uses of the torpedo which is playing such a part in the European war today."

President Powell then presented Miss Cushing with the bracelet watch and said: "your namesake, the ship, has been given her best brains and wormanship and we present you with this hoping she will live up to her name and that you shall keep it and think kindly of the ship and the company."

Miss Cushing in accepting, expressed her pleasure that while the ship was small she was nevertheless great and would prove the glory of the name while in service.

President Powell then proposed a toast to Mrs. Cushing, widow of Commander Cushing and after she made a brief acknowledgement all drank a toast to "Our Navy."

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Sunday increasing cloudiness, probably followed by snow at night.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.10
Sun sets	4.39
Length of day	9.29
Moon sets	7.09
High water, A. M.	12.15
High water, P. M.	12.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 23 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	38 degrees
Jan. 16, 1914,	33 degrees
Jan. 16, 1913,	48 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

DEATH FOLLOWS FALL OFF ROOF

Joseph Arregona, 34 years old of East Boston, Friday while working on the roof of Kelley's new house on Adams street fell 25 feet to the ground and was fatally injured. He received a five inch cut in the head, his collar bone and five ribs were broken and his left lung punctured.

Dr. Carlton Rowe ordered the injured man to be taken to the hospital.

In the middle of the afternoon he lapsed into unconsciousness and at 3 o'clock died. He had been working on this job only a few days. He is survived by a wife and two children who make their home in Italy.

BRIEFS

The opera talk at the Wollaston Methodist church next Wednesday will be on "Monnavanna."

Sherman Cull and family have moved into the Misses Galvin's house on West street. Mrs. Cull was formerly Elizabeth Lyons of West street.

A reading of "Pollyanna" will be given at Bethany chapel on the afternoon and evening of Feb. 12 by Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis. It will be illustrated by living pictures.

Miss Margaret Foley who is to speak in the Wollaston school hall Monday evening in the interests of equal suffrage addressed the Union Glee club of Rockland Wednesday night at its monthly smoker.

The Glenrose Girls of West Quincy will hold their regular meeting and social Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Caroline Reinhalter of Bunker Hill lane.

The many friends of Miss Helen Lyons of West street will be pleased to hear that she was successfully operated on in the Carney Hospital on Friday. She is now convalescent and hopes to return home in two weeks.

John Miller of Hall place who returned from the Brookline Hospital where he was operated upon is able to be out and around. He walks with difficulty as yet however as the wound is not entirely healed.

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CLUB MAKES GOOD START

Wollaston Has New Men's Organization

Eighty-three signers, eleven messages requesting membership as charter men, and others absent but desirous of joining formed a nucleus of about 100 active members to start the Men's Assembly of the Baptist church Friday evening. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

The following officers were elected unanimously:—

President—Charles W. Bailey.
Vice President—J. Arthur Sparrow
Secretary—Arthur Axburg.
Treasurer—Eben Hardy.
Entertainments—Vernon E. Field, Arthur Bullock, Charles E. Goodspeed

The supper was served by the women of the church. It was followed by the organization meeting in the auditorium. A return was then made to the vestry which had been prepared in the meantime for the entertainment givn by the club's own members.

The talent provided by men with foreign sounding names, were decidedly at their best. The club entertainers were Percy Foss, Arthur Bullock, Charles Kempton, W. E. Bullock and Vernon E. Field.

The program included piano solos by Mons. Pierci Faussi, quartette by Mons. A. Buloc, Pierci, Faussi, Chasak Emptoni and Weber Loch; monologues by Viernen Freeldj; solos by Chasak Emptoni; pathescope movies operated by Mr. Fay; Mysterious jugglery by Phrankburg Esseronski the whole closing with a "grand hand shake—come again" by the social committee.

The Pathescope moving pictures operated by H. G. Fay presented an extremely well chosen set of clear "movies" consisting of Biblical, Historical, Botanical and Humorous films

TOO MUCH FOR QUINCY HIGH

Basket ball Team Goes Down to Inglorious Defeat

Revere sprung a surprise in the second period of Friday afternoon's game by overcoming a four point handicap and defeating Quincy 26—14.

Last year the Revere team was an easy proposition for interscholastic league teams, but if the form she showed yesterday is any criterion she stands today as the best in the league. Her speed floor work, and passing is fully the equal of any that Wellesley, the league leader, has shown.

Quincy led at the end of the first period 10—6. Revere came back strong after her rest, wore Quincy down by speedy passing, in ten minutes led 18—12, and never was threatened the rest of the way. Oneto, Orr and Webb were responsible for most of the points, the first two showing magnificent team work. Most of the time Webb outjumped Crosscup, who played the game half sick.

Quincy was very weak forward, particularly in the shooting. Davis, although playing a good floor game missed shot after shot from the easiest of chance. Welsford, too, missed several shots. Hamlin, acting captain, played the best game for Quincy, but he found in the second period that he could not keep his eye on Orr and the ball at the same time, and it was in that period that Orr scored his four baskets.

The second team won as usual 15—10. The taking of Welsford onto the first team left a vacancy in the second squad, which Albert Desmond will fill. He played his first game at center yesterday, Favreau moving up to right forward. Both did well in their new positions.

The line ups:

REVERE	H. S.	QUINCY	H. S
Blodgett, rf			lb, Beaton

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QUINCY MAN IS PROMOTED

John Silva Now Naval Warrant Officer

John Silva, one of the best known young men of this city, has been appointed a warrant officer in the U. S. Navy and has been assigned to the U. S. Cruiser Washington.

The appointment was made on New Years day by Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the navy.

Mr. Silva is popular in the service and the crew of the U. S. Destroyer Trippe presented him with his belt and sword while its officers gave him the shoulder marks when the announcement of his advanced rating was received.

Mr. Silva is one of the youngest men ever appointed a warant officer. He was born in Provincetown, Aug. 31, 1886 the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Silva and he was educated in the Provincetown public schools. In 1902 he came to Quincy and became a machinist apprentice at the Fore River Shipyard. He completed his term in 1906 and after a short time employment at the Tubular Rivet Stud Co., at Wollaston he enlisted in the navy, as a first class machinist.

Mr. Silva was appointed a petty officer within two years in 1910, and when his term of service expired in 1912 he re-enlisted.

On March 23, 1913, at took as his bride Miss Annie F. Dorley, a popular Quincy Point resident and the daughter of Charlotte and the late Joseph Dorley of River street. Their home is in this city.

MAYOR STARTS INVESTIGATION

Will Make Study of Water Department

The Mayor has started an investigation into the water department with a view of bringing this department to a point where it will be self-supporting and if possible, to a profit showing point.

While of necessity there has been but a very short time devoted to the work, facts which will prove of value in carrying out the much needed reform have been brought to light.

The time consumed in the investigation and the application of such remedies as may seem best may be of some length, yet the mayor feels that the time taken in investigation and study of this department will well repay the city.

LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS.

The committee on cities of the legislature will give a hearing at 10.30 A. M. Thursday on the petition to amend the City Charter relative to filling vacancies in the office of the mayor or councilmen.

A hearing will be held next Wednesday relative to an appropriation for the dredging of the Fore River channel.

SEEKING READJUSTMENT.

Among the many bills filed in the legislature Friday by Mayor Curley of Boston was one to authorize the City of Boston and City of Quincy by agreement between the mayors of the two cities to adjust a claim for taxes on land owned by the City of Boston in the City of Quincy. This is doubtless in relation to the land at Squantum, the taxes of which have been in dispute for some years and which the tax collector has advertised for sale.

SERVES BOILED DINNER.

Mrs. Maria B. Ewell of Foster street served a boiled dinner to eight guests at her home on Friday Miss Minnie Hardwick served. On Jan. 29 Mrs. James Nightingale of Granite street will serve a sauerkraut dinner.

URGES CLUBS TO CO-OPERATE

Men's Forum Holds Successful Meeting

A movement to bring the men's clubs of the city into closer relationship was launched at the monthly meeting of the Men's Forum, held Friday evening at the Park and Downs church. President of the local men's clubs were present together with the pastors of their churches and all had a word to say in favor of the project.

The speaker of the evening was Louis K. Liggett of the United Drug company who gave a most interesting and comprehensive lecture on Co-operative Commercialism." The talk covered the broad relations of present day commerce and contained an optimistic forecast of business conditions during the next few years.

The evening opened with a supper to which about 80 members and guests sat down. Th menu included: oyster cocktails, tomato soup, roast beef, potatoes, apple and mince pie, coffee and rolls.

A number of songs were sung by those present to settle the meal and then the president Thomas G. Breen in his inimitable style called the meeting to order.

The president called on Rev. William B. Ayers, pastor of the church to introduce Rev. T. W. Davison of the Atlantic Memorial church. Both spoke heartily in favor of a closer co-operation between the various men's clubs of the city and of their efficacy.

Dr. Charles E. Monroe, president of the Wollaston Unitarian club was next introduced. He brought the greeting of the oldest men's club in the city to the Forum, the baby of the district. He spoke in kindly terms of another infant being born that same evening the new Men's club of the Wollaston Baptist church.

More songs were enjoyed and a home note was struck when Clark Crichton president of the Norwoll club, an organization of young men of the church, was introduced. He spoke of the inspiration the Men's Forum had given him and of the message of co-operation he would carry back to his young men.

Henry Alwis, of the packing firm of Heinz & Sons, said a few words in response to the thanks tendered him for the products furnished by his company for the supper. He referred to the wonderful development and growth of his firm's business.

More songs were sung and then Harry Read, the popular president of the Atlantic Men's club, delivered an address that was inspiring as well as humorous. He spoke strongly for co-operation and suggested that all the clubs of Quincy arrange to unite on a certain night when they could meet on a common ground and form a closer acquaintanceship. He spoke of the possibilities to be realized by uniting forces for the good of the community.

In introducing Mayor Campbell, president Breen had a few words to say concerning the recent city election just passed. He told of a conversation in which a lieutenant of the opposing party declared that Chester Campbell was all "I. I. I." "He can't help it," Breen replied, "that's his middle name." "He has been called 'Impossible,' but this has been proven false. I will introduce him as Chester 'Imperator' Campbell."

An extended demonstration followed and Mayor Campbell expressed his pleasure at being present. He referred to the past ten days in his new office during which time he was found nothing but encouragement.

"From what I can judge," said the Mayor, "the good men that preceded me were not allowed to use their own judgment and back up those things they felt were for the public weal." He thanked the members present for their support, saying that he now looked for the practical co-operation and help such as could be offered by every citizen.

The speaker of the evening was delayed and Rev. Mr. Ayers held the floor until his arrival, speaking strongly in favor of backing up the

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REVELLERS MERRY ON TWELFTH NIGHT

Judge Avery Mounts Throne as Mighty King of Misrule

Joyous Assemblage Throw Care to the Wind With Laughter and Dancing

In the throne room of the mighty King of Misrule all was hushed expectancy. It lacked but a few moments of the eighth hour, when would be ushered in the revels of the twelfth night, the merriest time in all the year.

Eight o'clock strikes. Silence. And then clear and high sounds the bugle's note. The Twelfth Night Revels have begun and for the time the place called Music hall is the throne room of a mighty king and queen, a chamber of enchantment, of music and mirth, a place where revelry is all powerful and where sadness and weariness dare not show their gloomy faces.

There entered the beadle, instigator and centre of all merriment. This office, so essential to the success of the revelry, was held by the same man who has held it during the four years observance of the day in Quincy, Delcevare King. In this his fifth year Mr. King out did himself and never permitted joyous merrymaking to faiter.

The gentlemen and ladies of the court were escorted to their seats on the throne platform. Distinguished indeed were these mighty personages, grouped about their merry magesties. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mr. and Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ward Whitcher, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Ellsworth, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble. To the left of the throne as one looked foward it was a stand where sat the lords and ladies of the Land of Misrule.

Hark. The Bugle call. Enter the populace in the grand march, led by the two little babes in the woods, Misses Kitson and Adams. Amazingly intricate were the windings of the procession. Faster and faster played the orchestra, swifter and swifter came the steps, until the throne room, as one looked down upon it, was a seething mass of many colors, never quiet, weaving in and out in eternally new combinations.

A task indeed for the two little babes in the woods was the leadership of the grand march. But the beadle with his wand was ever at hand, guiding lightly but surely. The swirling collection of colors, 250 or more there were of the populace in the land of Misrule—at length came to a stop and individuals could be distinguished. The beadle was there, in his magnificent black clothes and cape. And also were there men and women, young and old, and neither young nor old, dressed in costumes of all sorts and ages. Spaniards there were, and Arabs, cavaliers, colonial gentlemen and dames, Indians, Dutch, beautiful houris in Persian dress, pierrots, clowns, monks, sailors and many others, for in the land of rule no age, sex or nationality is barred, save only the sad and the gloomy.

The beadle mounted half way up the steps to the throne and standing there delivered the proclamation which formally opened the revels. He said:

HEAR YE! HEAR YE!! HEAR YE!!!

By virtue of my office as Beadle of this Town and Parish of Quincy, I call upon all ye people to draw near and harken to this the Proclamation of the annual and ancient Revels of Twelfth Night.

This is the night of all nights when mirth and melody, when gaiety and gladsomeness shall prevail. Tonight the ordinance of curfew is suspended. Tonight it is given to linger and to laugh. Let there be rhymes and revellings, let there be dancings and doings. Let the knights meet in their joustings. Let songs of love and songs of mighty deeds be sung. Let the youth and maiden join hands and let the old folk with approving eye behold their joy. Let no man or maid be sour or mien or of austere countenance, for if any be found who enter not right merrily into the spirit of this ancient festival, he or she may be hailed before the King of the Revels for such penalty as is meet. And be it known by these presents and my presence that now ensueth the ancient ceremony and rite of choosing the King and Queen of the Revels. According to custom hallowed by long usage let the Great Cake be brought forth, the Cake of huge girth and most Christian and savory smell, the Cake in which the Bakers thereof have hidden in the right part a ring of red gold and in the left part a Boston bean, both cunningly marked; and let her whom Fate decrees to find the ring, and him whom Fate decrees to find the bean, be robed in the historic robes and crowned by Father Christmas. Then shall we all render due homage with low obeisance and the gay and gladsome Revels shall proceed before their majesties and in the presence of us all.

Now let the Great Cake appear! Now let the festivities proceed!

The cake, the great cake comes. Two wild men, a terror to behold, were the bearers of the magic cake within which were the bean and the ring. These wild men, it is whispered were in ordinary life Bruce Saville and Paul Larkin.

The beadle took his sharp sword and cut the cake distributing the pieces. Then it was announced that the king and queen had been found, Judge and Mrs. Albert E. Avery. The honor of being king and queen upon such an occasion was too great to run the risk of mistake, so the baker, William Edwards, was summoned. He examined the bean and the ring and assured the beadle that they were the same as those which he had placed in the cake when he baked it.

The bugle sounds again.

Into the hall marches the royal procession. In the lead are the two court officers, Carle C. Lane and Alexander B. Ewing. Then come the heralds two by two, Maurice Ogden, Walter Burke, Laurance Sturtevant and Charles Price, followed by the acolytes bearing flaming candles, Rogers Burgin, Frank Johnson, Walter Nicoll, Fred Atwood, Hugh Ewing, Chester Bennett, Karl Pfaffmann, Frank Sargent, Fred Rasmussen and Clark Saville.

Then come the crown bearers, the one bearing the crown of the king, the other of the queen, upon a red cushion.

A shout, a joyous shout, and the king and queen themselves enter the hall, robed in the royal robes, with their trains carried by Donald McKay and Tom Burgin.

At the steps to the throne the procession is met by his highness, the cardinal, Father Christmas. Carroll W. Bill filled this important office with distinction, investing the ceremony of crowning the king with just the proper combination of impressive solemnity and joyous absurdity. The crown having been placed upon the royal brow of the king, the latter then crowned his queen and their majesties took their seats.

His majesty then addressed the loyal subjects. He said:

The king's speech to his loyal subjects follows:—

A lucky chance, that oft decides the
fate of mighty monarchs,
Has placed these golden crowns upon
our heads—
But, hark you sirs:—
"All that glistens is not gold"
Nevertheless, I thank your Highness,
And am right glad to catch this gay

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ANOTHER RELIEF CALL COMING.

There are people other than the Belgians to knit for now.

Americans may not find it so appealing or so romantic the call for aid from Italy. They have failed to appreciate the dire need of Poland, which has been overrun quite as completely as Belgium by armies, and by armies which took along threshing machines to harvest the Polish crops.

Possibly because Poland has no clever press agents, nor any figures of world prominence.

But it is hoped that the earthquakes sufferers of Italy will find America as ready to assist as Belgium has. The exact extent of the Avezzano disaster is not yet known, and may not be for weeks. It was months before they learned that 77,0000 people were killed by the Messina earthquake in 1908.

Blessed is America! (It can't be said too often.) Free from war and pestilence and everything disastrous except calamity howlers. Let us show that we appreciate our blessings and with impartiality extend charity to less fortunate peoples.

THE RENDING OF EUROPE.

What will be left of Europe when the last page on the 1915 calendar is torn off?

One of the very few countries free from the catastrophe of man's own invention has been visited by a calamity over which man has no control.

Spain, Sweden, Norway and Greece alone of the countries of size on the vari-colored European map are free from disaster, and the first month of the Black Year is scarcely more than half passed.

"See America First" advertisements won't be necessary this summer. American students will have to content themselves with libraries and museums on this side of the Atlantic. "Society" travelers and post-card tourists will also ask for sympathy—and may get it.

Europe is a very old home. It appears to be tumbling and repairs will take a long time.

Meanwhile (every editorial must have a moral) let us keep our newer home in clean and sound condition.

Ex-PRESIDENT STONE.

When ex-Mayor Stone retired from the presidency of the July 4th celebration association the association lost an energetic president. But for his personal work the celebration in some of the past years would have fallen through.

Mr. Stone, however, is still interested in the celebration movement and believes that it is money well expended as it not only keeps Quincy people at home but attracts many from adjoining towns. The fires and accidents have been reduced to a minimum.

There was a great hurry to get the order through the city council changing the pole location on Hancock street between Granite and School streets, but there does not seem to be much of a hurry about getting them set. One reason for the delay is doubtless the bad weather.

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Important Advance Is Made by Russian Forces

NICHOLAS HAS A NEW ARMY

Eight Hundred Thousand to a Million Men In Northern Poland Co-operating With Army Advancing In East Prussia—Soissons Continues to Be Scene of Heaviest Fighting on Western Front—Paris Military Circles Think Germans Cannot Get Any Nearer Paris or Coast Towns—Russians Harry the Turks

London, Jan. 16.—The latest official reports from the Russian general staff disclose a new operation on the part of the Russian army which may have far-reaching results.

Starting on their New Year, the Russian cavalry commenced a forward movement in northern Poland on the right bank of the lower Vistula river and have reached Skrawa river, some forty miles east of the German fortress of Thorn, West Prussia, driving a small force of German cavalry and infantry before them.

It is believed that Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, intends to use an entirely new army consisting, according to Petrograd dispatches, of from 800,000 to 1,000,000 men, in this region, operating in conjunction with an army which is advancing in East Prussia.

This army would place the German troops at Mlawa in a vise and at the same time threaten the rear of the Germans in front of Warsaw. The lattre still are making occasional attacks on the Russian line and, according to a Berlin report, have taken a Russian vantage point northeast of the Rawa river.

The most important effect of this move is that the Russians have apparently cut entirely through the left wing of Field Marshal von Hindenberg's forces, and have not only isolated the German army under General Francois at Mlawa, which was threatening Warsaw from the north, but are now in a position to menace the main German army before Warsaw in the rear.

Germans Trapped?

Thorn has hitherto been the chief source of supplies and reinforcements for von Hindenberg's armies, and if the Russians can cut across the Vistula at the point they now hold, they will virtually cut off the Germans' chief line of communication.

Details of the present sweep down the Vistula are embodied in an official war staff statement from Petrograd. The Germans were driven back in two sharp battles, the first occurring at Siepec, on a branch of the Skawra, about twenty miles north of the Vistula, where a fierce cavalry engagement was fought. The second was at the fords of the Skrawa, where the Germans made a stubborn defensive stand, from which they were finally dislodged and driven across the river.

In East Prussia the Germans were repulsed in an attack upon the Russian position at Loetzen, a point of prime strategic importance on the main railroad line of Konigsberg, the great gulf of Danzig port.

This is the first intimation in the Petrograd official dispatches that the Russians had succeeded in getting a foothold on this railway, and indicates that the East Prussian drive has advanced so far as to present a serious menace to German movements in the easternmost of their provinces.

On the Western Front

Both German and French official reports indicate that the momentary advance of the Germans north of the Aisne river in the vicinity of Soissons has been halted. French troops have recaptured St. Paul, a town a mile and a qarter north of Soissons, although they have as yet been unable to retake Crouy, the place about which the severest fighting took place.

General Joffre is hurrying reinforcements to the field, and Soissons continues to be the centre of the heaviest fighting on the western front. It is the most important and the fiercest conflict since that around Ypres in the first German dash for Calais.

It is reported from Paris that no fear is felt in military circles that the German effort at Soissons has any chance of succeeding. Even if the allies should lose possession of the city itself, it is not considered possible that the Germans will be able to hold it or to get any nearer Paris or the coast towns. The French retirement, it is asserted, was necessary because of the floods along the Aisne, and no further withdrawal is looked for.

Two hundred refugees from Crouy who reached Paris reported that the battle for that town was exceptionally violent and that very large forces of men were engaged on both sides.

Although the French are now on the south side of the Aisne as the result of the destruction of bridges they still hold bridge heads on the south bank, and are in an excellent position to draw over their main forces again as soon as the waters subside.

Entrenchments have been constructed on the south side so that the Germans will have no success if they attempt to follow up their present advantage. It is stated that the number of troops now concentrated around Soissons is the largest at any point on the entire front.

Russians Continue After Turks

The Russians continue to harry the Turks, who made a stand on the borders of Trans-Caucasia after their recent defeat, and claim to be capturing many prisoners.

The Russians also are making new dispositions in the province of Azerbaijan, Persia, which the Turks have promised to evacuate as soon as the Russians leave the province and the Persian heir presumptive reaches Tabriz. The governorship of the province of Azerbaijan is an appendage of the heir presumptive.

BAIL WILL BE ACCEPTED

Plan For Freeing Neutral Vessels Which Are Held by Great Britain

Release on bond of ships detained in British prize courts will be permitted by the British government if the judge of the court is willing, according to a statement issued by the British embassy at Washington. The statement says:

"While they cannot give a pledge that all ships now in prize courts will be released on bail being offered, because the decision must rest with the judge, his majesty's government, in order to relieve a shortage of tonnage, are anxious to withdraw ships as little as possible from the carrying trade and will, therefore, not oppose release on bail of ships now in prize courts if bail is offered.

"Only seven neutral vessels are at present in prize courts and five ships are detained in the United Kingdom in addition at this moment for examination as to character and to destination of her cargo. One of these will probably be released almost immediately and no one of them is under the American flag."

KAISER GETS A JOLT

Full Company of French Soldiers Near Him Proved to Be Prisoners

The Cologne Gazette prints a letter written by a German soldier who is serving on the western battle front regarding a visit made by Emperor William in the trenches. His majesty, the soldier says, was in the best of spirits and in good health. The writer continues:

"He made a splendid speech. He told us that when in the Argonne he went to a cave and inspected conditions there and drank wine with an artillery officer. When the emperor was engaged in the cave he was startled to see a full company of French soldiers passing, and he drew back instinctively. His surprise only was dispelled when an officer remarked: 'They are only prisoners, your majesty.'"

PLAN TO HELP ALLIES

Effort Being Made In Japan to Raise a Volunteer Army Corps

The promoters in Japan of what has been called the "volunteer movement" have issued a manifesto at Tokio in which they announced their intention of dispatching an army corps to Europe. To this end they are appealing to both Japanese and foreigners for funds.

The manifesto says that as Lafayette helped the United States and Garibaldi helped France, so the Japanese wish to assist the allies, Great Britain, Russia and France, to terminate the misery of war and restore peace to the world.

CARRANZA GETS WARNING

Must Not Confiscate Mexican Oil Wells Owned by Foreigners

Washington, Jan. 16.—The United States government has sent a warning to General Carranza, pointing out that "serious consequences may follow" his threatened confiscation of foreign-owned oil plants in Tampico.

This announcement was made by Secretary Bryan after the latter had conferred with Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, and representatives of American oil interests.

Already the Carranza officials have virtually enforced an embargo on the exportation of oil by a large English company.

A LACK OF EVIDENCE

Hyde and Mrs. Hanson Set Free In the Richardson Case

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 16.—William J. Hyde and Mrs. Marie Hanson, held as accessories in the death of Miss Irene Richardson of Arlington, who died from an alleged illegal operation, were freed by Judge Almy when their continued cases came up for a hearing in court here.

This action was taken after the Cambridge police said the evidence in the case had been presented to the Suffolk and Middlesex county grand juries, and no-bills returned against the couple.

Wilson Gets Immigration Bill

Washington, Jan. 16.—By a vote of 227 to 96, the house adopted the conference report on the Burnett immigration bill. It was sent immediately to the White House.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Vice Admiral Sir George S. Nares, R. N., retired, died at London. He was born in 1831.

George C. Allen, traveling salesman, choked to death at Leominster, Mass., while eating a pork chop.

Police Inspector Gilbert H. Angell of Boston police headquarters died following a stroke of apoplexy.

BRIEFS

The Universalist Mission Circle meets Monday afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. H. A. Lombard of 16 Elm place.

At the Wollaston Young People's Religious Union meeting in the Unitarian vestry tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Georgiana Cushing Lane is to give an address upon "Early Religious Symbols." The public is cordially invited.

Rev. F. H. Steensira, Miss Paddon and Archibald H. Briggs are delegates from St. Chrysostom's Sunday school to the ninth annual missionary Sunday school conference at Pilgrim hall, Boston, Monday afternoon at five o'clock.

A class in parliamentary law, complimentary to the members of the Quincy Women's club, is to be started Monday afternoon at half-past two at the clubhouse, under the auspices of the Legislative committee of the club. The lessons will be held every fortnight.

Edwin French of Memorial Congregational church assisted Rev. T. W. Davison at the communion service in the First Church of Squantum Sunday. The growth and stability of the Squantum church have been beyond the expectations of the most optimistic.

The stereopticon lecture by Rev. Lawrence A. Wilson of Butte, Montana Sunday evening brought an unusually large congregation to Memorial church. Mrs. Wilson has the culture of the east with the breeziness and adventure of the west which made a combination pleasing to the audience

A new Ladies Circle has been formed among the ladies of the Universalist church. The officers are: President, Mrs. R. G. Reed; vice-president, Mrs. J. F. Hyland; secretary, Mrs. J. M. Harris; treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Lombard; directors, Mrs. Eliza Holton and Mrs. Elisha Hobart.

Atlantic is looking forward to the first grand minstrel show of the Quincy club. The six talented end men include, Kip Young, Dwight V. Gearwar, James S. Butler, Robert Kinneburgh, Clarence Pendleton of Atlantic and James MacDonald of Quincy, who has appeared in several shows in Quincy, including the Y. M. C. A. last spring. Frank Spicer will be interlocutor and ten of Atlantics most attractive young ladies will form the front row of the chorus of fifty voices.

The next meeting of the Parents and Teachers' Association of the Quincy school will occur Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the School hall. The people of Atlantic may anticipate a delightful evening as Rosewell B. Lawrence secretary of the Appalachian Mountain club will give an illustrated talk on "A Trip to the Hawaiian Islands." The views will include both the outward and homeward trip across the continent thus showing some of the beauties of our own land as well as those of the Paradise of the Pacific. The public are invited.

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VERSES TO OLD CHURCH

Mrs. Annie E. Welch of Galesburg, Ill., has composed a poem upon the Old Unitarian church of this city, which she knew as a girl. Mrs. Welch is a granddaughter of George and Abigail Baxter Faxon who lived in Quincy.

MEMORIES OF THE OLD CHURCH.

As I look upon the picture of this church,
So quaint and old,
The memories thronging through my mind,
Bring back my days of gold.

I see the dear old people
From their homes each Sabbath fair,
With quiet tread, and sober mien,
Walking to worship there.

I see myself, a little child,
From School street walking slow,
With hand close clasped in Grandmother's,
As down the hill we go.

Upon its walls were published,
The bans that made them one,
My Fathers, and my Mothers,
Just seventy years agone.

I see the grand old broad aisle,
With pews on either side,
My ancestors all worshipped there,
In Sunday garb and pride.

I see them in the cushioned pew,
Each stately sire and dame
Their memories will forever live,
Though they are but a name.

And now though may miles away,
Far in the distant west,
The thoughts the Old Church bring to me
Are brightest and the best.

LARGE WHIST PARTY.

English Ivy lodge, Daughters of St. George entertained eighty at a whist party after its regular meeting in Clan MacGregor hall Friday evening. There were 19 tables in play and the souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. William Westland, Mrs. W. Belyea, Mrs. Mary Campbell, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. Howie and Charles Howie

KATHERINE E. EVANS.

Katherine E. Evans, the five year old daughter of Mrs. David Evans died at her home at 84 Copeland street Friday after a short illness. The funeral will be Sunday afternoon from the home.

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WOLLASTON W. C. T. U.

Hold Special Meeting in Vestry of Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Wollaston Women's Christian Temperance Union held their regular monthly meeting in the vestry of the Wollaston Methodist church Thursday afternoon, Mrs. George Crothers, the president, presiding. Mrs. Isaiah Sneath, led the devotional services, after which Mrs. Crothers introduced Mrs. Wesley Wiggin, president of the Beverly W. C. T. U. Mrs. Wiggin read an in memoriam of Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens and Mrs. Edwin A. Roberts sang a solo after which Rev. Wesley Wiggin of Beverly, a former pastor of the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church, gave a stirring address.

The audience sang a hymn following which Rev. George M. Bailey, the present pastor of the Wollaston church spoke.

Mrs. Crothers emphasized the work of the Loyal Temperance Legion which is carried on under the leadership of Mrs. Frisbee of Boston and Mr. Goodspeed principal of the school. Some of the children were present and who took part were Stanley Sutermeister, Myron Lane, Elizabeth Morgan spoke and Edwin Perkins sang. There was an exercise entitled "The Welcome to the Prohibition States." M. Francena Crothers introduced the states. Harvey Taylor was standard bearer, Ione Higgins crowned the states. The states were impersonated by Louise McAdams, Hazel McAdams, Doris Lewis, Vera Longmire, Edith Marr, Mildred Noyes, Eleanor Wright, Della Harding, Mildred Atwood and Elizabeth Morgan. The exercises closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," after which chocolate and cake were served.

ORGAN RECITAL.

In First Parish Church Sunday Afternoon at Four O'clock.

There is to be an organ recital Sunday afternoon at a quarter after four o'clock in the First Parish church by William Ellis Weston, the regular organist of the church. The program has been chosen to please everyone and it is hoped that many will take advantage of this opportunity to hear good music under such unusual conditions. The program will be as follows:

Grand Chorus	Guilmant
Liebeslied	Harker
Fantasia in C minor	Dunham
Adagio (from 4th Symphony)	Widor
Andantino	Dubois
Vision	Rheinberger
Rhapsodie (Christmas themes)	Gigout

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for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

In view of the great increase in the activities and usefulness of the Hospital, it is very desirable that there should be a large attendance at this meeting.

WARREN W. ADAMS, Clerk.

Jan. 9-7t



Mr and Mrs. James H. Stetson were missed from the Reveis last evening. They have always taken an active part in these festivities; one year being the stately king and queen. Illness of Mr. Stetson kept them at home, although the illness is not serious.

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Mrs. B. F. Thomas of Billings street entertained her brother from Nova Scotia this week.

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Mrs. A. W. Whitney who recently visited her son Clifton of Atlantic street has returned to her home in Hartford, Conn.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Wilkie of "The Prescott," Spear street returned Thursday from a business and pleasure trip to New York and are now on a trip to Portland, Maine.

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Mrs. Clarence B. Underwood and Miss Josephine Underwood returned this week from Haddon Heights, New Jersey, where they have been spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bush Bradford.

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Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Winer, nee Nina Bates, are settled in their attractive new home on Monroe road which has been building for them during the fall and early winter months.

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Mrs. David L. Philips of Reading formerly of this city, was the guest at luncheon today of Miss Beatrice Morrison, Edgemere road. Both are members of the young women's bridge club which met this afternoon with Miss Louise Abercrombie of Elm street, Braintree.

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Mrs. Redfern of Nova Scotia is spending the winter with her aunt Mrs. Pickett of Botolph street.

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Mrs. H. H. Barber of Lakewood, R I., has been the guest of her daughter Mrs. J. F. Davidson of Newbury avenue.

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Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice P Spillane of Elm street will be glad to learn that Mr. Spillane's health is improving in the bracing air of Saranac lake in the Adirondacks. They go for a forty-minutes walk each morning and evening. The thermometer there has been registering 30 below zero.

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Edward C. Wales of Newton street quietly observed his seventy-fifth birthday Monday, Mrs. Wales entertaining a few out of town relatives in his honor.

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Mrs. George F. Bailey of Gloucester is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Arthur Stanley of Elm avenue.

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The second meeting of the Criterion club was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert H. Hall on Faxon road. High scores were made by Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Alvah Beede The club has elected two officers this year, the business meeting being held before cards were started, at the home of Mrs. William N. Stetson, Jr. of 8 Davis street, Wollaston Friday Jan. 8. This was the first meeting of the club. Mrs. Frank Robinson of Somerville was elected president and Mrs. Stetson secretary in the year 1915. The club has three new members this year Mrs. Frank M. Spicer, and Mrs. Rodney F. Clark of Atlantic and Mrs. William N. Howard of Wollaston. Other members are; Mrs. Albert H. Hall Mrs. Alvah Beede, Mrs. William Hersey, Mrs. George Grueby, Mrs. John Burke, Mrs. John Lilley, Mrs. Everett Swan and Mrs. William N. Stetson, Jr., all of Atlantic and Wollaston; and Mrs. Frank Robinson of Somerville. The next meeting will be next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Spicer.

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Friends and neighbors of Ralph L. Lovell of Edgemere road will greet him this evening on his return from New York for a few days visit. Mr. Lovell was formerly employed at the Fore River plant but for some months has been filling a position in New York.

PLAN A LAWYERLESS COURT.

Chicago Has Scheme to Reduce the Cost of Suing.

A court of convenience, where the people may plead their own cases, has been established in Chicago as a branch of the municipal court, Chief Justice Harry Olson announced. Its aim will be to simplify justice and reduce the cost of "going to law."

"No lawyers will be needed to obtain justice," Judge Olson said. "The complainant will present his own case, and the defendant will voice his own defense.

"Technicalities will be eliminated from decisions, and much injustice may be averted."

The court will at first consider cases in which amounts less than $50 are involved. Later its scope will be broadened.

STYLES MAKE FOR IDLENESS.

Capricious Women Blamed In Part For Unemployment Problem.

Speakers at the sessions of the national conference on the unemployed in Philadelphia made these among other suggestions as to ways by which workers could have steady employment:

American women should help to provide steady employment for thousands of workers by being less insistent in demanding ever changing styles. Miss Juliet Stuart Poynset of Boston, the speaker, said that caprice on the part of women who refused to wear last year's dresses and hats made it impossible for manufacturers to provide steady employment for their workers because they never know what to make until the last minute.

NOW FISHING FOR CATS.

This Is the Latest Municipal Industry In Atlantic City.

There have been so many cat operas and back fence serenades in Atlantic City, N. J., of late that peaceful slumber is next to impossible.

The city fathers have decided in consequence to war on toms and tabbies, and fish peddlers have been ordered to the front. These peddlers will go about the streets wailing, "Fresh feesh, fresh feesh!" and the cats are expected to appear, leap on the peddler carts and have nets thrown over them.

The cat catchers will get 50 cents for every tom and tabby brought to the pound.

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SOUTH BRAINTREE

Albert Call of Williams avenue is recovering from his recent severe illness.

Thursday evening there were 81 telephone lines in town disabled by the storm and not working.

Dr. Edward W. Gould of Boston was the guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Bates of Union street.

Wednesday Mr. E. A. Fisher of Central street received news of the death of his oldest sister Mrs. Martha Marsh of Waltham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman of Union street are proud parents of a daughter born Friday night January 8.

The plate glass window in the machine shop of M. A. Haskell on Summer street was blown in and smashed by the gale Tuesday night.

Miss Ethel McEwan formerly of this town but now of Lewiston, Maine, was in town this week renewing old friendships.

Miss Mabel Bird of Central avenue leaves Monday for Deland, Florida, where she will remain for three months.

A joint meeting of the married and single women's sodalities of the St Francis church will be held in the church tomorrow afternoon.

Patrick Gannon has resigned his position as engineer at the Rice & Hutchins factory and his place has been taken by Oren F. Trott of New Hampshire.

John M. O'Connell of Boscobel street general manager of the Rice & Hutchins factory, has been confined to his home by illness this week but is reported as much better.

Stephen B. Gammons, the popular merchant, cut his right hand badly while at work in his store Saturday, just missing an artery. Dr. Dame was called to dress the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fisher of Central street attended the banquet and installation of Reynolds Post and Corps of East Weymouth, Tuesday evening.

The new club house of the Pond Street Athletic Association on Pond street is practically completed and the members are anticipating much pleasure when they occupy their new quarters.

The body of Mrs. Ruth A. Hobart of Brockton was brought here Saturday and buried in the Pond cemetery. The funeral was attended by members of W. R. C. 94 of which Mrs. Hobart was a charter member.

George F. Mansfield of Plain street a member of the South Braintree Gun Club shot a fox Saturday afternoon after trailing Reynard from Sputh Weymouth to the Randolph line. This is the seventh fox killed this winter by club members.

At the regular whist party given by the members of the Braintree club at their rooms this week souvenirs were secured by Mrs. Charles Cavanagh, Miss Avis A. Thayer, Mrs. Sadie Blanchard, Charles Cavanagh, Benjamin Perly and Fred Kohler.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Men's club connected with the South Congregational church will be held in the chapel at the conclusion of the supper next Wednesday evening. Matters of great importance to the club will be discussed.

Have you seen the attractive calendars being distributed by C. S. Hannaford? They contain a complete list of the fire alarm boxes and a fine picture of Chief Tenney of the fire department at the wheel of the auto chemical.

The officers of Braintree Grange, P. of H. were installed Monday evening by Walter E. Morris, P. D. of Medfield assisted by Miss Kisbro Burton, L. A. S. of the local grange. Afterwards a turkey supper by a committee of which Mrs. Moses T. Dyer was chairman.

Thursday evening, District Deputy Grand Master Harry L. Chase of Tremont street and suite installed officers at Massasoit lodge I. O. O. F., Brockton. Last evening he performed similar rites for the Brockton lodge I. O. O. F. also of Brockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barnes of Pearl street are receiving congratulations because of a son born on Tuesday. He is named Norman Edward Barnes.

The members of the Pond Cemetery Association met Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. C. Harrison Hobart of Washington street They are preparing for their annual sale and entertainment.

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REVELLERS MERRY

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occasion—most thoroughly to be enjoyed.

"Winow well my thoughts and you will find them light as chaff that flies before the wind."

My Lords and Ladies fair: I am the King of Misrule—
For this one night I say with you—
"A curse on all laws" but those which the worthy Beadle has made—
Still, I charge ye, keep "O' the windy side of the law"
For there is always a morning after the night before—
Drink sparingly of the cider which kind fortune has provided,
And eate not the hole of the doughnuts.

My loyal subjects, I do now promulgate this my will and pleasure
Yield implicit obedience to the Kingly man who is placed in authority over these festive revels.
Join with him in the enchanting yet perplexing mazes of the dance;
Similate with him the graceful trot of the wily fox—
Execute with him the joyful waddle of the halting duck
The bunny-hug is not, however, come il faut.
And now with all this license, pray conduct yourselves with such propriety that—,
"No discerner durst wag his tongue in censure"
Even though he be an inhabitant of that gay Bohemia which lies to the west of Goffe Street.

So, "Merrily sing, and sport and play"
Until the sun brings forth the day.

Heartily were their majesties welcomed to their kingdom by their loyal subjects. The famous obeisance of the revels, the low bow, three times repeated, with arms extended into the air, was impressive to say the least. Their majesties appeared greatly affected. Even more affected were they by the shake of welcome, wherein each reveller extended both hands over his head and clasped them with pleasing cordiality.

Then came the singing, led by the beadle, assisted on one occasion by Jack Phillips, dressed as a clown. All of the 10 were good, some more tuneful than others perhaps, but all entertaining. But none had the appeal of the famous marching song of the British army, Tipperary. Tipperary was the favorite with the singers and with the "gallery gods." Tipperary was the favorite music for the dancers and was repeatedly encored.

There advanced the Princess Una, Mrs. James H. Slade. She was at her best and her singing was much enjoyed. The populace frantically applauded and she advanced in obedience to their wishes. Suddenly the noise died away and a dread silence fell on the assembly. Some person who had happily retained some possession over his faculties screamed a faint warning to the fair lady. She turned, tried to flee and knelt, half fainting, on the floor.

Steadily there comes toward her a fearful, crawling beast, green in color and of huge size. Nor heaven nor earth has such a beast. It is the fearful beast of the age that is gone, the dragon. The beautiful lady would make but one luscious mouthful. Alas. Wait. Hope is not dead.

Into the room dashes St. George, gallant and brave. Fearlessly he approaches the beast. His bright sword, is everywhere. A lunge, the sword pierces a vital spot, and the dragon lies in his dying agonies on the floor. With a look at his fallen foe St. George, none other than Councilman Slade, picks up the fair damsel and strides from the room. The beadle calls for the sailors, and these brave lads, college mates of Jack Paffmann and Paul Blackmur at Harvard, carry the dead dragon out of the hall, where it suddenly assumes the appearance of Fred Thayer of Wollaston.

Then there was dancing, and after dancing there was a real Twelfth Night banquet; Sandwiches, doughnuts, cheese and cider. An then there was more dancing. With midnight came the famous confetti battle, Confetti and streamers made the hall a veritable fairyland, with its walls laden with evergreen.

It was a merry, merry party, acknowledged by all to be the most successful ever held by the civics committee of the Quincy Women's club. And the Quincy Revels have a reputation, too, as was amply attested Friday night by the presence of many guests from out of the city and indeed from out of the state.

To the civics committee much cred it belongs. The committee in charge was composed of: Mrs. H. H. Kitson, chairman, Mrs. J. D. MacKay, Miss Georgianna C. Lane, Mrs. W. H. Doble and D. King. Music was furnished by Poole's orchestra, dressed in brown jerkins and by the Herford chorus of the Arlington street church, Miss Marion Smith, soloist. Miss Lane was in charge of the decorations and of the arrangements for the procession.

THE PROGRAM.

Bugle call.
Grand Procession of Populace.
Proclamation by Beadle.
Entrance Great Cake and Bearers.
Cutting of Cake by Beadle.
Distribution of Cake.
King and Queen discovered.
Bugle call.
Coronation procession of King and Queen, Acolytes, Crown-Bearers, Train-Bearers and Father Christmas.
Father Christmas crowns King and Queen.
King speaks to Populace.
Youths and Maidens sing and dance.
Troubadours and Cavaliers in song and rhyme.
Court Jester makes fun contagious.
Clowns bring laughter with antics.
St. George frees a beautiful maiden from a terrible Dragon and kills the Dragon.
Populace in rollicking choruses.
Revellers take partners for Portland Fancy.
Procession to the Banquet hall.
Feasting.
Dancing.
Confetti Battle.
12 P. M. Revelry ceases.

Those present and their costumes were:

Mrs. E. W. Sheppard, Court Lady
E. W. Sheppard, Court Gentleman
Miss Grace Eaton, Irish Peasant Girl, Brookline
G. Hillman Eggleton, Cowboy
Mrs. Maude B. Eggleton, Indian Girl
Mrs. J. A. Dasha
John O. Holden, Sailor Boy
Mrs. H. R. Holden, Flower Girl
Mrs. William M. Adrian
William M. Adrian, Mandarin
H. R. Holden, Court Costume
Miss Theodoria Park, Hoopskirt
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bingham
S. R. Ripley
Mrs. S. R. Ripley
Mrs. H. Gerrish Smith
Miss Macfarlane
Mrs. E. G. Manning, Spanish
E. G. Manning, Jester
Miss Lydia Djerf, Spanish Dancer
Fred M. Atwood, Acolyte
T. King
John S. Pfaffmann, Sailor
S. W. Holt, Sailor
Miss Marguerite Davis, Gypsy
Elmer F. Ricker, Monk
Miss Hattiemay Mitchell, Pierrotte
Mrs. Edward L. Mitchell, Pierrotte
Percival C. Grey, Chinese Mandarin
M W. Elmer
H. G. Smith
Miss Sue Rice, Red Riding Hood
Miss Irene Potterton, Dutch Girl
Roys E. Wodward, Mephisto
Edward L. Mitchell Jr., Indian
Ralph White, Pierrot
John E. Green, Monk
Mrs. John E. Green, Spanish Maid
Ira M. Whittemore, Tramp
Mrs. F. H. Meyer, College Girl
F. H. Meyer, Old Fashioned Deacon
Mrs. Hattie Gurney, Spanish
Mrs. A. M. Parker
H. W. Rice
V. P. Bangs, Turk
Mrs. V. P. Bangs, French
A. G. Macomber, Jr., Italian peasant Brookline
Mrs. A. G. Macomber, Spanish Dancer, Brookline
Miss May G. Nichols, Gypsy, Brookline
Ethel E. Roache, Wood Nymph
E. B. Mandigo, George Washington
Frederick H. Smith
Mrs. C. A. Price, Mother Hubbard
Fred G. Rollins, Bellboy
Katherine P. Read, Clown
Mrs. Mary J. French
Warren G. Ogden, Attendant to Cardinal
Miss Anna W. Witham, Spanish
Loyol R. Safford, Tommy Atkins Before
Harold V. Seavey, Turk
Miss Joyce Buchanan, Turkish Lady
Miss E. M. Lovejoy, Egyptian
Miss Mabel E. Lovejoy, Greek Maiden
L. D. Williams
Mrs. L. D. Williams
Mrs. Warren G. Ogden, Kate Greenaway Girl
Helen C. Pierce, Spanish Girl
Frederick F. Johnson, Acolyte
Alvah H. Pierce, Spanish Gentleman
Miss Rebecca Bird, Batchelor Button Flower Costume
Mrs. John H. Johnson
Barbara Johnson, Night
F. V. Sargent
Paul R. Cooms, Jester
Louise Churchill, Folly
Mrs. Helen J. Hunt, Japanese
Laurence E. Pope, Black Yoma
Carroll Bill, Cardinal, Braintree
Charles E. Decker, Sea Captain
Miss Phillippe, Russian
Miss Lillian Newman, Empire
F. Wendell Boyden, Clown
George H. Field
Mrs. R. E. Woodward, Russian
Paul Larkin, Herdsman
C. C. Lane, Court Officer
Sherman Brokaw, Clown
L. F. Loring, Persian
Miss Miriam Chase, Persian
Mrs. Ida F. Waterhouse, Court Lady
Miss Lillian Waterhouse, Spanish Girl
Miss Clara E. Noyes, Minnehaha, Elmwood, Mass.
Mrs. George H. Wilson
Albert D. Parker, Middy Suit
Miss Edna Thomas, Turkish Costume
Edward Avery, Turkish, Braintree
Natalie Saville, Colonial
Norma Johnson, Colonial
Mrs. F. J. Pierce, Bohemian Girl
Mrs. George D. Emerson, Spanish
Miss Edith Timmerman, Pierrotte
Ryder Gay, Pierrot
Richard E. Allen, Gypsy
Mrs. George B. Leonard, Gypsy
F. W. Webber
Miss Emily Gallagher, Clown
Mrs. H. M. Faxon, Colonial
Henry M. Faxon, Colonial
W. H. Doble, Court Gentleman
Mrs. W. H. Doble, Court Lady
Miss J. Eleanor Whittemore, Swiss Maiden
Henry H. Faxon, European
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Russian
Chandler W. Smith, Gentleman in waiting.
G. R. Jameson, Buster Brown.
Mrs. J. W. Spence, Rockland, Mass.
Miss Spence, Rockland, Mass.
Mrs. Thomas Lacey.
Mrs. L. H. Sturtevant, Fancy.
Mrs. W. S. Pinkham, Queen of Flowers.
Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, Lady in Waiting.
Miriam Faulkner, Breton peasant, Keene, N. H.
Ruth Faulkner, Japanese, Keene, N. H.
Arvin Page, Farmer.
Fred S. Boyden, Monk.
Mrs. A. C. Demarie, Bo Peep.
J. Brooks Keyes, Russian Monk.
Lauriat Lane, Sailor.
Mrs. J. Brooks Keyes, Russian Peasant.
George H. Newcomb, sailor.
Mrs. Fred S. Boyden, Princess.
Miss Susan Avery, Gypsy Maiden.
Miss Dorothy Avery, Camp Fire Girl, Braintree.
Miss Katherine Kemple, Camp Fire Girl, East Braintree.
George S. Schools, Sailor.
Helen J. Schools, Turkish.
Mildred A. Smith, Turkish.
Miss Irene C. Dasha.
Carroll Wright, Boy Scout.
Mrs. H. S. Loud, Egyptian Princess.
Dorothy M. Stevens, Egyptian.
John Kingman, Sailor, 75 Windsor road, Brookline.
H. S. Loud, Egyptian.
Miss Charlotte Burgess, Peasant.
Master Rydon Burke, Page.
James H. Slade, St. George.
Mrs. James H. Slade, Una.
Florence Stratton, "A Woman of Warfare," Dorchester.
E. M. Ellsworth, Sailor, Cambridge.
Mrs. Charles Barron, Priscilla.
Charles Barron, Uncle Sam.
Miss Vera E. Burke.
Walter B Binnian, Boston Chinaman
Miss Katherine G. Thomas, Lady of the First Empire, So. Orange, N. J.
James H. Flint.
Mrs. James H. Flint.
H. A. Ewing, Acolyte, Brookline.
A. B. Ewing, Acolyte, Brookline.
Mrs. Freemetta Sheppard, Japanese
Axel G. Nelson, Jack.
Mrs. Axel G. Nelson, Jill.
Mrs. J. B. R. Pettee.
Mrs. M. E. Tisdale.
Mrs. C. R. Safford, Summer Girl.
Chester Bennett, Italian.
Peverill Wariner, Crown Bearer.
Miss Beatrice Morrison, Turkish.
William P. Thompson, Monk.
Mrs. C. E. Decker, Colonial.
E. H. R. Gardiner, Colonial.
Mrs. H. M. Fowler, Colonial.
Alvah D Sims, Mexican.
Miss Dorothy Brokaw, Quaker.
Esther R. Adams, Wood Nymph.
Marion Edwards, Indian.
F. K. Lincoln, Cowboy, Boston.
Dorothy Kingsbury, Queen of Hearts
E. I. Whittemore, Artist.
Richard W. Sprigings, Chinese Costume.
Miss Clara Bushnell, Dutch Costume
Mrs. Arthur P. Homer, Minnehaha.
A. P. Homer, Whispering Smith.
Alva Morrison, Braintree.
J. B. Clark, Colonial Gentleman Dorchester.
Miss Ethel Gordon Hersey, Turkish.
Miss Josephine Horton Smith, Jenny Lind.
Morton Smith, Colonial.
Fred S. Werd, Soldier Norwegian Brookline.
Caro Kingmen, Norwegian. Brookline
Mrs. C. C. Lane, Dutch.
Andrew Deane, Torreador.
Luther Bennett, Italian Boatman.
Richard Blackmur, Jucatana.
Mrs. F. Lincoln Flowers, Little Red Riding Hood, Braintree.
F. Lincoln Flowers, Astrologue, Braintree.
Miss Gladys Taylor, Flower Girl, Braintree.
Marie Bass, Camp Fire Girl.
Ruth Bass, Jockey Girl.
Maurice A. Blackmur, Numidiana Peasant.
Mrs. J. J. Crain, Japanese, Wallingford, Conn.
Mrs. W. E. Burke, Norretta.
W. E. Burke, Acolyte.
Lowell A. Norris, Sir John Manners.
Ruth V. Bruce, Dorothy Vernon.
Clark Saville, Acolyte.
Priscilla R. Bigelow, Pierrot, Brookline.
Mrs. Homer L. Bigelow, Costume of 1836, Brookline.
Homer L. Bigelow, Costume 1836, Brookline.
Homer L. Bigelow Jr., Riding Togs, Brookline.
John D. Mackay, German Dragoon.
Mildred Gray Huston, Turkish lady
Albert Edling, Clown, Roslindale.
Alexander W. Wright, Dutch Boy, Dorchester.
Clara Emma Seavey, Dutch Girl, Dorchester.
William G. Seavey Jr., Dorchester
Miss Olive Roberts, Springfield.
Thomas Lacey, 145 Grand View ave.

GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

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Jan. 12-7t

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

HOLD ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

The Corinthian Club held its annual dancing party in Alpha hall Friday evening and the attendance was unusually large with many from out of town. The club members are the summer occupants of the "Come and Go Cottage" at Houghs Neck.

The floor directress was Miss Helen Gagan, president; Miss Helen Olsen, vice president; Miss May Galvin, treasurer, and Miss Bertha Cote, secretary.

CITY HALL NOTES

The chairman of the Board of Health was observed this morning studying the words of "The Garbage Gentlemen's Ball." He is thinking strongly of joining that city stable chorus.

"Mose" Brown, "Zeke" Sargent, Walter McKenzie and Harry Tirrell. They make a pool team that is hard to beat.

About the only officials at City Hall who most everybody agrees will lose their official heads the first Monday in February are the assessors.

In order to complete that group of photographs in the Mayor's office that of Joseph L. Whiton should be added. Joe was only mayor three months but he had a strenuous time.

Mayor Campbell has ordered that the ice on the Fore River reservoir which has become rough, be flooded.

Miss Mildred M. Estes has been added to the temporary clerical force in the tax collectors office, to help out in the making of tax collectors deeds.

Under the new system of auditing an accounting in vogue at City hall it is proposed that the several departments shall be given a certain sum, to be known as petty cash, with which they will be able to purchase small supplies with the necessity of placing the amount on the treasurer's warrant. Under this system when a department has used up its petty cash on hand it will turn in vouchers for the sums paid out. All supplies calling for an expenditure of $200 or more will have to be advertised and let out on bids.

Dock and Water Front Commissioner Frank Fessenden Crane was in conference with Mayor Campbell Friday afternoon on the public dock question.

It is understood that the city auditor will make his annual report in print this year. This method was given up last year as the report appears in the annual city book, but it is understood that some of the councilmen are desirous of having the report this year before the annual budget is passed.

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FORE RIVER LEAGUE MATCHES

All the matches in the Fore River league at the Coliseum alleys Friday evening resulted in clean sweeps for the victors. The scores ran light.

N. DEPT. 4—BLACKSMITHS 0.

N. DEPT.				
Gillis	99	81	84	264
Kennedy	85	82	114	281
Raleigh	98	92	94	284
Ryan	73	79	96	248
Westland	77	91	77	245
	432	425	465	1322
BLACKSMITHS.				
McLellan	81	81	82	244
Flanagan	72	74	88	234
Furnald	65	83	71	219
Neil	101	87	95	283
White	105	94	93	292
	424	419	429	1272

ELECTRICIANS 4—NAVY 0.

E. DEPT.				
Souden	82	79	84	245
McPhee	65	69	71	205
Ago	102	94	103	299
Smith	86	88	89	263
Malnati	94	104	104	302
	429	434	451	1314
U. S. N.				
O'Neil	81	72	91	244
Mooney	81	86	78	245
McDonnell	89	84	81	254
Cadman	83	86	91	260
Melendy	93	90	100	283
	427	418	441	1286

M. GALLERY 4—Ex-APPRENTICES 0

M. GALLERY.				
Djerf	97	109	82	288
Morgan	97	104	85	286
Moran	67	103	92	262
George	91	88	102	281
Tirrell	101	84	97	282
	453	488	458	1399
EX-APPRENTICES.				
Wiseman	66	80	74	220
Dixon	93	80	88	261
Muir	73	67	87	227
Johnson	73	73	76	222
Ash	104	95	89	288
	409	395	414	1218

BEAT LEADER OF JUNIOR LEAGUE

Live wire excitement marked the closing boxes of the Junior league bowling matches at the Wardwell alleys Friday evening which resulted in the Kellihers beating the Swain 3 to 1 and taking first place and in a split in points betwen the Sullvans and Wrenns. Kelliher was high man.

KELLIHER 3—SWAIN 1.

Byrne	73	100	87	260
Sharkey	67	89	73	229
Barba	88	69	85	242
Little	83	104	85	272
Kelliher	102	102	81	285
	413	464	411	1288
CAPT. SWAIN.				
Dummy	75	75	75	225
Curtain	90	89	83	262
Callahan	92	70	63	225
Lacount	75	78	73	226
Swain	85	94	90	269
	417	406	384	1207

SULLIVAN 2—WRENN 2.

CAPT. SULLIVAN				
Norris	74	68	93	235
Sarno	79	81	69	229
MacConarty	75	80	108	263
Moody	63	75	82	220
Sullivan	79	69	80	228
	370	373	432	1175
CAPT. WRENN.				
Gilcoine	85	67	97	249
Griffin	86	73	78	237
Desenso	85	77	74	236
Gilcoine	74	80	80	234
Wrenn	85	76	83	244
	415	373	412	1200

The Daily Ledger is newsy every day. Are you a regular reader?

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSALHUSETTS
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 15, 1915.
The committee on Joint Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in S 22, on liability for fires from negligence; S 23, on indemnifying police for expenses in criminal prosecutions; S 70, that $6 of members of juries be authorized to render verdicts in civil actions; H 428, on statements made before trial by plaintiffs in actions of tort; H 521, on protection of purchasers of land at private sale under license of court; H 525, on more stringent penalty for larceny from the person; at Room No. 227 State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 20, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. C. Augustus Norwood, Chairman. Robert Robinson, Clerk of Committee. 16-1t

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Fred Bent is night watchman, for the present, at the Tubular Rivet Works.

Mrs. George W. Hill of Walker street has almost wholly recovered from a bronchial cold.

Owing to the storm Wednesday the Ladies of Memorial Congregational church postponed their meeting until next Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Sara Thomas who has been quite ill at her home on Granite street threatened with pneumonia is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Clark of Walker street have gone to Attleboro, where Mr. Clark's mother is undergoing an operation.

His Honor, Mayor Chester I. Campbell is to address the men Sunday at 12.15 at the Wollaston Baptist church Men having no other engagement are invited to be present.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the City Hospital of Quincy is to be held in Union hall Monday evening at eight o'clock for the election of officers and other business.

One hundred and twenty dollars for the use of tuberculosis work in Quincy is the result of the sale of Christmas Red Cross seals in Quincy during the holidays.

Miss Marion L. Moorhouse of Wollaston played two 'cello solos at the concert given this week Tuesday by the Chromatic club at hotel Tuileries, Boston.

Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra is to begin Sunday evening at St. Chrysostom's parish house a series of talks on confirmation, preparatory to confirmation by Bishop Babcock on Sunday Feb. 21.

Wednesday Rev. Merrill C. Ward of the Universalist church gave a stirring address at the Merrimac Valley conference at Haverhill, on the Universalist Evangelism. It was well received and reported in several papers as of vital interest.

Mr. Walther's men's class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion, subject, "Gideon, the Kind of a man needed today." Men invited to join this strong and growing class.

Mrs. Charles Chase and Miss Maud Briggs will be the delegates from Christ Church Sunday school to attend the missionary conference of the Sunday School Union Monday afternoon at Pilgrim hall, Beacon street, Boston.

Fragment Society of the First Parish church is to hold an all day meeting in the chapel Wednesday beginning at ten o'clock, to sew for the Belgians. Luncheon will be served at 12.30. Already two large cases of new dresses and mufflers have been sent to the Belgians through Mrs. Firth and it is hoped the members of the parish will respond generously at Wednesday's meeting.

A goodly delegation of the O. U. B. class of the Universalist Sunday school attended the state rally in the vestry of the Universalist church at Cambridgeport Tuesday evening despite the storm. The rally was preparatory to the state convention at Springfield, Jan. 29, and 30. The delegates in and around Boston have chartered a special car on the B. & A. R. R. for the trip and several are going from Quincy.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Universalist church, Rev. M. C. Ward takes up the question, "Is the world growing better?" giving a few of the most significant facts, and conclusions of some of the most eminent observers. Then he will consider how the church has met this situation, and what is its spirit in answer to the challenge of the situation. What in human duty and divine power is to meet it? Miss Sigrid Lundquist soprano, will sing and the talented violinist, Miss Edith Roubound, will play. The 4.15 Y. P. C. U. meeting will be followed by a social hour.



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SPORTING COMMENT

Hobey Baker (and six other players of the St. Nicholas team) will tackle the B. A. A. Hockey squad at the arena tonight. Baker is the Ty Cobb of Hockey.

Frank Bruce, one of the Italian runners of the city is making good progress in the equipping of a gym in Keating's block on Washington street and expects to hold indoor meets there within a month.

Woburn High school has been given a date in the Quincy High basket ball schedule and will play here Feb. 3. The organizing of the quintette was late and Manager John Hyde requested the date just in time.

John W. Cosgrove of Medford, president of the South Shore Interscholastic league, has developed a fairly strong basket ball team at Weymouth High School. It appears at High school on Feb. 19.

A year has almost passed and the N. E. A. A. A. U. has not yet announced the winners of the New England basket ball championship. As far as can be learned no sincere attempt has been made to disprove the claims of the Quincy A. A. to the title. This attitude of that organization towards Quincy sports should be severely censured. Quincy was never given anything by them in basket ball rewards until a fight was put up and now war is on the verge of being declared.

"Tack" Hardwick attended the reception tendered Eddie Mahan by his Natick townsmen and was quizzed by over 200 as to how he became champion strong man of Harvard.

Harry Carlson of Brockton, suspended by the registration committee of the N. E. A. A. A. U. for faking with "Al" Davies at the last Quincy A. A. tourney has been exonerated after an investigation.

The fans of the city are extending the hand of congratulation to John Hildebrand of the Elks subway team for they departed from custom and won three points Thursday night.

Djerf of the Nonpareils shows form at least once an evening and can be depended upon to pass a century by at least a dozen. With the Social club league bowlers following that pace records must be smashed. Can they do it?

West Quincy rollers are keenly interested in the tandem match between Dell and Olindy, stars of the Wardwell alleys and McPherson and Welsh of the West Quincy league. The former are considered the foremost small ball men in the game in Quincy. The latter have made conspicuous scores in their respective teams. The contest should be of the intense variety, with experience favoring Dell and Olindy a trifle. The former is a steady, consistent performer while the latter is apt to waste his opportunities. All told the four men should go some.

John Carter of the Board of Assessors of Revere and a prominent fan has offered a valuable cup to the winner of a bowling series of three between the Revere and Quincy lodges of Elks. One of the matches will be rolled at each city, and if a third is necessary a tossup will decide the place. On the last occasion Paul Poehler and "Red" Miller were anchors on the teams and a battle royal ensued between the men.

CAN'T BEAT OWN RECORD.

Paul Poehler came within 25 pins of his own world's record at Reading Wednesday night. Poehler got 1190 in 10 strings.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha L. Ruggles late of Weymouth in said County, deceased, intestate:
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Sarah E. Ward of said Weymouth without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy, Mass., the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 16-23-25

THE ALBERTSON MURDER

Revenge May Have Played a Part In Slaying of the Jeweler

Wakefield, Mass., Jan. 16.—The Wakefield police are inclined to believe the murder of Maurice Albertson, a Lawrence jeweler, may have been inspired by some secret blackmailing society. The way the victim was tortured has given rise to much discussion in detective circles.

It is suspected that Albertson's assassins may have been inspired with a desire for revenge, as well as cupidity. Some of the detectives who have worked on the case say it is strange, if robbery was the only motive for luring Albertson to his doom, that his murderers did not kill him at once and not bury him alive.

It is understood that the police sought information in Italy as to the records of Biagio Falzone and Ignazio Morella, now in jail under an indictment for first degree murder.

A mysterious feature of the case is that, although the most diligent search has been made for the $2000 worth of jewelry taken from Albertson when he was murdered, not a solitary piece has been discovered.

SULLIVAN IS GRILLED

Pictured as Grafter and Receiving Diplomats In His Undershirt

New York, Jan. 16.—James M. Sullivan, American minister to the Dominican republic, was pictured at the inquiry into his fitness to hold the post as having been associated with interests who, for money consideration, would guarantee to obtain profitable contracts from the Dominican government.

Asked about Sullivan's personal habits, Charles A. Butlin said he was told that the minister on one occasion received the Italian minister and the British charge d'affaires in his undershirt. It was an official call, he added.

"I can testify," interrupted Mr. Vick, who instigated the investigation, "that he received them in a disgraceful attire."

FIVE MEN OUSTED

Terre Haute Mayor Discharges City Employes Who Admitted Fraud

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 16.—Five city employes, who pleaded guilty to charges of election frauds in the federal court at Indianapolis, were discharged by Mayor Roberts.

In announcing the dismissal Roberts said that when a man pleaded guilty to a crime he automatically declares himself unfit for the city's services.

Police Chief Holler, who pleaded guilty, resigned his position before the mayor's order was issued.

THIRTEEN IN ARMY OF UNEMPLOYED

More Police Than "Soldiers" In Parade at New York

New York, Jan. 16.—Thirteen unemployed men, accompanied by more policemen than their own number, marched to the city hall in Manhattan from Brooklyn.

The handful of men was all of the force variously estimated at from 2000 to 20,000 who, accordng to announcement previously made, were to parade and demand work from the city officials at a meeting in the board of estimate rooms.

Upon arrival at the city hall the marchers were dispersed by the police. Later they reassembled in City Hall park.

A GEORGIAN OUTRAGE

Family of Four Negroes Taken From County Jail and Lynched

Atlanta, Jan. 16.—Dan Barber, his son Jesse, and Barber's two married daughters, negroes, were taken from the Jasper county jail at Monticello by a mob and lynched.

Sheriff Ezelle was overpowered by 100 men, he said, and the four negroes were forcibly taken from the jail. Their bodies, riddled with bullets, were found on the outskirts of the town.

LIFE TERM FOR MURDER

Sentence of St. Denis, Who Took Life of His Wife at Manchester

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 16.—John O. St. Denis was taken to Concord to begin a life sentence at the state prison for the murder of his wife in this city. He was sentenced in the superior court in this city.

St. Denis retracted his plea of not guilty, and changed it to guilty as indicted, which was murder in the first degree.

Two Charged With Murder

Winsted, Conn., Jan. 16.—Arthur Pfeffin and Isaac N. Williams are under arrest here, charged with the murder of Hubert B. Case. Case was struck down in his store at Barkhamsted with a wagon axle, and died of a fractured skull.

Architect Killed In Fall

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 16.—C. M. Dissoway, a New York architect, who had been supervising the erection of the new Y. M. C. A. building here, was killed by falling three stories from a staging on the building.

Queen Has Scarlet Fever

Madrid, Jan. 16.—Queen Victoria has contracted scarlet fever and is under the care of the court physician.

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INSTALLATION L'UNION FRANCO

The newly elected officers of L. Union Franco-Americans were installed Wednesday evening at Hibernian hall, West Quincy, by Mrs. Urbal Brunet assisted by Mrs. J. Gosselin. A large crowd, including guests from out of town, were present. After the installation whist was enjoyed for an hour. Souvenirs were awarded to the Misses Josephine and Lea Savoie. After the whist a social time followed in which dancing was enjoyed until 12. During the dances solos were rendered by Lea Savoie and John Brunet Refreshments were served by a committee from the society

The officers installed were:
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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

L LaRose, physical director, who has been ill for the last few weeks is recovering slowly. He has the well wishes of his many friends who are interested in him and it is hoped he will be able to return to the building before long.

J. C. Melville, who is at present taking Mr. La Rose's place on the floor is making friends rapidly. He is trying hard to keep the different classes in shape during Mr. La Rose's absence and with the backing of the fellows is making good.

Our basket ball teams play out of town this Saturday evening when they line up against the fast Cambridge 1st and 2d teams.

Robertson of our 2d team, who suffered a dislocated shoulder blade from the game played at Newton a few weeks ago, is getting into shape rapidly and hopes to be able to play against Newton next month.

The games to be played at our gym should prove interesting as the Makaria teams are making a good showing these days. They will line up against two fast teams, the games to commence at eight o'clock.

Saturday evening at six will be served the regular monthly "Bible Class Feed" for the boys. About seventy are entitled to attend and as the committee have worked hard this is sure to be a success.

January 20th the boys are to have a chance to show their father what they have here as on that date will be served the Third Annual Father and Son Banquet to which the boys have been looking forward for some time. Invitations have been sent out to all the boys in the membership of the Boys' Division.

Beside the supper which is to be served at six-thirty the evening will be spent in listening to short talks by Association men and a brief address by an out of town speaker followed by athletic games in the gym. A large number of the fathers are expected with their boys and this should prove a very delightful time for all. Music will be furnished by the Wollaston Cadet Orchestra.

The boys all enjoyed Brewer Eddy our speaker at the Saturday morning meeting last week as shown by the large number we had out at that time. This week stereopticon pictures are to be shown a story which will interest all the boys.

The Junior class in the Gym is much interested in the new teams which have been selected on the floor and already they have started out in earnest to see which team is going to win the penant. Princeton with Herbert Hendry were the winners of the first series of games which came to a close at the end of last year.

PRESENT JEWEL.

Mrs. Minnie Campbell, one of the most active and popular members of Reliance Rebekah lodge, was pleasantly remembered at the installation of her successor as noble grand on Thursday evening and was presented with a past noble grand jewel. The presentation was by Mrs. Carrie E. Richardson of Somerville, district deputy grand master.



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DECLARES ARMY IS INADEQUATE

Lodge Says Nation Offers an Invitation to Attack

ADEQUATE DEFENSE NEEDED

Can Be Secured by Dropping Unnecessary Appropriations "Where Votes Are Thickest"—Unable to Offer Resistance to Highly Organized Military Machine In Case of Invasion

Washington, Jan. 16.—"Unarmed, unready, undefended, the United States offers a standing invitation to aggression and attack, and the idea, still popular or used for purposes of oratory by some people, that we can meet all dangers by springing to arms when the moment comes, is a dream so wild that it would be grotesque if it were not tragic."

This was the statement of Senator Lodge to the senate in urging the adoption for an inquiry into the military preparedness of this country.

"I want an adequate national defense and, speaking broadly, I care little what it costs if we can obtain it," said Lodge.

Lodge called upon congress for an adequate national defense, declaring the blame for the present weakness lay largely with the national legislature, which had disregarded the advice of secretary after secretary on the matter of defense.

In its present condition the army and navy, he said, are lamentably weak and unbalanced, but the money unwisely spent for unnecessary appropriations for sections of the country where the votes are thickest would suffice to provide an adequate protective force for the country without adding a burden of extra taxation.

"In these days of rapid movement and swift communication," declared Lodge, "what possible resistance could be offered to a military machine, organized to the highest point of efficiency, by an untrained people springing to arms which they have not got? The ocean barrier which defended us in 1776 and 1812 no longer exists. Steam and electricity have destroyed it.

"Our army today is neither properly balanced, properly proportioned, nor properly equipped. It is also clear that we have no reserves to draw upon for the support of the regular army in case of war. These reserves should be created. No one would think of suggesting either conscription or compulsory service for this purpose, but the end can be obtained without either.

"I do not believe that virility, patriotism and courage are so dead in the United States or so narcotized by commercialism and the talk of professional peace advocates that we could not get 500,000 young men, or five times that number, under proper conditions, to make themselves fit and ready to come to the defense of the country whenever the country was attacked.

"What I have to say of the regular army is true of the militia. It is unbalanced, it is insufficiently equipped, it requires the careful and liberal attention of congress.

"It is also true of the navy. It is strong in certain directions and very weak in others. In some important particulars it has little or no equipment.

"No matter what the reasons may be for our lack of aeroplanes in both services, the deficiency ought to be supplied. If the manufacturers cannot make them, we should make them ourselves.

"It is quite possible that the nations now fighting in Europe have not got the best conceivable type of aeroplanes, but they have large numbers of them which are formidable and effective, and which seem to answer every purpose."

Lodge then advocated the enlistment of mechanicians to run the machines at salaries high enough to attract them to the service.

"An army or navy without aeroplanes, as we practically are today," he continued, "would be helpless, indeed, in the face of an enemy provided with them."

TO MAKE WAR OFFICERS

Measure to Establish Training Schools In Various States

Washington, Jan. 16.—In connection with the movement for a better system of national defense, discussed in the senate by Mr. Lodge, much attention is being directed to the McKellar bill to establish and maintain training schools in the several states, in Alaska and the District of Columbia.

The bill is designed to give the country an ample number of men so trained as to be fit to serve as officers in case of war. The house committee on military affairs considered the measure yesterday and some of the Democrats on the committee are much impressed with it.

The bill would result in establishing in each state a military department in connection with some designated institution which would provide a course of training in military work substantially equal to the West Point course. Federal aid to such institution would be given amounting to $80,000 for each state, the state to provide $40,000.

SUNDAY SERVICES

A new announcement of services is required each week. No notices accepted to run indefinitely. When possible the subject of sermon should be given, also special services. Generous space will be given in the news columns for church news, music and week day gatherings.

FIRST PARISH IN QUINCY (Unitarian)—City Square. Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, Miller Stile Inn, Tel. 21072; office hours at church 9 to 12 A. M. Monday, Wednesday and Friday Tel. 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon by the minister: "Temptation." Sunday School at 12 noon. Miss Minnie Packard, Supt. Organ recital at 4.15 P. M. by Mr. William E. Weston. The public invited.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Message by the Rev. John H. Quint, D. D. of Chelsea. Bible School at 12, classes for all ages. Christian Endeavor at 6. 7.30, Pleasant Sunday evening service. Lecture by Rev. John H. Quint, D. D.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Life." Golden Text: "With thee is the fountain of life; in thy light shall we see light." Wednesday 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M. week days, Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M. holidays excepted. Also Wednesday evening before and after services.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH—Electa Hall Johnson building, Hancock street, Quincy Meeting at 7.30 P. M. Mrs. S. V. Odlorne conductor. Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough will give an inspirational lecture on "Charity." Mrs. S. V. Odlorne will give messages. All welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Quincy Point, Rev. Stephen C. Lang pastor. 10.45 Morning Worship. Subject of sermon; "A Man Rejected at Home." 12 noon, Bible school and Young Men's Class. 6.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30 P. M. Evening Praise service. Subject of sermon; "Prophetic Messages." The pastor will preach Sunday morning and evening Thursday 7.30 P. M. People's hour service Public cordially welcome.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Washington Street, Quincy. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor; Residence 62 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain. Telephone Jamaica 1950. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Preaching by the pastor at 3 P. M. Theme: "The Spirit of the Church." Y. P. C. U. at 4.15, followed by social hour.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.45. Evening prayer at 7.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Franklin street, Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Residence 26 Richie Road. Preaching Service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Witnesses of His Glory." Sunday School at 11.45. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Subject: "Tests of My Christianity." Matt. 10:16-31. Leader, Pastor Tilley. Evening Service at 7 Subject: "Moving Pictures of Our Lord." The Annual business meeting of the church will occur on Tuesday evening at 7.30. Regular prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Water and Quincy Streets. Rev. Mr. Campbell of Paulding, Ohio, candidate for pastor will conduct the services. Morning worship 10.30. Bible school and mens class 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30. Italian services Sunday at 9.30. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. Rev. I. J. Romolo, Italian minister.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner of School and Pleasant streets. Rev. D. B McLeod, M. A., pastor. Residence 40 Bradford st Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 and by Rev. J. C. Martin at 7.30. Sabbath school and Bible class 11.45. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Week of Prayer will be continued next week at 7.30 P. M. leading up to Communion on Jan. 24 at 7.30 P. M.

ST. PAUL'S SWEDISH M. E. Church—Corner Granite and Fort Streets Quincy, Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor. Residence 121 Glendale Road Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Ambassadors for Christ." Sunday School at 12 M. Union services with the Swedish Congregational and Baptist churches at 7 o'clock. Rev. A. G. Sporrong will preach. All Scandinavians are cordially invited.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Brewers Cor. Rev Paul Hallin, pastor Residence 101 Glendale Road, Sunday school 9.30 A. M. At 10.45 A. M. sermon by the pastor. At 7 P. M. union service at Swedish M. E. church, Granite and Fort streets.

SWEDISH MISSION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Garfield street, Rev. A. G. Sporrong, pastor, 14 Euclid avenue. Tel. Quincy 1483-M. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Young peoples class led by the pastor. Morning service 10.45, sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Jesus and Zaccheus." 7 p. m Union evangelistic meeting in Swedish M E. church.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy, Rev. P. S. Neldon, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall Place. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. Epworth League devotional service at 6.00 P. M. Leader, Miss Bessie Nicholls. Subject: "League Study Classes." Evening service at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Junior League Monday at 4 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL—Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues, Rev. Isaiah W Sneath, Ph. D., pastor. Res. No. 20 Marion street Tel. Quincy 1116 M. "The Children's Hour." at 10.45 A. M. Sunday, for children whose parents are attending morning service. Morning Worship 10.45 sermon by the pastor. "Devotion and Doubt." Sunday School at 12.15. Mr. Charles A. Campbell, Supt. Men's Bible class led by Dr. Sneath. Women's Bible class led by Mrs. A. A. Lincoln. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Topic: "Why Jesus Came." Luke 4:18. Leader, Marjorie Johnson. Intermediate Endeavor at 4.30. Topic: "Make Bold Beginnings." Leader, Ruth Higgins. Christian Endeavor at 6 Topic: "Favorite Character of the Bible and Why?" Psalms 105. 1-45. Leader, Charles Campbell. Thursday evening at 7.45 in the vestry the regular mid-week service led by Dr. Sneath. Topic: "Religious Current Events." Acts 15-1-32

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. Prospect and Warten avenues. Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.15. Elford L. Durgan, Supt. Lesson subject: "Call of Gideon." Classes for all ages. Mayor Chester I. Campbell will speak in the Men's Department. Junior Endeavor, 3.30. Mrs. Joseph Walther, Supt. Subject: "Why Jesus Came" Leader, Elford Durgan, Jr. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Subject: "Make Bold Beginnings." Leader, Samuel T. Drew. Evening service at 7. George B. Huntington Secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society will speak on some interesting things connected with the Foreign Mission Enterprise. Everyone invited.

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ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hancock street. Wollaston—Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 1320 Hancock street. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. 6.30. Confirmation Instruction 7.30 Evening prayer and address.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. Morning service 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "What do we mean by the Peace of God ruling in the heart." Sunday School at 12.00 M. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Senior Endeavor at 6. Evening service at 7 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

FIRST CHURCH OF SQUANTUM—Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor. Sunday School exercises at 3 P. M. Preaching service at 4 P. M. Sermon by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary D. Dame late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Harry H. Brown of Jersey City in the State of New Jersey who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

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Guests were present from Milton, Mattapan Randolph, Braintree, Weymouth, Neponset, Holbrook and Brockton. Music was furnished by Wilson's five piece orchestra. Dancing was enjoyed until 12 o'clock.

The program consisted of eighteen numbers and each dance called for an encore. Refreshments were served by a committee of young men from the society. The floor was in charge of Thomas F. O'Brien, president of the society, assisted by Joseph R. McGilvray vice president and the following aids: Lawrence Donovan, Harold Kennedy Edward Joyce, Dennis Manning, Leo Garity, John Flaharty, Thomas Buckley and John Sheahan.

LIEUT. EVANS GOES TO PANAMA.

The U. S. S. Vestal, a repair ship of the navy, sailed Friday from Charlestown Navy Yard for Panama. Among its officers was Lieut. Joseph Evans of Quincy, formerly of the U. S. S. Marietta, who was assigned to the Vestal this week. Lieut. Evans is in charge of the engineering crew.

BIRTHS

MacDOUGALL—In Quincy, Jan. 15, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm A. MacDougall of 4 Town Hill street

DEATHS

BARRY—In West Quincy, Jan. 14, Thomas beloved son of Joanna and the late Richard Barry, age 30 years.
Funeral from his late residence 19 Willard street, Monday, Jan. 18 at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at nine o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Gloucester. Kindly omit flowers. 15-2t

CHEVERIE—In Commonwealth Hospital, Boston, Jan. 14, Isabella, beloved wife of Fidelus Cheverie of 19 Lancaster street, Quincy. Notice of funeral later.

FRYE—In Quincy, Jan. 16, Joseph F. Frye, aged 71.

EVANS—In Quincy, Jan. 15, Katherine E., daughter of Mrs. David Evans of 84 Copeland street, in her fifth year.

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Oneto, rb	lf, Davis Browne
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Latter, lb	

Score, R. H. S. 26 Q. H. S. 14. Goals from floor, Blodgett, Orr 4, Webb Oneto 3, Brodbine 2, Davis, Welsford, Crosscup, Hamlin, Beaton 2.

Goals from fouls Welsford 2, Oneto 4, Referee Coady. Scorer Roache. Timer Drummy. Time 1-15 and 2-10. min. periods. Attendance 200.

Q. H. S. 2nd	R. H. S. 2nd.
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Morrison, lf	rb, Hall Hodgson
Desmond, c	c, McCarrish
Baker, rb	lf, McCabe
Prout, lb	rf, Rampell
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Score Q. H. S. 2nd. 15, R. H. S. 2nd 10. Goals from floor Morrison, Favreau 2, Desmond, Rampell, Hartnett 2. One point awarded Quincy for interference.

Goals from fouls Baker 6, McCabe 4 Referee Coady. Scorer Roache. Timer Drummy. Time one 15 and two 10 min. periods. Attendance 200.

JOSEPH F. FRYE.

Joseph F. Frye aged 71 years, died this morning at the home of his daughter Mrs. Luther W. Glover of Goffe street. Mr. Frye had been in poor health for some time.

MAKARIA VS. WATERTOWN.

The Makaria quintette meets the Watertown Catholic Club at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. The regular basket ball men of the local boys will be in the contest.

HOLD WHIST PARTY.

An enjoyable whist party was held Thursday evening by the Montclair Woman's club in the Improvement association hall. Souvenirs for the best scores were awarded B. B. Taylor, Joe McCabe, Mrs. Rose Berlo and Miss Frances Berlo. Dancing followed the whist tournament and ice cream and cake were served. The next meeting will be held on the evening of Jan. 28.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Eva Anderson on Thursday afternoon gave a party in observance of the 14th birthday of her daughter Constance. Fifteen schoolmates of the young women at Woodward Seminary attended. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments served.

HOLDS WEEKLY MEETING.

The Chickatawbut Social club held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Theodore Minahan on Rustic place. Edward Flaharty was admitted to membership. A social hour followed the business meeting. Music was furnished by "Ted" Monahan and William Sheahan sang several selections.

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THOUSANDS ARE BURIED ALIVE

Earthquake Horror Grows as Reports Continue to Come In

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List of Injured In Disaster Which Exceeds All Previous Ones of Like Character In Italy May Reach 100,000—Most Hardy Rescuers Moved to Tears at Grim and Ghastly Sights—Population of Two Cities Almost Entirely Buried—Government Officials Meeting Emergency With Courage—People Imprisoned In Living Tombs Vainly Implore Aid From Helpless Survivors

Rome, Jan. 16.—Every hour swells the casualty list of the earthquake disaster. Official and unofficial reports reaching Premier Salandra, in charge of the relief work, shows that towns heretofore believed immune have suffered. The latest estimates of the dead say that at least 30,000 were killed by the earthquake. The list of injured may reach 100,000.

The minister of public works, who is at the scene of the disaster, wired Salandra that every city, town and village in the Lira valley has been damaged, with many of the inhabitants dead and wounded.

King Victor Emmanuel pronounces the disaster the worst of all earthquake horrors in Itay's history, even including that of Messina.

Frantic efforts to rescue thousands of people from living tombs among the ruins of fallen buildings continue and serve for the time being to distract attention from the appalling list of the dead.

The rescue work was grim and ghastly enough to tax the courage of the most hardy of the rescuers and at times so pathetic as to move them to tears.

Often after digging for hours to rescue a moaning sufferer in the debris they would see the unfortunate victim die soon after being taken out into the open air.

Thousands Die In Agony

The rescue work in Avezzano and Sora showed that thousands died in agony in their living tombs among the debris. This was shown not only by the appearance and attitude of some of the dead, but by the large number who were still alive and crying out for relief as the rescuers worked.

The earthquage wrought its most terrible effects in Avezzano and Sora, and in both places the collapse of buildings was so complete that almost the entire population of both places were buried in the ruins.

The estimate of the number of dead in Avezzano was at first given at about 10,000, but several hundred of those supposed to be lost were taken out alive. Several of those died since being taken out and many more will die, for almost all were greviously wounded.

In Sora the conditions as regards the completeness of destruction were about the same as Avezzano, but as the rescue work did not start so early or on such an extensive scale the number rescued alive is expected to be much smaller.

Every effort is being made by the government to cope with the dreadful conditions resulting from the catastrophe, but in spite of all that can be done it is feared that hunger, exposure and disease will claim many more lives.

Bad Weather a Handicap

In some sections of the devastated territory severe cold and deep snow are proving a terrible handicap, making it difficult to remove the injured or to send food and shelter to the homeless and hungry.

The government officials are meeting the emergency with a courage and fortitude worthy of all admiration, and with a self-reliance which refuses any public relief from foreign countries. Private relief from individuals and organizations such as the Red Cross will be welcomed, but the Italian government does not wish to be placed before the world as unable to care for its own people.

This was the reply given United States Ambassador Page when he proffered aid from the American people, though it was intimated to him that his offer was highly appreciated.

King Victor Emmanuel has been working night and day in the midst of the most harrowing scenes.

Pope Benedict, too, has been doing everything possible to aid in the emergency and his offer of the Santa Marta hospital, with its thirty beds, for the use of the injured is much appreciated by the authorities.

Many trains brought additional injured to Rome and every hospital in the city, many hotels and a large number of tent hospitals are filled with survivors of the disaster.

Tent hospitals have been established in many of the stricken towns, and everything possible is being done to relieve the sufferings and necessities of those who survived.

Automobiles containing members of the Roman aristocracy left Rome at intervals, carrying relief stores to the earthquake victims, especially clothing, food, milk and chocolate.

William Marconi, who returned to Rome from Avezzano on board the train with King Victor Emmanuel, declared that words were insufficient to describe the horrors he had witnessed. The town had been absolutely levelled, he said, and those of its populace who escaped death in the disaster were now destitute.

"King Victor Emmauel told me," said Marconi, "that he had visited the scenes of all the earthquake disasters in Italy since he was a child, but that this one surpassed all others, even including Messina. The king said the survivors of Avezzano were only between 2 and 3 percent of its population, while in Messina one-third of the people escaped."

The people of Avezzano, according to Marconi, have abandoned efforts to take the bodies of the dead from the wreckage and are giving their entire attention to trying to rescue the living who are prisoners in the debris.

The catastrophe was of such vast proportions, Marconi added, that no organization of men could possibly have done anything to give immediate relief. The people were in despair at their powerlessness to render aid to those whose voices cried out for assistance from their places of entombment.

"During the first day of the disaster," Marconi continued, "the rescuers were so few that they could not even attempt to excavate at places from which cries of distress came, and planted poles here and there at such spots, hoping to return later with with adequate forces of men to effect the release of the imprisoned persons.

"When, however, would-be rescuers did arrive most of the voices had been stilled and the poles were merely markers of spots under which dead lay."

Prior to his departure Marconi said he endeavored to organize small parties of men to attempt to extinguish fires which had broken out at several points in the debris and which, he declared, undoubtedly had burned some of the pinioned victims to death. The difficulty of fighting the flames was almost insurmountable because of insufficient water and lack of pumps.

VIEW OF ROME.

Typical Italian Buildings, Like Many of Those Lost; St. Peter's In the Distance.

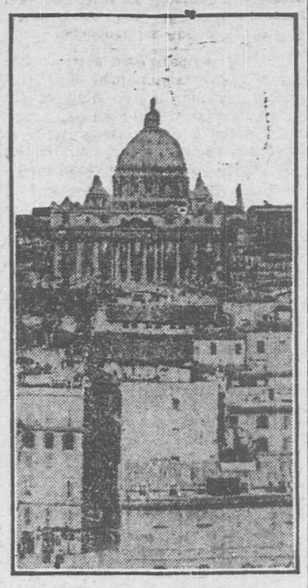


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GIVEN A LONG JOB READING THE BIBLE

Unusual Sentence Imposed Upon a Los Angeles Thief

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 16.—Harold Lane, 20, entered the county jail to remain there thirty days, and during that time he must read the Bible from cover to cover.

The sentence was imposed by Judge Wilbur when Lane appeared in court to answer a charge of violating the provisions of a probationary sentence.

Lane took a number of Bibles from a local church. The judge told Lane he could choose between going to the county jail for thirty days and studying the Bible during that time or going to the penitentiary for several years. Lane preferred the jail.

Schooner Is Abandoned

New York, Jan. 16.—The schooner John W. Dana of Boston, Charleston to New York with a cargo of lumber and a crew of nine men, was abandoned and waterlogged about ninety-six miles north of the Diamond Shoals lightship.

Sullivan Owns Lawrence Club

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 16.—Joseph P. Sullivan, a part owner of the Lawrence club of the New England league, became sole owner of the club by his purchase of the stock held by Daniel Noonan.

Unstable.

He—You look to me older than you said you were. She—You can't expect me to remember age. Why, it's altering all the time—Fliegende Blatter.

BRAINTREE

Miss Marion Thayer has resumed her duties as teacher in Chatham.

Mrs. Katie Kelley of Quincy has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. John Mahar of Jersey avenue this week.

Braintree people are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. Fay, the undertaker of Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Hall of May avenue returned Friday from a two days' visit in East Walpole.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett of Randolph were recently entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Frazer of Jersey avenue.

Mrs. R. S. Bates held a secretarys' meeting at the home of Mrs. Andrew Cully, North Weymouth, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Qualey is at home after a delightful visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. de Montemar of Brooklyn, New York.

Rev. William D. Wilkie of Athol will preach Sunday morning at All Souls' church. Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

Letters remain in post office for: Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. Elizabeth Frasier, Harry Hawes, George Washington Stewart.

Ex-Alderman Charles S. Tenney with his wife and daughter and City Treasurer J. J. O'Rielly, all of Brockton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cone of Sherbrooke avenue.

Thomas Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Sears of Mt. Vernon avenue was taken to a Boston hospital Monday morning for an operation and treatment.

Archie Carson paid a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Carson, of Hollis avenue, before going to Europe on an important commission for the Allis Chalmers Co.

The Pythian Sisters held another whist party in K. of P. hall Wednesday evening. Souvenirs were captured by Miss Grace Hollinshead, Miss Ida Dutton, Leo Tracey and W. S. Dutton. Consolations went to Mrs. Carrie Brown and Fred Bennett.

Thursday evening at the Cochato club, Braintree, teams four, five and six in the gentlemen's Boston pin tournament made good scores. The totals were four, 1331, five, 1322, and six, 1249. Team four scored 5 1-2 points, five 5 points, six 1 1-2 points.

Mrs. H. Sands Burgess of Braintree who was at the Kincaide theatre last week had five encores at the closing of her act Saturday and received a beautiful bouquet of pinks and roses from the Kincaide theatre and two from friends.

EAST BRAINTREE

Curtis Raasch of Roslindale was the guest of Mrs. Paul Raasch Sunday.

Louis Pitts of Shaw street has resumed his duties at the Fore River shipyard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Watson left Friday morning on a trip to San Francisco, where they will spend a month.

Miss Amelia Raasch of Shaw street was confined to the house Wednesday with tonsilitis.

Miss Alice Emerson spent the past week with her sister Mrs. A. E. Burnham of Central Falls, R. I.

Mrs. C. O. Miller entertained twenty-five delegates from the Friendly Aid Association Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hollywood were called to Chester, Penn., on account of the death of Mrs. Hollywood's mother, Sunday morning, Jan. 10.

Mrs. William Drake entertained at auction bridge Wednesday evening. Mrs. J. G. Spear won the first favor. Dainty refreshments were served and a pleasant evening enjoyed.

At a meeting of the G. Y. G. C., club held at the home of Miss Violet Smith on Quincy avenue, Monday evening it was voted to donate two dollars to the Friendly Aid Association.

Mrs. Annie Long, aged 78, of Factory Hill, died at the home of her brother John Shaw in Lowell, Friday morning. It is expected that funeral service will be held from her late home Sunday.

A large number of people from this section attended the cantata "The Tale of Old Japan," given by the Weymouth Forum at Fogg's Opera House, South Weymouth, Friday evening under the direction of Mr. Calderwood.

William McCarty enjoyed a five day furlough at the home of his sister, Mrs. Franklin P. Whitten this week. Mr. McCarty was sent to Vera Cruz some six months ago and was taken sick with malaria. He was removed to the naval hospital at Philadelphia and is still under the doctor's care, although his condition is rapidly improving.

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URGES CLUBS

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mayor that we have elected.

In a forcible and magnetic manner Mr. Liggett outlined the commerce of today as compared with that of 20 years ago. He presented many solid facts and humorous analogies, concluding with a business boost for Boston.

"Business relations have altered in the present day," said the speaker. While it was formerly the jobber who dealt with the retailer, today the manufacturer and the retailer are getting into closer contact and by co-operation labor is getting more recognition. Better wages are being paid and better service is being demanded and attained.

"In the last three weeks it has been my own experience that a wonderful wave of prosperity has started which in the next two or three years is destined to sweep over this country. It behooves us to clear our decks and be ready to come in with the flood tide.

Referring to the war and the misery created he said, "Although at the moment the boom started has been occasioned by the misfortunes of others yet by signs throughout the country with our development and wonderful resources we need not rely long on the misery of others for our own success."

In closing he thanked the Forum for its cordial reception and invited any interested to visit any of the plants of his organization. After a vote of thanks to the speakers of the evening and the singing of "America" the meeting adjourned.

RECEIVE CONGRATULATIONS.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm A. MacDougall of 4 Town Hill street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby daughter on Friday.

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the city council will be held Monday evening at which time reports from several committees will probably be received. These will doubtless include a report from the committee on legislative matters on the resolution asking that the mayor petition the legislature to amend the city charter so as to eliminate party designations. The finance committee is scheduled to meet just before the meeting and reports will probably be received on some of the matters which were referred to that committee. In the calendar is the order authorizing the treasurer to borrow $500,000 in anticipation of taxes which will come up for its final passage.

THE ARRIVAL OF KITTY.

"The Arrival of Kitty," a comedy, will be presented under the auspices of the Y. P. R. U. of the First Parish church on the evening of Friday, Jan. 29. The comedy was originally scheduled for the evening of Jan. 22 but was postponed on account of a conflict with the Woman's club opera "Priscilla" on the same evening. Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis is coach of the play which is said to be a scream.

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GRANTED USE OF ADAMS ACADEMY

Young Women's Club Will Equip It As Recreation House

The Quincy Young Women's Club has been granted the use of the Adams Academy for a Recreation House by the Board of Trustees of the property. This became publicly known Saturday evening when Mrs. H. Pinkham read a letter to that effect from Charles Francis Adams, 2nd, at the meeting of the club in High school hall.

The announcement was one of the pleasantest surprises the club ever received and active steps to reopen the academy after its six years of disuse are now under way.

The discussion of plans came to a close with an address by Miss Jean Hamilton, national secretary of the Women Workers' association. Miss Hamilton said that although the club had received a building, it was like an auto without gasoline. She urged cooperation of members so all could share in the results which would be sure to follow.

The proposition was presented to the trustees by a committee of members of the Quincy Women's club consisting of Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Mrs. Walter Pinkham and Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann. The grant was made with the unanimous approval of the board.

Charles Francis Adams, 2d in his announcement said that all that was reserved was the right to use the building for school purposes. The letter also mentioned the fact that the members of Paul Revere post, G. A. R., had been given the use of the building for meetings some time ago and he suggested that this privilege be extended if the veterans so desired.

Mrs. Pfaffmann this morning said the idea of a Recreation House for the girls of the city was considered some time ago and that the committee's request met with immediate favor from the trustees. She said if the heating of the building can be managed it will be used as a permanent home for the club until taken by the trustees for some other purpose.

The present plans, while not complete are to use the three rooms for various purposes, one for gymnastics and the others for the dramatic and sewing classes on two nights a week.

The Quincy Young Women's Club have been meeting at the High school and holding classes in the gym. Because the building was unheated and uncomfortable the request for the academy was made.

The meeting opened with a greeting by Mrs. H. J. Gurney of Wollaston. Miss Ethel Hobart, Massachusetts Secretary of the Woman Worker's Association, said the association was proud of the Quincy Young Women's Club. She gave instances of towns where the population was smaller than that of Quincy where girls cooperated and did great things and she hoped the Quincy organization would do the same.

Mrs. Laufiin, chairman of the Rockport lodge committee, the vacation house of the association, gave a minute description of that place and how it is conducted.

Miss Minnie Packard, president, in presenting Mrs. Pinkham gave no intimation of the valuable contents of the letter from Mr. Adams. The news was received with applause and cheers. During the meeting Miss May Stevens of Atlantic gave two piano selections.

An informal good time in the gymnasium followed the meeting. Miss Amy Fallon presided at the piano for dancing and refreshments were served by Miss Carlena Walker, Miss Mildred Martin, Miss Lora Churchill and Miss Isabelle Rogers.

The ushers of the evening were the Misses Gertrude Bullock, Hannah Sandberg, Ruth Farmer, Sadie Berman Ciara Goodwin, Harriet Waterhouse, Ruth Bass, Sadie Abrams and Lydia Djerf.

Pledges were distributed and will be the basis of the campaign to be waged to increase the number affiliated.

The evening was in charge of Miss Minnie Packard, chairman, Miss Ruth Bass, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann and Miss Edith Mullin.

THAYER NOTES.

Last Saturday afternoon two interesting games of basket ball were witnessed by about 200 at Thayer. The girls' game was played first, with the Cohasset High girls, at two-thirty. The lineup yas:

COHASSET		THAYER
Miss Jason rf		lg Miss Gallivan
Miss Doris lf		
Miss Hyland lf		rg Miss Field
Miss Bowser c		c Miss Bianchi
Miss Forates rg		lf Miss Platts
Miss H. Jason lg		rf Miss Piercy

Score Thayer 31, Cohasset 11. Goals from floor Miss Platts 7, Miss Piercy 6, Miss Doris 2, Miss L. Jason 2. Goals from fouls Miss Piercy 5, Miss Highland 3. Referee Miss Fessenden. Timer Leonard. Umpire Miss Nichols. Attendance 200.

The girl's game was immediately followed by the boy's game with Weymouth High in the boy's gym. The line up:

WEYMOUTH		THAYER
Condrick rf		lb Hanson
W. Whittle lf		rb Greeley
Deane c		c Leonard
Richardson rb		
Dwyer rb		lf Cole
		lf Bower
P. Whittle lb		rf Thompson
		rf Bates

Score Weymouth 27, Thayer 20. Goals from floor W. Whittle 6, Hanson 4, P. Whittle 3, Bower 3, Deane 2, Leonard 2 Condrick, Bates, Richardson. Goals from fouls, Deane. Scorer Cate. Referee Sumner. Timer Reed. Time 15 and 20 minute periods.

MAY CHANGE CUP RULES.

The deed of gift of the Quincy Challenge Cup may be changed so Class R sloops can race for the trophy as a result of the interest in sonder races dying out.

The trophy is the only perpetual challenge cup actively contested for in Massachusetts Bay. It was first offered by the Quincy Yacht Club in 1898 for yachts restricted only to 21-foot water line. In 1906 the deed of gift was changed to allow sonders to race for it but that class dropped off last season. It is the belief of yachtsmen that the sonder will pass the coming summer.

Class R sloops are considered the only class suited to take their place and will surely be the class favored when the change is made. The Quincy Yacht Club donor of the cup, and the Boston Yacht Club, present holder are the ones who will have the say if the change is made.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Probably rain or snow Tuesday. Colder by Tuesday night.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.09
Sun sets	4.41
Length of day	9.32
Moon sets	9.24
High water, A. M.	1.45
High water, P. M.	2.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 26 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	41 degrees
Jan. 18, 1914,	21 degrees
Jan. 18, 1913,	55 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

SIXTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Three Local Courts, F. of A., Initiate Large Class of Candidates at Meeting Sunday

SPEECHES, SONGS, STORIES

The Foresters of America of Quincy celebrated the sixteenth anniversary of the institution of the organization in this city by having a joint meeting of the three Quincy Courts; John Adams, No. 144, John Ericsson, No. 155, and Roger Wolcott, at Quincy Adams hall, A. O. H. building, Sunday.

A large class of candidates was initiated by the Degree Staff of Court John Adams. The initiatory ceremonies were excellently done and the floor work was repeatedly applauded by the 350 members present.

John Pritchard acted as chief ranger and George Clark as captain o guards.

Grand Senior Woodward Peter J Barry of Court Roger Wolcott was presiding officer and opened the meeting promptly at 2.30.

He explained the purpose of the meeting and then announced that Bro John Pritchard would preside until the initiation was concluded.

At conclusion of initiations Chairman Barry introduced Grand Secretary Wm. H. Stafford of Lowell, who complimented the Quincy Courts on the membership and condition of finances also on the very apparent unity of purpose which existed in Quincy.

Grand officers Linehan and Monihan gave short addresses. Many of the local members contributed speeches songs and stories. All the speakers had a good word for the Knights of Sherwood Forest and advised all to become members of the new organization. Sandwiches, coffee and cigars were passed. The meeting adjourned at 6.30 o'clock.

MILTON POLICE ARREST MASHER

Cost Tony $25 to Annoy Young Woman

The Milton police arrested another masher Sunday night who was fined $25. in court this morning.

The young woman complainant said that when she alighted from an electric car about 10 o'clock the man accosted her and attempted to take her arm saying that he wanted to see her home. She broke away from him but he continued to follow her until she met Officer Farrington to whom she told her experience with the result that the man who gave his name as Tony Calalfamo spent the night at the police station.

He told the court this morning that he was a married man and lived in Dorchester. When asked what he was doing in Milton he said that he was going to call on "a young lady friend" on Randolph avenue.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Letters unclaimed to Jan. 16:

Raffaele Abbate, Renzetti Aerina, Mrs. Petter Astikarnen, Thomas Burns, Howard Coleman, F. Cox, Mrs. Chester A. Dennison, George Fray, Charles Holland, Alpheris Jette, Fred Latarre, M. Lindberg, Neil McIsaac, W. McLay, Edwin Nickerson, W. R. Obbie, Edward O'Donnell, Owles Club, G. Patterson, Miss Pine, John P. Ryan, Giorge Sabatino (2), Mrs. D. T. Schofield, Fred Simpson, J. P. Smith, John B. Trapp, J. W. Wilkins, Lena Woodward.

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MOTORCYCLES IN COLLISION

Operators Thrown Heavily to Ground but Escape With Shaking up and Slight Injuries

MACHINES ARE WRECKED

Two motorcycles, one going to and the other coming from Hingham, collided on Washington street, near Foster street at 8 o'clock this morning and both operators were thrown heavily to the street but escaped with slight cuts and bruises. The machines were badly damaged.

The men gave their names as Lewis Litchfield of Hingham and Thomas Church of Wollaston. Both were carpenters and were on their way to work when the collision occurred.

The accident as far as can be learned was due to the heavy fog which completely hid a team driven on the wrong side of the street. Church was going east when the wagon loomed up suddenly in his path. He swung to the left and met Litchfield who was proceeding along the middle of the street.

The handle bars on the machine locked and both men were thrown to the street. Witnesses ran to their assistance and rendered first aid. Recovery followed quickly.

Church brought the remains of his motorcycle to the Trolley Freight Depot for shipment and Litchfield's is being repaired at the garage of C. H. Penniman.

PREVENTS ACT OF BIGAMY

Inspector Goodhue Arrests Man in Vermont Wanted Here for Non-Support of His Wife

WAS TO WED THIS WEEK

The arrival of Inspector Goodhue at Winooski, Vt., Saturday was timely for one John Weikkolaanen and a young lady of that town for it prevented John from committing bigamy.

Weikkolaanen, was brought into the Quincy court last July on a statutory charge. A marriage took the case out of court. Almost immediately John shook the dust of Quincy's streets from his feet and nothing has since been heard from him. He never it is alleged, contributed anything toward the support of his wife Mary who complained to the police.

After a time the missing man was located in the Vermont town where word was sent to arrest him. When Inspector arrived in the Green Mountain state Saturday he learned that Weikkolaanen had been passing himself off as a single man and had made love to a Finn girl. The marriage was scheduled for this week but the arrival of Inspector Goodhue resulted in a halt being called on the arrangements. In court this morning Weikkolaanen was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for non support and this sentence was suspended until Oct. 16 with the understanding that he support his wife.

LEVI H. TURNER PASSES AWAY

Was Well Known Leader of Local Socialists

Levi H. Turner, one of Quincy's well known citizens passed away at his home 471 Hancock street Saturday afternoon after a few days illness aged 61 years. He is survived by a widow

Mr. Turner was born in St. George, Me., in 1854 and removed to Easton, Me., when a boy. Here he received his education, coming to Massachusetts in 1872 to learn the trade of a woodworker, but returning to Maine during the winter months to study. He became a resident of Massachusetts in 1878 settling in Charlestown where he resided until 1884 when he took up his residence in Quincy where he has since lived. He soon established himself in business in Boston.

His first political work was in 1874 when he joined what was then known as the Greenback party in Maine. Later he became affiliated with the Democratic party in which he remained until 1892 when he joined the Populist party. He was a candidate of the Socialist Democratic party for Mayor in December 1901.

When William Jennings Bryan became a candidate for president, Mr. Turner returned to the Democratic fold and during the two campaigns of Mr. Bryan he stamped the state in his interest. After the presidential election in which Mr. Bryan was defeated he became a member of the Socialist Democratic party.

Mr. Turner was a deep reader and took an active interest in political affairs, not only national and state but local as well and his voice was often heard in public hearings held before city council as well as at hearings on bills in which Quincy was interested at the state house.

He was a writer of some note and a frequent contributor to the public press on matters of local interest.

Some years ago he opened a small grocery near his home in the Norfolk Downs section which he conducted as well as the wood benders business in Boston.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION.

The many friends of James Graham of Willard street, who is employed as a watchman by the city, will be sorry to hear that he has gone to the Massachusetts General hospital where he will have his arm amputated above the elbow. When a boy Mr. Graham had scarlet fever which left him with one side paralyzed. A few weeks ago the cords in the arm began to draw. He consulted a specialist who advised him to undergo the operation which will be performed today.

ESCAPED FROM LYMAN SCHOOL.

Willard Glover, 20, who escaped from the Lyman school at Westboro ten weeks ago was located Sunday at the house of F. L. Glover, 29 Chard street, East Weymouth, by Officer Schofield. He was taken back to the school later in the day by a state officer.

CITY COUNCIL TONIGHT.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held this evening. One of the important matters to come up will be the temporary loan order. Whether or not another attempt will be made to amend the order is a matter of doubt. Reports are expected from several of the committees.

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RIVADAVIA IS IN HOME PORT

Dreadnought Reaches Argentina After Uneventful Trip

Buenos Aires, Argentina. Jan. 18—The dreadnought Rivadavia, built in Quincy, anchored at Bahai Blanca, the naval port of Argentina, 80 miles south of this port, this morning after a fine trip.

H. E. D. Gould, guarantee engineer of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation in his report states the engines worked perfectly. Mr. Gould will remain on board the ship for one year.

An elaborate banquet will be given this week in honor of the arrival of the ship. The ship's officers will be the guests of honor.

The ship sailed from New York on Dec. 23 and reached port only a day later than expected. Several Quincy and Boston people were on board.

NEEDS CHANGE IN SYSTEM

Says Q. H. S. Basket Ball Team Should Use Long Pass

A man who has played basket ball and who is said to know the game well declares that Quincy High School will not turn out a winning team until the coaches teach the long pass as well as the short one and until individualism is set aside for team work. He says:

For the first time in the history of basket ball at Quincy High School the long gym—length passes have been eliminated and short passes given the preference.

This style of coaching has showed to the disadvantage of the local team and was directly responsible for the loss of the Wellesley and Revere games.

Graduates of the school who played on champion teams endorse the long pass since it brings the ball out of danger and changes the play to the territory of the opponents.

Long passes when needed and a good basket-getter would push up a score for Quincy that would defeat any of the schools on the schedule because they are, fundamentally no faster or gamer than the local senior quintette.

Last year's team started the same way as this years but the better judgment of the coaches resulted in a change of system which turned out a winning team.

The short pass has many advantages but in gym the size of Quincy's they must not be constantly used if Quincy expects to take the lion's share of the games.

Not until both styles of passing are taught and not until the players put aside individualism will Quincy High's team do itself justice.

PLAN ANNUAL REVIEW.

Sacred Heart Parish Has Big Committee Working.

The members of the Sacred Heart parish are preparing for its annual reunion to be held in the Atlantic Music hall on the evening of Jan. 27. The affair will be under the direction of Fr. J. P. Coffe, pastor and Fr. P. J. McNiff, curate, and a large committee has been appointed. This will be the first time in some years the reunion will take place in the parish, Alpha hall being engaged for the purpose in recent years.

QUARANTINE REMOVED.

Quincy Had No Cases of Foot and Mouth Disease.

Dr. Abele reports that the quarantine on animals for foot and mouth disease is off in this state, except within three miles of any premises which had the disease. There was no disease within three miles of Quincy, so that this city is free from quarantine.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE INSTALLS

Quincy branch, the only surviving branch of the United Irish league in the United States, held its installation of officers in Cahill's hall Sunday evening.

David I. Warner, deputy of the central branch located in Dublin, Ireland, conducted the exercises and was assisted by Daniel Donahue as guide. A banquet followed at which Daniel Donahue acted as toastmaster.

MRS. ISABELLA CHEVERIE.

The funeral of Mrs. Isabella Cheverie, arrangements for which could not be completed until definite word was received from her husband, Fidelus Cheverie who was in Canada, when she died, will be held Wednesday morning. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. John's church at nine o'clock.

Mr. Cheverie telegraphed that he would be here Tuesday morning. Although he did not say what delayed him it is believed he met with difficulty in leaving Canada, the borders of which have been under a form of martial law since the war opened.

Mrs. Cheverie's death was sudden and came as a shock to her 10 children, four sisters and one brother.

One of her daughters, Laura Cheverie, joined the Sisterhood of the Catholic church last spring and is a novice at the monastery at Canton. Other children are Mrs. Haynes of Providence, R. I., Helen, Veronica, Fenie, Harry Louise, James, Owen and Anthony .

HINGHAM TO ACT.

The town of Hingham has appointed a committee consisting of Walter W. Hersey, chairman of the Hingham Selectmen, Hon. John D. Long and Edmund Daly to appear before the Highway Commissioners to urge that a state highway be built through Hingham to connect a like thoroughfare in Weymouth with the state road at Nantasket. There is now a state highway beginning at Chubbuck street in Quincy and extending through North Weymouth to the Hingham bridge and it is understood that the project of the Hingham committee is to continue that road through Hingham to Nantasket.

CHURCH NEWS OMITTED.

Owing to unexpected demands of space and time the usual church news is omitted. Tuesday's Ledger will have a full account of church happenings.

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THE IMMIGRATION PROBLEM.

One of the really big problems which the American people must solve is the immigration problem which is so prominently before us today.

In most considerations of this question there is one phase which is overlooked. The question is approached from the point of view of the householder who seeks to determine whether or not the admission of some stranger who is knocking at his door will be an advantage or a disadvantage to him. This is a point of view which should receive careful consideration. There is much harm which can come to a people from undesirable immigration, much good which can come from desirable immigration.

But there is another point of view. Has not the great champion of democracy, the advocate of equality for all, a mission to perform? America, the Melting Pot—is that not a proud title? If America can do a service to civilization by inviting to her shores the people of backward nations should she not seek to perform that service? It seems as if the right attitude should be the unselfish one.

This does not necessarily mean unrestricted immigration. Today, conditions being as they are, it certainly does not mean unrestricted immigration. It would be doing no real service to civilization for America to profer hospitality to more strangers than she could care for. It would be doing no real service to civilization for America to profer hospitality to strangers unsuited to the Melting Pot or for whom the Melting Pot was unsuited.

The literacy test should be judged by those standards. If an ability to pass that test is essential to rendering the immigrant suitable material for the Melting Pot the literacy test should become law. If it is not an essential it should not become law.

IS AMERICA LOAFING?

It there not a tendency to lay too great a stress upon the Great War as the cause of business depression in this country?

Should not some of the responsibility be shouldered by the American people, who have failed to display the courage and ingenuity which would have gone part way toward overcoming the troubles which have descended upon them, at the same time taking advantage of the unparalleled opportunities presented?

Such, at least, is the opinion of Thomas A. Edison. The famous inventor found himself at the opening of the war threatened with a difficulty in securing aniline dyes from Germany except at a prohibitive price. He did not waste time in hand wringing. Instead he proceeded to make his own dyes. His supply of carbolic acid was also shut off by the war. He proceeded without loss of time to make carbolic acid.

"As a nation we're lying down on our job," declared Mr. Edison in an interview with a representative of the Christian Science Monitor. "This European condition is a situation that we can't change; it faces us; it is present with us; it's damaging our affairs, and many of us jump up and down and cry out, but we don't act. There's altogether too much 'manana' about the way we are going on.

"If we are going to look out for ourselves, why let us look out for ourselves. If Jones, or Brown can't supply us with the things we've been buying from him, just because some big Brown won't let him, we've got to make use of our own resources. We've got everything we need to make aniline dyes, as an example; why aren't we at it? Let's get busy, and at once. We can't afford to loaf like this."

There is food for thought here. It is unbelievable that the American people are going to permit their industries to be crippled permanently because of the quarreling of some nations across the water. America is going to awake, and when the war is over Germany, Great Britain and the rest are going to discover that they are not indispensible to the greatest nation of the world.

Spokane, Wash., has appropriated money for a reading and rest room for homeless men. Can't the Spokane library supply this need, if need there be, and the money thus saved be put toward alleviating the sufferings of the unemployed and worthy poor? Or hasn't Spokane any such?

One of the pleasant things one hears in the middle of the night is a flat wheeled electric car rushing through the streets. It is very soothing to nervous people.

TWELFTH NIGHT REVELRY

In addition to the names of those present at the Twelfth Night Revels which were printed in Saturday's Ledger are the following:

Catherine Saville, Gypsy
Stanley R. Cummings, M. I. T. Cadet
Elizabeth W. Reed, Clown
Mrs. John Leavitt, Nydia
Miss Clarice Doble, Rainbow
Kendall Doble, Father Time
John H. Seeville, Pierrot, Boston.
Frederick G. Thayer, English Court officer
Mrs. Joseph S. Evans, Dolly Vardon
Marie Schenkelberger, Maid of '63
A. F. Schenkelberger, Pierrot
Stella Barker, Spanish.
Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt, Dutch Girl
Mrs. Charles Everett, Yama-Yama Girl
Mrs. John Hall, Martha Washington
John Hall, Clown
Mrs. L. B. Hardwick, Dutch
L. B. Hardwick, Italian
Miss E. E. Freeman, Colonial Girl
R. R. Freeman, Clown
Miss Alice Putnam, Harrington, Me.
Miss L. A. Putnam, Harrington, Me.
Rev. A. L. Hudson
E. Louise Prout, Crinoline Girl
Charles Holmes, Sailor
Elizabeth M. Douglas, 1880.
F. S. Bacon, Sailor, Harvard Coll.
J. W. Ballou, Sailor, Harvard Coll.
H. W. Schroeder, Sailor, Cambridge
Everett G. Rhodes, Little Boy Blue
Angela C. McCarthy, "The Three Twins"
Elmer F. Ricker, Dutch Peasant
Miss Dorothy Packard, "Ear of Corn"
Miss Elsie E. Turner, Indian Maiden
Miss Ruth Packard, Little Bo-Peep
Mrs. William F. Hodgkinson, Three Twins
Mrs. F. C. Gilbert, The Three Twins
William F. Hodgkinson, Yachtsman
George M. Hodgkinson, Yachtsman
Mrs. George M. Hodgkinson, Colonial, Germantown
Dr. John A. Gordon
F. S. Porter, Sailor, Harvard Coll.
Paul Blackmur, Sailor
J. Baker, Sailor, Harvard Coll.
B. P. Whitney, Sailor, Harvard Coll.
Mrs. Joseph W. Powell, Japanese
Joseph W. Powell, Chinaman
Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Murphy
Arthur Harris, Clown
Mrs. Arthur Harris, Spanish
Miss Minnie Packard, Spanish Girl
Miss Mary Faxon, Swedish Costume
Edward C. Hall, Art Student, Harvard Coll.
Margaret Park, Pierotte
Mrs. Ambler Welch
Ambler Welch
Alfred N. LaBrecque
Edwin Holmes, Cap and Gown

G. A. R. RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

Now that the charter of the G. A. R. Post 88 Relief Association has been received the association is ready to receive subscriptions to the fund. All checks or contributions should be sent to the treasurer, Walter E. Piper, 206 Centre street, by whom they will be acknowledged. Anyone who subscribes $5 or more becomes a member of the association for that year and is entitled to a vote. While it is of course desirable that contributions to the fund should be of that amount, and contributions, no matter how small will be received and acknowledged.

Mr. Piper reports that a number of persons and societies have made contributions which have not yet been received. Now that the charter has arrived there need be no further hesitancy in sending along contributions. It is the intention of the association to call another mass meeting at an early date.

Mrs. Louise B. Holbrook of South Weymouth is spending a few weeks with Quincy friends.



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GERMANS TAKE RUSSIAN TRENCH

Accomplished After Seven Most Violent Attacks

CARPATHIAN PASS IS SEIZED

Czar's Troops Open Way Into Transylvania, Thus Hastening Roumania Into Taking Part In Hostilities—French Claim to Have Made Progress In West—Surprise Attack by German Forces Forced French to Surrender In Battle North of Soissons—Turks Meet Another Defeat at Hands of Russians

London, Jan. 18.—While the main Russian army has been busy repelling what Grand Duke Nicholas, in his official report, describes as a series of violent attacks by Field Marshal von Hindenberg to break through to Warsaw, other Russian forces have stormed and taken Kirlibaba pass, on the borders of Transylvania, and have made further progress in their advance along the right bank of the Vistula toward the German frontier.

The Germans in force delivered seven successive attacks which developed into desperate bayonet fighting on the Russian lines on the left bank of the Vistula, and have succeeded in taking one of the Russian advance trenches.

Further south there have been similar attacks, in each case preceded by heavy artillery engagements. The Russians have succeeded in silencing the heavy Austrian guns, which from the banks of the Dunajec have been bombarding the town of Tarnow.

The capture of Kirlibaba pass, through which roads lead into the heart of Transylvania, is likely to have a political as well as a military effect. It will possibly hasten the action of Roumania, and will compel the Germanic allies to send troops for the defense of eastern Hungary.

With the retirement of Count von Berchtold, the former Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, who is said to have favored another expedition against Servia, and because of the greater influence of the Hungarians in the councils of the empire by reason of the appointment of Baron Burian at the head of the foreign department, the troops which were destined for the Servian operations are likely to be diverted to meet the new Russian threat against Hungary.

On the Western Front

In the west there has been some brisk fighting at many points. The French claim to have made further progress along the coast of Flanders, but not to the extent which they have been credited with by unofficial reports. Attacks and counter-attacks also have occurred in the region of the Arras and in the Aisne valley, south of Laon, but apparently without either side making any advance.

The French progress, however, according to their statement, continues east of Rheims and in the Vosges, despite a heavy snowstorm. In the Argonne the Germans claim to have improved their position.

An official German statement estimates the losses of the allies since they commenced their offensive four weeks ago at 150,000, including 20,000 killed and more than 17,000 prisoners.

Emperor William, who witnessed the battle north of Soissons in which the French were driven back across the Aisne river, decorated on the field General von Lochow and Lieutenant General Wishura, who cammanded the victorious troops.

How the French Lost

According to the German accounts of the fighting, the French had during the past month occupied in the region of Soissons a network of trenches on the right bank of the Aisne which extended away to the north. On Jan. 7 the French commenced a heavy bombardment, in which the Germans suffered severely, some of their trenches being wrecked and their machine guns buried.

The following day the French attacked and penetrated into the German trenches, from which they could not be driven. Heavy fighting, man against man, followed day and night until Jan. 11, the Turcos battling bravely with rifle, bayonet and knife.

On the 12th the Germans began a counter-attack and the French were soon driven from the German trenches and also their own and were chased from the heights. Then they occupied French positions half way down the slope.

The French, expecting further German ttacks on their left, sent reinforcements to that wing. The Germans, however, attacked on the centre and right, the French being taken completely by surprise. Within three minutes the Germans captured the first line of trenches, and that afternoon the entire border of the plateau was in German hands.

The position of the French troops advancing against the German right became desperate, and they surrendered on the 14th, when the German right wing commenced an encircling movement. The German artillery now commands the Aisne valley.

Great Victory Over Turks

Another crushing blow has been administered to the Turkish armies operating in the Transcaucasian region, this time the Fifty-Second Turkish regiment being practically wiped out by the Russians in a battle at Kara Urgan, in Turkish Armenia.

This is presumably part of the army that was scattered at Sari-Kamysh, further to the north, a week ago, with frightful losses and the fleeing remains of which have been diligently pursued by the Russians ever since.

The news of the victory is the first indication that Russian troops have penetrated Turkish territory in this vicinity, and they are apparently heading for the capital city of Erzerum at the headwaters of the Euphrates, which, if taken, would mean the downfall of Ottoman power in eastern Armenia.

ROUMANIAN RULERS.

King and Queen About To Enter War and Corps Of Their Fighting Force.



Photo by American Press Association

GREAT FORCE IN RESERVE

France Is Declared to Possess Vast Army of Reinforcements

Rev. Hugh B. Chapman, chaplain of the Chapel Royal, tells of an interview he had with General Joffre's aide-de-camp in France. In part, he says:

"He gave me figures as to the reinforcements which France possesses and prepared to use at the right moment that simply astounded me. The figures far exceeded my own anticipations and would come in the nature of a great surprise to ninety-nine out of every hundred people in England, as they did me.

"Nor for one moment did the suggestion that the campaign might take an adverse turn arise. The only idea in the adie-de-camp's mind was that the war had entered upon such a stage that defeat on the allies' part was inconceivable."

THE HODEIDA INCIDENT

Turkish Government Makes Certain of Satisfying Italy

The Turkish government has renewed its order, sent through Rome to the vali of Yemen, Arabia, instructing him to give complete satisfaction for all the demands presented by the Italian government in connection with the incident at Hodeida, where Turkish officials forcibly removed the British consul from the Italian consulate, where he had taken refuge.

The port authorities, it is declared, have instructed the vali to grant the demands of the Italian government independently of the inquiry instituted by the vali, which, it is said, merely aims to establish the responsibility of each official in the local administration of Hodeida.

BATTLESHIP NOT OBSOLETE

Naval Report to House Questions the Value of Submarines

Washington, Jan. 18.—In its report to the house on the naval appropriation bill, the house committee on naval affairs takes occasion to warn the house that the battleship is not yet obsolete and that there is no occasion to be carried away by the newly developed enthusiasm over the submarine.

The committee states that nothing has occurred in the European war to cause it to abandon a two battleship policy. The total appropriations carried by the bill amount to $148,580,786.88.

Great Raid on Poolroom

Baltimore, Jan. 18.—Baltimore policemen entered the Patuxent Rod and Gun club at Myers Station and arrested 148 persons and seized $500 in cash, blackboards and racing sheets.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 16.—C. M. Dissoway, a New York architect, who had been supervising the erection of the new Y. M. C. A. building here, was killed by falling three stories from a staging on the building.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

About 100 members of the First Baptist church attended the annual supper and business meeting Thursday evening in the vestry of the church. At 6.30 supper furnished by the Ladies' Aid society was served. It consisted of sliced boiled ham baked beans scalloped potatoes scalloped oysters, pickles, rolls, coffee, pie and cake. The waitresses were the Misses Alma Jardine, Ruth Mooers, Gladys Carder, Hazel Park, Anna Field, Myrtle Phelps and Josephine Rogers. The following people sat at the head table: Rev. and Mrs. J. Hamilton Woodsum, Senior deacon and Mrs. David J. Brown, Deacon and Mrs. John L. Johnson, deacon Freeman L. Marchant, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Batchelder, Mrs. Charles Geddes, Mrs. James Lewis, Mrs. Lillian Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. George B. D. Tocher. Immediately following the supper president, David J. Brown, opened the meeting. A roll call of the members of the church was given, each member answering his or her name with a verse of scripture. A feature of this part of the evenings' program was the word of good will from Miss Mary R. Thomas who recently observed her 86th birthday. The audience then sang. "When the Roll is Called up Yonder." The annual reports were then called for. Clerk of the church, George B. D. Tocher read the report of the splendid work done by the church during the past year. W. B. Batchelder gave the treasurer's report. The report from the Home department of the S. S. was read by Mrs. Archibald Blodgett. President Winfred Geddes reported for the Woodsum Bible Class. President Miss Edith C. Johnson gave the C. E. society's report. The report from the Women's Missionary society was read by Mrs. James Lewis. The secretary's report for the Ladies' Aid society was given by Mrs. Lillian Bryant and the report of the treasurer of this society. Mrs. George Rogers, showed that over $700 had been handled by the society last year. President, Mrs. Edith Davidson reported for the Agenda Club. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Deacon David J. Brown.
Clerk—George B. D. Tocher.
Treasurer—William B. Batchelder.
Deacon for three years—John L. Johnson.
S. S. Superintendent—J. H. Leatherbee.
Auditors—C. H. Coffin, George S. Johnson.
Prudential committee—Mrs. W. B. Batchelder, Mrs. J. A. Simpson and Mrs. C. A. Geddes.
Executive committee—J. H. Leatherbee, M. I. Jones, V. E. Landstrom, E. F. Carder, C. H. Coffin and B. V. Porter.
Baptismal Committee—John L. Johnson, V. E. Landstrom, J. L. Lewis, Mrs. L. W. Higgins, Mrs. G. M. Rogers and Miss Emma L. Esau.
Delegates to Boston Baptist Bethel—David J. Brown and Freeman L. Marchant.

The honor roll for the second term of the school year at the High school has recently been posted. There are 40 names in all on the list with the Sophomore class in the lead with 12. The list is as follows:

FIRST YEAR.

Louise Barton, Mary Cunningham, Annie Dempsey, Evelyn Hastings, Doris Hersey, Alida Johnson, Marion Johnson, Jessie Mullan, Doloris Smith, Mary White.

SECOND YEAR.

Mary Farrington, Louis Gosselin, Marion Hastings, Dorothy Holmes, Violet Hammons, Gladys Kaufmann, Ernesta Libby, Miriam Muran, Doris Pearce, Vera Stevenson, Dorothy Terry, Florence Towne.

THIRD YEAR.

Byron Bentley, Nellie Henderson, Alma Jardine, Esther Johnston, Mary Kaufmann, Hazel Keith, Milton Reynolds, Josephine Rogers, Florence Wall.

FOURTH YEAR.

Alice Damon, Rachel Farrington, Mary Joe, Grace Maguire, Josephine Rice, Hugh Robertson, Milton Tucker, Alice Thompson.

POST GRADUATES.

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PRESENT JEWEL TO PAST WARDEN

Large Number Attend N. E. O. P. Installation

The officers of Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., were installed in Protection hall Friday evening by Deputy Grand Warden Mrs. Margaret A. Trainor, and suite of Dorchester. After the installation Mrs. Trainor presented a past warden's jewel to Chester D. Brown, retiring warden.

The attendance was large, many being visitors from out of town lodges. Among those present were members of Mayflower of Brockton, Sunset of South Braintree, Peerless of Holbrook and Neopa of Norfolk Downs. Refreshments were served by the entertainment committee and consisted of salads, rolls, coffee, cake and fruit.

The officers installed were:

Junior Past Warden—Chester D. Brown.

Warden—James M. Ellison.

Vice Warden—Hoyt N. McCauley.

Secretary—Mrs. Laura E. Holt.

Financial Secretary—Mrs. Lois J. Davidson.

Treasurer—Edmund C. Sawin.

Chaplain—Mrs. Erminia E. Lindsay.

Guide—Mrs. Mary E. O'Neil.

Guardian—James H. Bartlett.

Sentinel—Mrs. Mary L. Spaulding.

Trustee—Chester D. Brown.

FOR THE BELGIANS.

Members of the Quincy Women's Club to Work With State Federation.

Presidents of all the womens club of 100 or more membersship were called to a conference in Boston Friday to discuss way and means of helping the Belgian sufferers. Mrs. Chandler W. Smith represented the Quincy club.

Concerted action is to be taken by the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs as outlined by Havrah W. L. Hubbard at a recent meeting of the Quincy Women's Club, the work to be carried on through Dr. Landrone.

Club members are urged to collect old sheets, linen, underwear, blankets, hankerchiefs, etc., and take to the clubhouse on Presidents hill where it will be received by Mrs. Anderson, the caretaker. A committee from the club will supervise the work of preparing articles received and fowarding the same. Those who cannot contribute old linen and the like may give money if they prefer, Mrs. Smith president of the club is in charge of the work for the present.

FIRST PARISH CLUB.

M. W. Alexander of the General Electric Co., will be the speaker at the meeting of the First Parish club Tuesday evening.

In addition to his connection with the different departments of this company and his intimate knowledge of its working plans Mr. Alexander has been identified for a number of years with the most important movements in the line of industrial progress.

FRIENDS REMEMBER BIRTHDAY.

Frederick Lally, one of the younger members of the Granite City club and a popular young man of this city, was tendered a reception in honor of the anniversary of his birth at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lally of Edison street on Saturday evening.

Among those present were members of the Class of 1904 of the Quincy High school with whom Mr. Lally graduated in that year. The evening program included an impromptu musical program and reminiscences.

The supper was served at 10.30, after which there were speches of congratulations by those present.

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BRIEFS

Miss Marguerite Davis of Goffe street entertained a few friends at an informal tea Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Drollett of Braintree are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Sunday.

Miss Gretchen, daughter of Dr. Frank F. Boegner of Jamaica Plain, was the week-end guest of Miss Marjorie Taber of The Greenleaf.

Mrs. Charles Hawes of South Weymouth is spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. Fanny Torrey of Wollaston.

The Young Men's club of the Swedish Congregational church will hold a meeting this evening at the home of Chas. A. Johnson, Granite street.

Wilmot and Franklin Seiders of Wollaston and Miss Helen Seiders of Alton Bay, N. H., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Mann of Randolph.

At the Wollaston Young People's Religious Union meeting in the Unitarian vestry Sunday evening Miss Georgiana Cushing Lane spoke upon "Early Religious Symbols."

Ex-Mayor Eugene R. Stone, who was the first president of the July 4th Celebration Association is arranging to have a group picture taken of the first officers of the association.

Mrs. Charles Chase and Miss Maud Briggs are the delegates from Christ Church Sunday school at the missionary conference of the Sunday School Union this afternoon at Pilgrim hall, Beacon street, Boston.

A luncheon was served Saturday at the Copley-Plaza hotel, Boston, by the State Society of the Daughters of the Revolution in honor of the President-General Mrs. Cara Rogers Bleakley. Quincy members attended .

Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Spear of Marshfield will spend the winter at the Copley Square Hotel, Boston. Mr. Spear is cashier of the National Mt. Wollaston Bank and both he and Mrs. Spear are well known in Quincy, where they formerly made their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon left Saturday for Poland Springs, Me., where they will be joined today by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Broce. They will be absent about ten days.

FIRST CHURCH ORGAN RECITAL.

The organ recital at the First Parish church Sunday afternoon by William E. Weston, organist at the church, was well attended, not only by the parishioners but by many of the friends of the church. It was in no way a concert but an occasion where the parishioners and friends gathered in the twilight hour and silently listened to the beautiful music of the organ.

The program included Guilmant's Grand Chorus: "Liebeslied" by Harker; Fantasie in C minor by Dunham; Adagio (fourth symphony) Widor; Andantino, by Dubois: Rheinberger's Vision. The recital closed with Gigout's Christmas Themes, Rhapsodie.

FIRE IN GARAGE.

The alarm from Box 58 at 6.20 Saturday night was for a fire over the line in East Milton in a small garage. The garage is situated near the line between Quincy and East Milton and an excited individual thinking that the building was in Quincy sounded the alarm. An alarm was also sounded in Milton and by the time the Quincy apparatus arrived the men from the East Milton fire station were at work on the fire and had it practically out.

THIRD ANNUAL BALL.

The Quanna Club of Wollaston held its third annual ball at Brasee hall Friday evening. Music was furnished by Murdock's orchestra and a large attendance of young people took part in the dancing and games.

The committee in charge were: Milerd Sumner, Mabel MacDonald, Mildred Smith and Vern Franklyn.

Refreshments were served during intermission.

CHOOSE JUDGES.

The judges appointed at the meeting of the executive committee of the new Yacht Racing Association Union of Massachusetts were Theodore H. Campbell, Columbia Y. C., chairman; William C. Cherrington, Mosquito Fleet Y. C., Joshua W. Holbrook Quincy Y. C., Arthur Fuller, South Boston Y. C., Charles W. Chapin, Boston, Y. C.

K. K. A. MEET.

A regular session of Bethany castle Knights of King Arthur was held Friday evening. There was no special business to come before the castle. There were games both before and after the conclave.

GRIPPING TALES AND INCIDENTS OF THE GREAT WAR IN EUROPE

Soldier, Himself Badly Hurt, Writes to Aunt Telling of Brother's Death — Wrist Watches Dangerous.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg Annoyed by Hundreds of Love Letters—Prince Narrowly Escapes.

HERE are some of the latest human interest stories of the great European struggle:

Among the many instances of how the war affects a single family is one shown by a letter in the Figaro of Paris in which a soldier, himself severely wounded, writes to his aunt telling her of the death of his brother. He does not mourn that his brother is gone, but speaks in almost envious tones of the worthy manner in which he gave up his life. The letter follows:

"My Dear Aunt—I was very glad to get your letter and will comply with your desire to know something about the misfortune that has come to us. My brother Camille met his end gloriously on Sept. 13, near Berry-au-Bac. He was ordered by the general of the brigade to which he was attached to carry an order to the regiment. He realized that the order had to be delivered at once. Without making a show of his courage he started for the head of the two regiments in question in order that they might take part in the attack on the German position.

"While he was hurrying to carry out the order he fell, hit in the head probably by the bursting of a shell. They carried his body to the rear, and he is now in the little cemetery of the church at Sapignol, where we will go together at the end of the war. This service was of such value that Camille received long mention in the army report. But, alas, the honors paid to him will not pay us for our affliction.

"Mignette is on her way to you with the two children. She has shown a stoic courage and admirable resignation, which must have been a great comfort to our poor father. As for myself, I was wounded on Oct. 2 near Lens, when our battalion had arrived at Grand Couronne. I was wounded in the left leg just above the ankle by the bursting of a shell and at the same time a shower of tiles and bricks fell upon my head. It was the last house where I was stationed on observation that was struck.

"I was taken to Lens and then to Bethune, where an amputation was deemed necessary because gangrene had already set in. The day after the operation we had to leave suddenly in the night, the hospital being threatened. I was placed in a cattle van on the straw with my leg freshly cut. We remained a day and a night without aid or light between Bethune and Amiens, where I have been lying in a horrible state. At Amiens I was well treated and had the pleasure of seeing Henriette arrive. This welcome surprise came to me, and at the end of two weeks my sister came to me from Paris. I had then been for two days at the hospital at Messimy and later at Poitiers.

"I was there told by my father of the great mourning which had come to us at the death of Camille. Henriette had bravely spared me any news which might hinder my recovery. The wound is healing beautifully, and it will not be many days before I am able to get up. This is my story and also the story of our misfortune. France has demanded much of us. We have sacrificed everything to her, for we loved her more than all. I send my love to you and also to my cousins."

Love Letters to the Chief.

The Berlin newspapers say that Field Marshal von Hindenburg received several hundred love letters at Christmas from German women and girls.

A request has now been issued through official channels that all young girls in Germany should refrain from writing such epistles, as the field marshal has more serious matters to attend to than to read such trash.

Women as Fighters.

The London Daily Chronicle says:

"There appears from time to time in the Russian papers the statement that women volunteers are fighting in the German ranks, and now the Warsaw correspondent of the Dyen of Petrograd has actually seen these amazons.

"Among the wounded at present being treated at the Ouyazdoff hospital, he says, are seven women who were captured while fighting in German uniforms. They are placed together in a special ward. Judging by the nature of their wounds, they have taken part not only in rifle practice, but also in bayonet attacks. One of them who had a serious bayonet wound has died.

"They are fine specimens of Teutonic womanhood, and the Russian nurses greatly admire their finely developed muscles, which seem to indicate that they have belonged for years to German gymnastic societies. In captivity they behave with the same haughty and contemptuous indifference which characterizes the Prussian officers. One of the nursing sisters brought to them a Russian newspaper, the Petrograd Herald, which is printed in German, but they indignantly rejected her offer and said they did not believe anything which appeared in a Russian paper, even when printed in German. They refused to talk of their homes and families; but, judging from their demeanor, they seem to belong to the upper or upper middle class.

"The German bourgeois has always refused to acknowledge woman's claims to political suffrage on the ground of her intellectual and social achievements. She has evidently made up her mind to convince him in the only way he can understand—by proving her equality on the field of battle."

Wrist Watches Dangerous.

A warning is issued in the Berliner Klinische Wochenschrift against the wearing of wrist watches by German soldiers in the field. The author of the article, Dr. Melchior, relates that in treating cases of wounded soldiers he found many who had suffered horrible wounds as a result of this, their wrist watches having been struck by bits of shrapnel, which thereupon caused great spreading of the wound and imbedded parts of the watch in the wrist.

The danger is the greater, he adds, because the watches are usually worn on the left wrist, and it is the left hand and arm that, as a rule, are wounded rather than the right.

Prince's Narrow Escape.

Princess Arthur of Connaught is being congratulated on her husband's daring escape from the Germans, whose prisoner he was for an hour or more.

The prince and his chauffeur drove their machine into the German lines in a fog. They were seized and thrown into a hut. Here they discovered German uniforms and disguised themselves. They managed to pass the sentry placed to guard them and enter their own automobile again. On nearing the German lines they were challenged, and to escape ran at a speed of ninety miles an hour. Many bullets struck the flying car.

Past the German outposts they sped, but the French seized them, and thinking them Germans, were on the point of shooting them as spies, when they were identified.

How It Feels Under Fire.

A British officer gives the following account of his impressions under fire:

"There is a good deal of rot talked of heroism at present. If it is all true there are many millions of heroes in Europe just now, and I leave that to you. I've found it harder to go straight in life than go under fire. I don't think men find it hard to go under fire. First of all, there is the mass suggestion and the tradition of your people to give you a bias to bravery. Then when you are in the thick of it you forget psychology after awhile and get interested in the explosions.

"When thoroughly warmed up you care nothing about your own skin—you forget you've got a skin—but you are very hot about damaging the hides of the ruffians who are the cause of that fiendish noise. You want to hurt them badly and make them feel infernally sorry. When you do get cold feet is before you've started for a hot place. When you are at the base your imagination is far worse than shrapnel.

"Certainly when you do come under fire for the first time you feel sure you cannot survive. 'I shall never live through this,' you keep saying to yourself. The noises are abrupt, erratic and shockingly violent and the mess made is very nasty, but when you recognize your number is certainly up you sort of congeal—you lose recollection of your body and become only a clear and observant point of intelligence, doing your job subconsciously but surely, like a man dead in everything but his eyes. When you are out of it you 'come to,' so to speak, and can hardly believe you are still really in one piece. Then you find yourself very pleased, smiling all over and shaking a little for a long time afterward."

Pet Goat Was Killed.

A French soldier in the trenches writes home:

"A fortnight ago we had an unexpected visitor. A fine goat in full milk trotted into our lines and was soon installed among us as a favorite. We christened her 'Head Nurse' because she strangely resembled a Red Cross nurse who had been with us. Her one weakness—chewing tobacco. English brands by preference—was a bit costly, but we were repaid tenfold by the milk she yielded, which was chiefly reserved for the wounded.

"Day after day Nanny strolled beyond the lines to browse, but she always returned for her evening meal of carrots. One day she got too near the German lines, and a ball laid her flat. As night drew on a dozen or more 'boches' crept out in the hope of an impromptu supper, but we were even with them. We charged, and, after leaving half a dozen of them dead on the field, we brought back the body of our 'head nurse' in triumph and gave her a decent burial."

In Bombproof Cave.

Life in an artillery emplacement is exciting. Men so stationed are subjected to gunfire which never before has reached such an average of accuracy and at times must protect themselves against the attacks of the enemy's aviators.

In a letter just published in Munich this is well illustrated. After dwelling on the comforts of the bombproof cave in which the men of the battery dwell, in which they even have tables, chairs, lockers and a stove, the writer continues as follows, the shifting tenses being his:

"A tremendous black column of earth rises from the ground as the shells strike near us. The clock in our cave strikes as if scared out of its wits and then stops. Everything trembles and shakes. The dry earth on the sides of the bombproof peels off and falls.

"We sit quietly—waiting for the shell that will bury us. One after another falls close by, but the one we wait for does not come. The enemy's battery has fired five shots and now stops.

"An hour later the bombardment started again. We sat there like paralyzed. On the table a cigar burned a hole in a glove. Nobody had sense or ambition enough to prevent it.

"When the bombardment was over everybody felt a peculiar sort of fatigue. All conversation ceased. One of the men left his seat and wearily threw himself upon the straw bed. Before he went to sleep he turned over and whispered:

"'Call me!'

Partridge Pie Cheered Squad.

"The worst of it was that we were not permitted to return the fire. No doubt the division staff had its good reasons for that. Things would be different had we been able to return shot for shot. We would have been of the best spirits in that case. But to sit there like dumb brutes and wait for orders under such a fire was a bad experience.

"The day passed in this manner. The enemy's fire ceased at 7 o'clock in the evening, and after a meal of bacon, bread and coffee made of cereals, we felt better. A partridge pie which my mother had sent me helped to cheer us up.

"Next morning at 5 the order, 'Ready for fire!' came by telephone. 'Man the guns—distance 2,100 yards—shell, fire,' said the voice at the other end of the wire. Though it was still dark, we heard from the distance the thrashing of infantry fire.

"Our shells shriek and whistle across the plain. 'Shot well placed—battery salvos—every ten seconds—distance now 2,200 yards,' telephoned the observation officer.

"The fun commences. It is hard work. Perspiration rolls off us like the rain, which has just commenced to fall.

"But the enemy's motor battery also starts again. The first shell hits near our position. The second one hits the bombproof; we have been located. A veritable sea of explosions surround us—lightning, detonations, clashes, shrieks, smoke and powder stench give our environment the appearance of the crater of a volcano. We are covered with mud which the enemy's shells throw up and which descends on us like hail.

Gunner Did Not Move.

"'Two, 175!' I shouted at the gunner, but he did not move.

"'Fischer!' was my next shout. At that moment the body of the gunner slipped between the seat and the sighting mechanism. I noticed that a fragment of shell had entered his forehead.

"Gently we placed the body to one side, and another gunner took the seat. We continued our fire, calmly, steadily—in our minds saw the destruction wrought by our shells in the lines of the enemy's infantry.

"So it continued for some time; then came from the observation station the command, 'Cease fire for awhile.'

"In the afternoon another shell hit our position, and another man had to be laid aside. He was a lovable old fellow. Later we buried the two.

"Rain fell throughout the night and next day. By noon our bombproof was filled with water. We waded around in that up to our waists. Later in the day the bombproof caved in, and we saved nothing but the telephone instrument, our carbines and coats. We then spent some time in the cellar of a nearby farmhouse, and tomorrow we go back for a rest. Our place will be taken by a reserve regiment with wonderfully clean uniforms and brand new brown boots. Our uniforms have all the colors of the rainbow on a mud yellow background."

Kaiser's War Talisman.

Tucked away in the breast pocket of his great gray coat, the kaiser carries as a war talisman a four leaved sprig of clover, pressed, dried and scented.

The story goes that this talisman was plucked by childish hands in the meadows of the royal park at Kabelsburg in 1870, and people are saying in Berlin that it will bring the present kaiser victory as it brought to his grandfather victory at Sedan.

The talisman was picked by the daughter of an old court official named Louis Schneider, who was allowed to present it to old King William, and when the latter returned from Sedan he gave it back to the child with the remark:

"It has brought me luck, and I hope it will bring you luck too."

Years afterward Miss Schneider presented the precious clover to the daughter of Countess Dolma as a baptismal gift, and it was during an audience which the countess and her daughter had with the kaiserin that she mentioned the talisman and said that she would like to give it to the emperor.

The kaiser, when told the story, promptly accepted the four leaved sprig and assured the countess that it would be as powerful to bring victory to him as it had to his grandfather forty-four years ago. Now the kaiser and talisman are inseparable.

HAVE YOU BEEN

to the clean and sanitary bakery down Hancock St. That is where you get such lovely cakes and tasty bread. A discriminating woman once recently said, "I don't see how they can bake such tasty cakes and wholesome bread for the money, considering the price of raw material, but I always make it a point to

LOOK FOR THE PURE FOOD SIGN

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Jan 18 2t

HOPE TO SUPPLY BRITISH ARMY

Greenwood Co. Expect to Make Ten Million Shoe Laces

The Greenwood Shoe Lacing Co., of this city is completing a sample order of shoe lacing for the British army and if satisfactory expect to receive a contract for 5,000,000 pairs. The samples will be shipped this week to a Boston house which is acting as supply agent in Boston for the army.

The contract will call for a mineral tan leather flat lacing, 36 inches in length with spiral tips.

The firm is optimistic and believes the contract will be placed with them. If received it will mean a large increase in the staff of workers now employed at the factory.

TWO TEACHERS LEAVE FEB. 1.

Springfield Gets Miss Grant and Miss Fenner

Two teachers of the Quincy High school have accepted positions with the Springfield schools and will assume their new duties, it is understood, about Feb. 1.

Raymond E. Fenner, teacher of freshman mathematics the past three years has accepted an appointment to a similar position with the Classical High school of Springfield.

Miss Edith E. Grant, who has been instructor of commercial subjects the past four years has accepted a position with the Springfield Commercial High school.

Both teachers have been very popular with the student body and a committee of pupils are planning to give them a farewell gift.

SLIGHT FIRE.

Sunday shortly after 1 o'clock the central station apparatus was called on a telephone alarm for a fire in the basement of the house at the corner of Hancock and Greenleaf streets, owned by Col. Henry L. Kincaide. A new family had recently moved into the house and Sunday morning a fire was started in the furnace. The bottom part of the smoke pipe was broken off and into this a former tenant had stuffed paper. This paper took fire heating the pipe red hot and filling the house with smoke. The top of the furnace is but a few inches from the ceiling which was lathed over, the laths being exposed. Fearing that these would take fire the occupants telephoned the central fire station. There was no damage other than by smoke.

DISTRICT COURT.

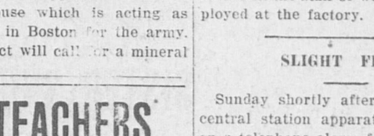
Augusto Brenli claiming to live in Braintree, who was arrested at South Quincy early Saturday morning by Officer Malone on the belief that he was the man who had been annoying young women in and about South Quincy, was arraigned, in cuort this morning on a statutory charge and the case continued until Friday.

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H. P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 1595 Hancock st.
Mrs. Madden, 26 Quincy ave.
WOLLASTON—Shanks' News Stand.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branschied & Marten.
Bughee & Neal, Hancock St.
ATLANTIC—Branschied & Marten.
NEWCOMB SQUARE—Stetson Pierce.
QUINCY POINT—H. H. I. SMITH.
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Clyde T. Cox, Washington St.
J. C. M. Sharpe, 588 Washington St.
E. H. Lowe, Washington St.
George E. Sprague, Cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Litchfield, Water st.
A. Person, 92 Granite St.
Miss C. Booth, Brooks Avenue.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite St.
WEST QUINCY—Edward F. Drohan.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—A. H. Dunham, and his newsboys.
NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Bee street.

PAPAGNI—PEPE.

There was a pretty home wedding at 72 Dayton street, West Quincy, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mazzola, Saturday evening, when Antonio Papagni and Miss Eugenia Pepe, both well known and popular members of the younger Italian set of West Quincy, were united in marriage in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The nuptial knot was tied by William M. Marden, Esq. The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mazzola.

The bride was charmingly costumed in white satin with the usual tulle veil. The ceremony was followed by a reception and wedding feast.

CHILDREN GIVE PLAY.

Hillside Club Presents An Original Drama.

The Hillside club, composed of some of the children of Second Hill, gave a play and candy sale at the home of Parker Whittam Sunday afternoon. the play entitled "An Experience of a Farmer Boy" was original. The cast:

Jedediah, the boy — Edwin Pitt
Farmer Pearson — Waldo Sprague
Lydia, the Farmer's wife — Eleanor Pitt
Josephine, his daughter — Elizabeth Albee
Minnehaha and Aunt Sophia — Dorothy Pitt
Bill, the hired man — Malcolm Rand
Chief Red Feather — Parker Whittam

SPONSOR FOR L-1.

Mrs. Elizabeth Scott Daubin, wife of Lieut. Comm. Daubin, U. S. N. will be the sponsor of the submarine L-1 to be launched at the Fore River shipyard at 2.30 Wednesday afternoon.

GARDNER CLUB.

An exceptional vaudeville entertainment will be given by the Gardner club of Christ Church in the parish house at 8 P. M. Wednesday.

Several well known local as well as out of town artists have been secured and every act will be a feature. The committee in charge consists of R. E. Young Stanley Ross, Everett McLaughlin, Russell Westland and William Clements.

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EXPECT SOME HOT BATTLES

Fore River League Has Only Four Weeks More on Schedule

Only five more weeks remain of the Fore River bowling schedule and red hot contests should be the rule and not the exception from now out. The Yard rollers are trailing the Machine Gallery team, leaders by only four points and this week both roll three first division teams.

The N. Department is only one point behind the Electricians, third place men.

The fight for high individual average seems to be between Smith and Tirrell, two Weymouth Landing stars. The former leads by one percent. O'Lindy is working toward first place.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost.	PerC.
M. Gallery	54	10	.843
Y. Dept.	50	14	.797
Electricians	43	25	.632
N. Dept.	40	24	.625
Shipfitters	33	27	.550
D. Dept.	33	35	.485
Treas. Office	21	23	.477
B. Dept.	29	39	.426
Ex. App.	27	37	.422
U. S. N.	26	38	.406
M. Floor	23	45	.338
Pur. Agents	12	52	.187

Smith 99, Tirrell 98, Olindy 97, White 93, Westland 93, Kateon 93, Djerf 92, Carlson 92, Mahoney 92 Malnati 91, Stone 91, Ryan 90.
High single string Olindy 153.
High three string Olindy 360.
High team single Y. Dept. 506.
High team three string M. Gallery 1442.

SISTER SHIP OF RIVADAVIA

Moreno Turned Over to Argentina Jan. 30.

The Moreno, sister ship of the Argentine dreadnought Rivadavia, will be placed in commission on Jan. 30 and will sail on Feb. 17 for San Francisco.

Its crew, more than 1000 men and 36 officers, arrived at Philadelphia, Sunday on the transports Pampa and Chaco.

The Moreno which has a displacement of 32,000 tons, was built at the New York Shipbuilding plant at a cost of $11,000,000. It is equipped with the Fore River turbine engine.

The transports also had on board the Argentine exhibit for the Panama Exposition at San Francisco, including Indian relics, bronze art objects, grain and other products of that country.

A consignment of 850 tons of hides for New York was in the holds of the ships.

TENDER SURPRISE PARTY.

Half a hundred friends of John A. Clarke called at his home on Thayer street and tendered him a surprise party Friday evening.

Alfred O. Black presented him with a rug to be unrolled in his new home on Independence avenue when he takes possession next week.

During the evning there were songs by Mr. Clarke, Stephen Kinney and William J. McLeod. Mrs. Clarke was assisted in the arrangements by Miss Mary and Miss Sarah Harkins.

Mr. Clarke is a prominent granite man and is a member of the firm of the Empire Polishing Co. He is regent-elect of John Adams council, Royal Arcanum.

WOMEN BOWLERS.

The Wollaston Woman's Club bowlers hold their weekly matinee at the Wardwell alleys Tuesday afternoon. Their scores run high and in the last match were:

Mrs. Bird	76	80	81	237
Mrs. Waterhouse	60	76	78	208
Mrs. Price	103	72	60	235
Mrs. Barstow	56	65	53	174
Mrs. Newell	73	78	66	217
Mrs. Dinsmore	78	77	75	220
Mrs. Hopkins	77	67	77	221
Mrs. Otis	65	66	64	195
Mrs. Hatch	56	76	70	202
Mrs. Green	69	44	60	173
Mrs. White	59	67	72	198
Miss Luard	80	57	71	208

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SPORTING COMMENT

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pctge.
Wellesley H. S.	2	1	.667
Quincy H. S.	2	2	.500
Winthrop H. S.	1	1	.500
Revere H. S.	1	1	.500
Reading H. S.	0	1	.000

Quincy and Mansfield High schools play here Wednesday afternoon. The game is set for 3.45.

The National Duck and Candlepin Bowling Congress will be held at the Littlefield alleys, April 26 to May 7. Among the local men to participate will be Paul Poehler, small ball champion of the world, and James Dell of the Clan MacGregor league.

The MacGregor and Ramsays are tie for first place in the Scottish clans league with 49 points won and 11 lost. The McPhails are three points less.

Poehler and Hardy are tied at 109 for high average in the Suburban league.

A match between picked teams of the General Electric Co. of Lynn and Fore River stars is being arranged by the bowling fans.

Quincy H. S. is having considerable hard luck in keeping her basket ball team intact. First Crosscup was sick and couldn't play against Wellesley and Reading. In the Winthrop game Crockers knee gave out so he couldn't finish. Friday Barstow, a regular forward, was laid up with a bad cold and couldn't take the trip.

Beaton who is playing left back promises to be one of the best schoolboy basket ball players of the season. His biggest fault at present is a tendency to try long shots instead of passing in to a forward. Such shots look nice when they go right and usually get a cheer, but they look mighty foolish if they fall short. Moreover such shooting is not good team work.

The second team is acquiring a set of rooters as enthusiastic as any that have ever followed the first team. The clean all round work of the youngsters is deserving of praise. Outweighed in every game, they have proven that speed is the more important element, and have come out victors every time.

Desmond, the new arrival in basket ball, looks promising. He scored a nice shot and kept his opponent well out of the game at all times.

Beaton, in addition to securing two baskets, secured a "shiner" and today the left side of his face has joined in the discoloration. Beaton does not remember how it happened.

Soccer games were postponed Saturday for the third successive week on account of poor ground conditions. The clash between Fore River and the New Bedford teams has been postponed to Feb. 20 .

BASKET BALL SATURDAY.

Weymouth High 27, Thayer Academy 20.

Thayer Girls 21, Cohasset 11.

Boston Y. M. C. A. 39, Clapp Memorial 22.

Winthrop High 15 , Wellesley 10, (Interscholastic league)

Cambridge Y. M. C. A. 24, Quincy Y. M. C. A. 16.

Cunnigham Gym 25, Needham Y. P. A. 11.

St. Aljhonsus 40, Fort Andrews 18.

K. OF C. LEAGUE STANDING.

Considerable interest centers in the weeks matches in the league of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus. The standing follows:

Capt. R. Sullivan	7	1
Capt. J. Cantfill	6	2
Capt. F. Avery	5	3
Capt. P. Avery	3	5
Capt. R. Coyle	3	5
Capt. T. Fallon, Jr.	1	7

High single, Thomas H. Fallon and Al Thompson, 111.

High three string total, James Powers, 285.

LEADING ELK SERIOUSLY ILL.

Stewart M. McLeon, exalted ruler of Brockton lodge of Elks, is at his home, 10 Tremont street, in a serious condition. He is under the constant care of two physicians and a trained nurse. He will be unable to lead the grand march at the annual Elks' ball, Jan. 25.

DEFEATS WELLESLEY.

Wellesley High of the Interscholastic basket ball league was defeated for the first time in two years on Saturday afternoon. Winthrop's victory 15 to 10 resulted from a hotly contested game.

EARTH SHOCKS DISTURB ITALY

Buildings Cracked by First 'Quake Are Completely Razed

DEATH LIST GROWS LARGER

Number of Killed in Avezzano and Vicinity Estimated at Fifteen Thousand, While as Many More Are Thought to Have Perished in the District—Buildings Centuries Old as Well as Modern Structures Are Levelled—Rescue Work Progresses Slowly—Force of Earthquake Cracks Great Mountains

Rome, Jan. 18.—A renewal of seismic disturbances Sunday served to add to the terror of the people in parts of the district that was visited by the heavy earthquake last Wednesday.

Although the shocks were light, buildings which had been cracked and were tottering from the effects of the first disturbance were completely razed. At Avezzano and Sora, the towns which had suffered worse from the disaster, the people left the temporary shelters in which they are living and took refuge in open places.

Rain and severely cold weather in some parts of the district are badly hampering the work of rescue. This is particularly true of Sora. In many of the towns which were thrown down by the earthquake it is feared that there are still living persons beneath the debris, and that unless they are extricated soon they will perish.

Death List Increase

The latest reports received in Rome increase rather than decrease the aggregate of the casualties and the extent of the damage done. In the department of the Abruzzi, without including the Sora district, it is estimated that 30,000 persons met death.

The Italian government has appropriated $1,000,000 for the relief work and King Victor Emmanuel has donated $60,000 for the aid of children abandoned by their parents or made orphans by the disaster. Relief supplies are pouring into the stricken districts.

Twelve thousand bodies, it is semi-officially estimated, are buried under the fallen walls of Avezzano. Rescuers believe there still are many living beneath the tons of debris, and desperate efforts are being made to rescue them.

Most of the irregular masses of stone have not yet been touched with pick or shovel. This is the fault of no one, because it would take a thousand workmen several days to turn over and excavate what has been slowly quarried and built up during centuries.

Situation at Avezzano

Captain Pisani Vettori, who has charge of the relief work at Avezzano, estimates that there are 15,000 dead in Avezzano, Cappelle, Magliano and the villages in this immediate district. Only 500 bodies have been taken from the ruins. These were laid irregularly in open spaces all over the city.

In the midst of this desolation, which reminded correspondents who had been at the battle front of Soissons after 200 days' bombardment by German and French artillery, are camp fires around which parties of survivors are cooking army rations distributed to them. They are shivering in the sharp winter air on this high table land of the Appenines.

Churches with massive walls, the ancient castle of Orsini, new structural steel and brick business blocks, all were levelled by the earthquake, which lasted only thirty-one seconds. The castle of Orsini was used as a local administration building. Twelve gendarmes happened to be in the guard room when the earth rocked. Eleven were killed and the twelfth was seriously injured.

More Tremors at Sora

Slight earth tremors have not ceased at Sora and the local authorities declare not a single house in town is safe for occupancy. Captain Fusi, who is directing the work of rescue, is convinced that more than 1000 victims are buried in the debris.

Rescue work is progressing slowly and there now is very little hope of finding persons alive, because in most cases bodies are buried beneath immense piles of masonry. The authorities are devoting most of their attention to caring for the few persons who escaped death. The Red Cross has opened an emergency hospital where the less dangerously injured are being cared for.

The sufferings of Sora's homeless population have been intensified by a cold, drizzling rain. The people have been warned not to reoccupy the houses which remain standing until buildings have beeen carefully inspected.

Losses in Other Places

San Atolio has 200 dead and 500 injured, Morfio 1500 dead, Canistro 600 injured, Cervaro 300 victims, Borgo 50 dead and Valleroveto 1800. At Civitella Roveto almost the entire population escaped because they were working in the fields when the shock occurred.

Frantic appeals for help have been received from Perellaliri, 3500 feet up on Mount Arungo. The village was almost destroyed and the survivors say they are perishing of cold and hunger.

In the highway near Ortucchio the earth has opened, causing an immense pit filled with water, the depth of which is unknown.

The terrific force of the earthquake cracked the mountains near Luco. Huge pieces of rock, each of which weighed several tons, rolled down the hillside, burying the cottages of peasants, killing cattle and obstructing the roads.

Mont Pizzodeta, 6450 feet high, between Balsorano and Rocacerro, was cut into two parts by an immense fissure which is visible at a great distance.

A HISTORIC MONUMENT.

Marcus Aurelius Column, One of Beauties of Rome, Damaged by Earthquake.

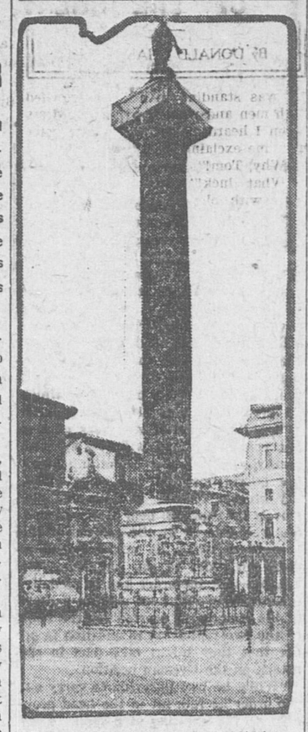


Photo by American Press Association.

SULLIVAN LINKED WITH REVOLUTION

Minister Said to Have Fomented Santo Domingo Uprising

New York, Jan. 18.—Testimony tending to connect James M. Sullivan with fomenting a revolution in Santo Domingo was given before Commissioner Phelan, who is conducting the presidential investigation into the conduct of the office of Sullivan, American minister to Santo Domingo.

James L. Byrne, a construction engineer of Boston, declared Sullivan was largely responsible for the revolution of 1914 and that it was frequently declared among the residents of the islands that Sullivan was to profit to th extent of $100,000 if the Banco Nacional obtained the loan of $1,500,000 sought by the Dominican government. This loan was later subscribed to in full by the National City bank of New York.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER

Charge Against Mrs. Burns, Accused of Poisoning Husband

Raymond, N. H., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Mary A. Burns was arraigned in court here, charged with first degree murder in the killing of her husband, Frank A. Burns, by poisoning, at Nottingham.

She pleaded not guilty and was held without bail for the February term of the grand jury. She was taken back to Portsmouth jail.

Mrs. Burns was first arraigned on Dec. 31 on a charge of causing the death of her husband, and was held over for the purpose of securing additional evidence. Burns died of cyanide poisoning Dec. 22.

Lynn Shoe Men Agree

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 18.—After twenty-five years of negotiations and incessant disagreements and strikes, the shoe manufacturers of Lynn and the United Shoe Workers of America signed an agreement to submit all questions to a board of adjustment with the right to appeal to the state board of conciliation and arbitration.

Aged Woman Declines Pension

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Catherine A. Richards, 88 years old, has asked the Washington bureau of pensions to discontinue her pension of $12 a month. She announced that her income is sufficient to meet her wants.

Roberts Left Snug Estate

London, Jan. 18.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts, who died Nov. 14, left an estate of $385,000, all of which goes to his widow and daughters. This amount is exclusive of property previously settled on his family by Lord Roberts.

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Dec. 23-tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Kerrigan, late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament, of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John F. Kerrigan of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 7-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John J. Deady late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Katherine Deady of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving surety on her official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 8-15-18

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary D. Dame late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Harry H. Brown of Jersey City in the State of New Jersey who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 16-18-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Frances E. Jelinek late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Alfred W. Jelinek of said Quincy without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 6-13-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Elmer E. Prior late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Elizabeth M. Prior of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 9-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Carrie H. Durgin late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Grace L. Durgin of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 5-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Ryan late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John W. Ryan, of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 15-18-25

INQUIRY INTO RISE IN PRICES

Will Be Undertaken by Department of Justice

ORDERED BY THE PRESIDENT

Plan to Determine Whether Any Illegal Combinations Are Back of Sudden Increase In Prices of Wheat and Flour—Embargo on Exports Suggested to Keep Home Prices Normal

Washington, Jan. 18.—President Wilson directed Attorney General Gregory to investigate whether there had been any violation of law in the rise of prices of wheat and flour.

The president had before him the suggestion of Mrs. Julia Heath, president of the National Housewives' league, that he order an embargo on wheat exports from this country should prices continue to rise.

The department of commerce probably will be asked by the president to furnish information showing what degree of increase in exports of wheat and flour followed the outbreak of the European war.

Gregory has promised prompt prosecutions on any evidences that illegal combinations have forced up the price of wheat and flour or other food products. One investigation now being conducted in Chicago is being watched closely by the department of justice.

From various sources suggestions have been made to the president that an embargo be laid on wheat and flour exports to keep home prices normal. Officials decline to comment on any of them.

In Chicago there was a flurry in the wheat pit when the May option dropped five points in fifteen minutes on the report that a congressional movement was on foot to prohibit exports. May wheat, which closed at $1.45 Friday, sold down to $1.40.

The wholesale price of the best grades of flour was advanced to $7.50 a barrel in New York, with families paying more than $8 a barrel at the retail stores. At the end of the Franco-Prussian war, lasting but seven months, flour sold at $7.50 a barrel.

TOO PROUD TO BEG

Starvation the Tragic End of Once Well-to-Do Couple

Passaic, N. J., Jan. 18.—An examination of the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Farley of this city shows that the couple chose death by starvation because they were too proud to ask financial aid after the husband had lost his position.

The woman had been dead two days when the police forcibly entered the Farley apartment, and the man was then so near death that he lived only a few hours after being removed to a hospital.

The statement that Farley, who was 50 years old, lost his job three months ago; that his wife, 48, had been ill and that their savings expended in caring for her, led the police to believe that the couple perhaps thought death was the easiest way out of their difficulties.

AND STILL ANOTHER!

Garza Has Become the Provisional President of Mexico

Mexico City, Jan. 18.—General Garza was named provisional president of Mexico by the convention in session here, over which he has presided.

The former provisional president, General Gutierrez, together with Generals Blanco and Vacconcelos, left Mexico City for Pacuco.

Martial law has been declared by Garza and the city is being patrolled by mounted police.

In electing Garza, the convention declared itself to be supreme and, until a new president is elected, has assumed all the legislative, executive and domestic powers.

FIND COUNTERFEIT OUTFIT

Federal Officers Take Two Prisoners In Gold Coin Plant

New York, Jan. 18.—Two men are held prisoners on charges of counterfeiting, their arrests quickly following a raid on a house in Brooklyn by secret service agents under Chief Flynn. An elaborate plant was confiscated by the government agents, which, according to Flynn, was used for the manufacture of spurious $10 and $20 gold pieces.

The prisoners were George Ellis, 20 years old, and Harry Billings, 22. Ellis is locked up in the Greenwich street police station, but Billings was sent to Bellevue hospital, suffering from morphine poisoning.

Death of Major Clarkson

Newberg, Ore., Jan. 18.—Major Thaddeus S. Clarkson, formerly commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and at one time postmaster of Omaha, died here, aged 74. He was born at Gettysburg, Pa., in 1841.

Roumanian Students Recalled

Paris, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from Geneva says that Roumanian students in Swiss universities received orders by telegraph to return home on account of mobilization of the Roumanian army.

FOUR PERISH IN FIRE

Father, Two Daughters and Son Caught In Apartment Blaze

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Four of a family of eight were burned to death when fire swept through their apartments over a furniture store and the mother and two of her daughters were severely injured when forced to leap three stories into the arms of policemen.

Those who perished were Fritz Levinsky, 52 years old, and two daughters and a son, ranging in age from 4 to 14 years. His wife, Bessie, 43, and two daughters, Ethel and Rose, 18 and 19 years old respectively, plunged from a third story window as flames began to envelope their clothing.

Although Mrs. Levinsky's fall was broken she received a fracture of both legs and such serious internal injuries that she is expected to die. Her two daughters were only slightly hurt, and a little son was carried out unconscious.

GUS WILLIAMS A SUICIDE

Was Known on Stage For Years as a German Comedian

Yonkers, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Gus Williams, Civil war veteran, and for the last thirty-five years one of the best known comedians on the stage, shot himself and died without regaining consciousness.

Williams fired a bullet into his head while standing in a railroad station here. No reason is known for his act.

Mrs. Williams said her husband had gone to New York earlier in the day for a consultation with his manager. He had been in good spirits despite a long illness from a stomach disorder, she said. He had just left a train from New York when he shot himself.

Williams' real name was Leweck. He began his career on the statge in 1866.

PRESIDENT WILSON BECOMES GRANDDAD

Son Is Born to Mrs. Sayre, His Daughter, In White House

Washington, Jan. 18.—A son was born at the White House to Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, President Wilson's second daughter. Mrs. Sayre and the child are doing well.

The boy weighed 7½ pounds. He announced his arrival by a series of cries which gave assurance that his lungs were in excellent condition.

President Wilson made no effort to conceal his joy when informed that the child was a boy and that Mrs. Sayre was doing well. His face was wreathed in smiles for hours afterward. It was his first grandchild and the president has no sons of his own.

A name has not been selected but it is expected the child will be named for his grandfather. The christening is expected to be held in the White House.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGED

Indictments Are Returned Against Idaho State Officials

Boise, Ia., Jan. 18.—Joseph H. Peterson, state attorney general; Frederick W. Huston, state auditor, and three others were indicted on charges of embezzlement.

It is charged that they embezzled various sums itemized in an accountant's report concerning the shortage of $70,000 in the accounts of O. V. Allen, former state treasurer. Allen is now in the penitentiary.

H. F. Allen, a brother of the former state treasurer; J. H. Wallis, former state pure food inspector, and R. W. Wark, a clerk in the state auditor's office, were the others indicted. In each case bond was furnished for $2000.

DROPS DEAD IN HOME

Heir to Legacy Was About to Start on His First Vacation

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 18.—John Burchell, 53, who had just fallen heir to a fortune and had intended to take this week the first vacation of his life, fell dead at his home here.

Burchell had worked for the street department for many years. He received word that he had fallen heir to a fortune in Ireland, and that he and a brother would each receive $10,000.

Accordingly he asked permission of the street department head to take a vacation this week. Sunday, however, when he started to walk downstairs he dropped dead.

Great Roast of Poultry

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 18.—About 600 hens were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the building of the Cambridge Poultry company and seriously damaged another building. The fire apparently started in a blacksmith shop next door to the poultry company's building.

Three Little Girls Drown

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 18.—Three little girls were drowned when the ice broke under them on Big pond, between this city and Clinton. They are Agnes Sheridan, 8, Annie Hester and Monica Grady, each 10 years old.

Italy Buys American Horses

East St. Louis, Ills., Jan. 18.—An order for 890 cavalry and artillery horses was placed here by representatives of the Italian government.

A Stagecoach Wedding

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

I was standing in a room crowded with men and women in evening dress when I heard a cheery feminine voice near me exclaim:

"Why, Tom!"

"What luck!" responded a young man, with blond hair, parted in the middle, and his chin held up by a very high collar.

"I don't know a person here," said the girl, who had spoken first.

"Nor I. I would rather have met you than own a gold mine."

"Isn't it nice to meet some one you don't expect, but whom you wish to meet?"

Happy smiles illuminated the faces of these two youngsters, whom it made me happy to look at. Indeed, there was one especial reason for my enjoyment of this pleasant surprise, for it reminded me of one that had occurred in my own family years before.

In the sixties—I refer to the last century—my father, then a young man, went out to Denver to grow up with a new town. Albert Reeder had gone there a few years before with his family for the purpose of building a stamp mill on Clear creek, up in the mountains, and had become interested in the extraction of gold from ore. My father, who was as poor as a church mouse, found work in the service of Mr. Reeder and was sent up to one of his stamp mills, where he soon became superintendent.

Mr. Reeder thought my father one of the brightest young men in the world and was ready to do anything for him till he discovered that his employee had a love affair with his daughter, Agnes. Then he suddenly turned against him. The trouble was that Reeder had a prospect of soon becoming very rich and had begun to cherish expectations of Agnes marrying either a duke or a prince or something of that order.

The young couple were in a peck of trouble in consequence of the old man's refusal to consent to their union. Of course the matter rested with Agnes. My father couldn't do anything without her concurrence, and she was indisposed to break with her father. But her father must have been uncertain of her, for he ordered her to get ready to go back east to stay awhile with an aunt. Agnes seemed disposed to yield to his commands. She wrote my father that he might come down from the mill and say goodby to her. He did so and there was a very affecting scene between the lovers.

Inasmuch as Agnes was making her preparations to go east and it was supposed that she was bidding her lover a last farewell, no opposition was made to the two youngsters seeing as much of each other as they liked. They spent a whole evening together, during which Agnes told my father that if she married him her father would disinherit her and that she would lose a very large fortune. Her mother was bitterly opposed to her marriage with my father, for it was she who was determined to exchange the wealth she would inherit for one of those rundown titled foreigners who are in the market for American heiresses.

My father was the more cast down because, while Agnes talked about her mother's wishes in this matter, he was not quite sure that Agnes herself was not inclined to the plan of marrying a title and was accustomed to do pretty much as she pleased.

However, there was nothing for my father to do but submit, and he said goodby to Agnes lugubriously. One thing he knew—if she was disposed to obedience he could not move her, and if she was not disposed to obedience her parents could not hold her.

My father, notwithstanding his employer's opposition to his marriage, was continued in his position and the morning after his farewell left for the mill. He always rode on the outside of the coach and climbed on top, where he resigned himself to brooding over the severest blow one can receive, whether young or old—separation from a mate.

From Denver the road westward extends for fifteen miles to the base of the mountains, then rises abruptly. The morning was bright to every one on the coach except my father, and those inside seemed to be having a hilarious time. My father thought nothing of this, for stagecoach travelers always become acquainted, and he supposed they were enjoying each other's companionship.

They were approaching the base of the mountains when a voice from below called out that Jim Harkaway—that was my father—was wanted inside. Nothing was further from his inclination, and he refused to descend. But the request was repeated, and at last he climbed down and entered the coach. All looked at him expectantly, and one of the men said smilingly:

"Every one loves a lover. Cheer up, young man! If you must have a girl here's one for you."

He pointed to an old lady on the back seat. My father looked at her wonderingly, and suddenly she threw back a veil and exposed the smiling features of Agnes.

This meeting between my father and mother came back to me as I looked upon the young couple and saw their expression of pleased surprise, only I fancy my father's was far more radiant.

There was a clergyman in the coach, and the wedding took place then and there.

NORTH WEYMOUTH

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Lemander Jan. 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrows and daughter Elinor were recent guests of North Weymouth friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Peterson of Bridge street have gone to Maine, Mr. Peterson having been transferred from the local cooper shop of the A. A. Co. to their Searsport factory. Mrs. Peterson and the children are at Rockland, Maine.

Wednesday Mrs. W. O. Collyer entertained with a covered dish party at her home on Sea street in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Emily Trussell Mrs. Trussell was the pleased recipient of an apron shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Lunt have returned from a visit to Mrs. Lunt's mother at Duxbury.

Mrs. E. C. Swift is reported as slightly ill.

William McCarthy, of the U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at Philadelphia, is visiting his grandmother Mrs. Adelaide Trainor.

The next lecture in the free course of the Tufts series will be held at Pilgrim church Wednesday night Charles Wellington Furlong will deliver a lecture on "Brazil, the Land of the Southern Cross," illustrated by stereopticon views.

Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Atwood of Portsmouth, N. H. were in town last week.

In the weekly game of basket ball, the Athens team defeated the Hunt team by a score of 14 to 8.

The Old Colony Conference of Universalists meets Wednesday at the North Weymouth church at 10.30 A. M for an all day conference. The speakers will be Rev. M. S. Nash, Rev. George E. Leighton, Rev. Chester Underhill and Warren Spaulding, Secretary of the Mass. Prison Association.

Prof. Charles Zueblin will speak at the next Community Service Union meeting, subject, "Evolution or Revolution." A chorus of 12 mixed voices will furnish music, with Miss Emma Clapp organist.

Sumner Holbrook and Fred Saunders are doing jury duty at the civil term of court at Dedham.

Mrs. Agnes Baldwin the retiring president of W. R. C. 102, received $15 in gold as token of esteem.

A call by telephone summoned Combination One to the home of Dr. M. J. Sweeney, 143 Bridge street, Friday afternoon. A defective electric light wire caused slight damage owing to the fact that there was a metal ceiling and the fire esily controlled.

Miss Ethel Carey, with the Girl from Utah company has been staying at her home on Pond street during the Boston engagement and left for Philadelphia with the company at the close of Saturday's performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge B. Nash are rejoicing in the birth of a son born Jan 12.

At the meeting of the Selectmen Mr. Alfreds who conducts hotels at Portland, Maine was granted an inn-holder's license at 302 Bridge street, known as the Priscilla Blanchard place.

Several North Weymouth cousins of Miss Mary Thomas of Milton journeyed to her home Jan. 9, to assist in celebrating her 86th birthday. Those present from this town were Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, Mrs. Allen Thomas O'Neill, A. J. Sidelinger, Mrs. Lizzie Thomas Sidelinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Seabury, Roland Thomas Seabury, Mrs. Mary Abby Thomas Barker, Miss Thomas sang a duet with Rev. Mr. Woodsum, which was a delight to the hearers, A. J. Sidelinger rendered vocal solos and Roland Seabury piano solos. After singing Doxology the company dispersed.

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Probate Court

To the Honorable the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents Andrew Johnson of Quincy in said County, and Bertha C. Johnson his wife, that they are of the age of twenty-one years or upwards, and are desirous of adopting Edward E. Larson of Cambridge, Massachusetts, a child of Andrew Larson of Cambridge in the County of Middlesex and Anna Teresa Larson his wife, which said child was born in said Quincy on the twenty-eighth day of May A. D. 1905; that the mother of said minor child has deserted and is living separate and apart from her husband and said minor child, and his father is not able to support said child properly.

Wherefore they pray for leave to adopt said child, and that his name may be changed to that of Edward E. Johnson.

Dated this eleventh day of January A. D. 1915.

ANDREW JOHNSON
BERTHA C. JOHNSON

The undersigned, being the father of said child, hereby consents to the adoption, as above prayed for.

ANDREW LARSON.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

On the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioners notify said Anna Teresa Larson to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any she has, why the same should not be granted, by serving her with a copy of said petition and this order seven days before said Court, or if she be not found within this Commonwealth, by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 16, 1915. The committee on cities will give a hearing to parties interested in H 70, on amendment to Quincy city charter as to council vacancies, at Room No. 429 State House, on Thursday, Jan. 21, 1915 at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Andrew P. Doyle, Chairman. Harry C. Woodill, Clerk of Committee. 18-1t

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BUILDING PERMITS.

The following building permits were issued last week.

Albert Nelson, dwelling Cherry ave.

Hattie A. Jefferson, dwelling Willow street.

Albertina M. Whitman, alteration, Grand View avenue.

John M. Hall, dwelling Ridgeway street.

E. G. Anazreen and G. F. Sawyer, dwelling, Bay street, Squantum.

C. F. Cook, alteration, Sea street.

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BIRTHS

DROLLETT—In Braintree, Jan. 17, a daughter to Arthur W. and Irene A. (Holbrook) Drollett, of West street.

MURPHY—In Quincy, Jan. 15, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Murphy of Hancock street.

TITUS—In Quincy, Jan. 17, a son to Mr. Harry Wentworth, and Mrs. Anna Jacobsen Titus of Kendrick avenue.

HILL—In Wollaston, Jan. 16, a son to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hill of Farrington street.

MARRIAGES.

PAPAGNI—PEPE—In West Quincy, Jan. 17, by William M. Marden, Esq. Antonio Papagni and Eugenia Pepe, both of West Quincy.

DEATHS

PAPIO—In Quincy, Jan. 16, Matti E. Papio of 27 Branch street, in his 43rd year.

TURNER—In Quincy, Jan. 16, Levi H. Turner of 471 Hancock street, aged 61 years.

CHEVERIE—In Commonwealth Hospital, Boston, Jan. 14, Isabelle, beloved wife of Fidelus Cheverie. Funeral from her late residence, 19 Lancaster street Quincy, Wednesday Jan. 20, at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. John's church at 9 o'clock! Relatives and friends invited to attend. 19-2t

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SURPRISE MISS MARTINI.

About 50 friends of Miss Jessie Martini of Furnace avenue, a well konwn and popular girl, held a surprise party for her at Slaugers hall Saturday evening. Miss Mary Sartori presented her with a students bag in behalf of those present.

Music was furnished by Mezzacazza Orchestra and dancing was in order until midnight. The affair was in charge of Mary Cartori, Josephine Martini, Etta Martini, Loreto Marini, Domenic Marini and Tony DiBona. Among those present were Mary Carulla, Ida Predario, Mary Montani, Aarulla, Alice Montani, Theresa Martini, Joseph Colletti, George Patriarch, Edward Welsh, Mingo Marini, Martin Monti, Sylvester Slauger, Frank Slauger, Herbert Hawes, Arthur Casarico and Robert Carulla.

PLAN VALENTINE PARTY.

The Arbutus Girls held their meeting Friday evening at the home of Miss May Williams of Ashland street. The girls have made plans to hold a Valentine party in Colonial hall Thursday evening, Feb. 11. It will be an invitation affair and the committee in charge are busy making preparations to make it a social success.

HOLD MONTHLY SOCIAL.

The monthly social of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Wollaston Congregational church was held Friday evening at the parsonage with Dr. and Mrs. Sneath. There was a good attendance of young people and after the business session there were games and singing. Light refreshments were served.

MAYOR ADDRESSES CLASS.

Mayor Campbell gave a short talk before the Rand and Walther classes at the Wollaston Baptist church Sunday noon.

Stetson Avery, son of Judge Albert E. Avery of the Quincy court is en route for London, where he goes on business combined with pleasure.

GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R F. CLAFLIN Clerk.

Jan. 12-7t

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Miss Elsie Burrell of 422 Washington street spent the week end with friends in Salem.

Letters have been received from Alfred J. Luxton, who left Wollaston last month to enlist in England.

The kindergarten held during the church service at the Wollaston Baptist church is proving a great success.

Seldon H. Nickerson has gone to Peterboro, N. H., on an extended business trip.

Delegations from Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., will visit Unique lodge of Jamaica Plain, Thursday evening.

Miss Dorothy P. Lowe, a popular graduate Q. H. S. 1913, is teaching stenography, typewriting, and English at the Methuen High school.

Mrs. Bailey, wife of Councilman Charles B. Bailey is slowly convalescing from a severe attack of nervous prostration.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murphy of Hancock street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at the Quincy City Hospital Thursday.

Joseph L. Whiton, president of the City Council, and Mrs. Whiton are registered at the Waldorf Astoria, New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hill of Farrington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born Saturday.

Miss Louise Wilson of the class of 1914 of Quincy High school is training for nursing at the Peter Brigham Hospital at Boston.

Miss Beatrice Morrison of Edgemere road spent Sunday in Reading, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Phillips formerly of Quincy.

Hilda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bergvald is confined to her home on Euclid avenue by a severe cold.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Wollaston Congregational church is to entertain the Wollaston Baptist Y. P. S. C. E. and the Epworth League at a social on Friday evening Jan. 29.

The many friends of Mrs. Ernest B Neal of 182 Warren avenue will be glad to learn that the quarantine has been lifted. Master Donald has been ill with a slight attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon T. Field, recently of Chelsea, are to entertain the chorus choir of the Wollaston Baptist church at their new home, 87 Grand View avenue on Saturday evening.

Miss Thomas, president of the East Norfolk Junior Endeavor Union presided at the meeting in the Wollaston Congregational church Friday evening and Miss Madeline Horse and Miss Sallie Weinschenk served refreshments.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Walther are visiting Mrs. Walther's parents in Worcester. In the pastor's absence, Rev. George B. Huntington, assistant secretary of the American foreign missionary society, gave an address on "The War and Christ's Kingdom."

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wentworth Titus of Kendrick avenue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Sunday. The little one will be christened Lincoln Harriman. Mrs. Titus will be remembered as Anna Jacobsen, the marriage taking place some five years ago.

A large delegation of operators from the Quincy exchange and their friends were in attendance at the dance given Friday evening in Hibernian hall, Dudley street, Boston, by the Telephone Operators Union. The affair was a great success the hall being crowded to the doors.

Dr. Fenimore S. Andrews has accepted an appointment as a member of the extracting staff of the Forsyth Dental Infirmary, where he will be on duty alternate Wednesday afternoons. Dr. Andrews has resigned as instructor at the Harvard Dental School.

M. W. Alexander of the General Electric Co. of Lynn will be the speaker at the meeting of the First parish club next Tuesday evening. Mr. Alexander is a man of wide experience in electrical matters and his talk should be most interesting.

The immediate friends of Miss Mae Kerrigan of Chestnut street tendered her a reception in honor of her birthday anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Regan on South Walnut street Saturday evening. Miss Kerrigan presided at the cutting of the cake and was the recipient of many gifts.

BRIEFS

The funeral of Katherine, the five year old daughter of Mrs. David Evans was held Sunday afternoon with a good attendance of neighbors and friends. Rev. Mr. Campbell officiated at the services at the home on Copeland street. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Edward D. Barrett of Quincy, district deputy, supreme knight of the K of C. officially visited Home City council of Springfield on Sunday. He was accompanied by James H. Whelan as warden and Thomas Fallon as assistant warden.

Members of the Quincy Historical Society attended the Bay State Historical Society meeting at Milton Saturday afternoon where they were the guests of the Milton Historical society. Topic discussed was "How can Children Best be Taught the History of Their Own Community." Henry Whittemore, superintendent of the Framingham Normal School and Alonzo E. Locke, president of the Lexington Historical society, led in the discussion. "Milton's place in the County" was the topic of Charles S Pierce.

PLAN TOURNAMENT.

A pool tournament of all the social clubs of West Quincy is being arranged. The best players from the Copeland, Ave Maria, K. of C., Etna Social club, Foresters of America, St Mary's Italian Americans, Franco Americans and Pineo's Colts are expected to enter. Mr. Pineo, manager of the pool room has offered a valuable prize to the winning team. Any member of the above organizations are elligible and are asked to give in their name before Feb. 21 so that the schedule can be made up. If this tournament is run the winner will be open for a series of games with the Quincy Social Clubs winning pool sharks.

BANQUET COMMITTEE.

President Fegan of the Board of Trade has appointed Albert L. Whitman, John C. Scott and John L. Hamilton, as the committee to arrange for the annual banquet of the Board.

MATTI E. PAPIO.

Matti E. Papio, one of the best known Finnish residents of West Quincy, died at his home at 27 Branch street Saturday night. He was in his 43rd year and leaves a wife and several children. Papio was the proprietor of a grocery store at Brewers corner and highly respected by the Finnish people of the city.

CLASS TEAMS PLAY.

Class teams games will be played at High school Wednesday during the halves of the Quincy-Mansfield basketball games. The opponents will be the seniors and freshmen.

QUINCY JUNIORS TO PLAY.

The Holbrook High school team will play Quincy's junors basket ball team on Feb. 3, during the Quincy-Woburn game intermissions.

HEAVY FINE.

The continued case of Richard J. Blackmore for assault on Joseph Kenney at Cohasset, which was begun a week ago and in which ex-Lieut. Gov. Barry appeared as counsel for the defense, was finished Saturday when Blackmore was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $100 from which he took an appeal. In the case of Thomas Joyce who was tried jointly with Blackmore, the court found him not guilty and ordered his discharge.

SUCCEEDS McENTEE.

Lieut. Atkins, who succeeds Lieut. McEntee as government inspector of submarine construction at the Fore River shipyard was among the guests at the launching of the torpedo boat destroyer Cushing on Saturday, and was presented to the Quincy people who attended.

Lieut. Atkins came to Quincy last week. He is married and the father of three children. Lieut. and Mrs. Atkins have taken a house on Thayer street.

Lieut. McEntee leaves for Washington today to take charge of the model basin at the Washington Navy yard.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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OPPOSES TOWN RIVER SITE.

J. B. Bates Terms It An Illogical Location For Public Dock.

Editor, The Ledger:

I see by the daily papers of a recent date, in glaring headlines, that the Quincy Granite Industry is doomed if the city does not build a Public Dock. I also noted in the same papers that at the Board of Trade meeting, Wednesday evening, certain "Interests," through their lieutenants urged the establishment of a Public Dock on Town River and that immediate action was necessary; that his Honor, Mayor Campbell be requested to take action at once. I sincerely hope that the mayor and the City Council will carefully safeguard the interests of the Taxpayer and not be bamflammed into allowing the City of Quincy to be buncoed by appropriating $100,000 for a Public Dock, ostensibly for the Granite Industry, on Town river.

As a heavy taxpayer, I bitterly oppose the building of a Public Dock for the Granite Industry on Town river. Town river is an illogical, unnatural, and unwarranted location and to build a dock there for the Granite Industry is about as sensible as it was for the man who built his cellar in the attic. Will this illogical unreasonable, and unwarranted location for a Public Dock, at an enormous and untold expense, be forced upon our already double taxed and over burdened Taxpayers? Is the invisible power of the "Big Interests" behind the throne at city hall? Will the iron hand that willed the curse of a Chinese Wall through our City so as to dump 51 parcels of land for the benefit of the Shylocks continue? Don't let us get caught in a trap compelling the Taxpayers eventually to spend a million dollars to complete a dock on Town river by biting at the appropriation of $25,000 for dredging Town river, which our Dock Commissioner lays so great stress upon, providing the City of Quincy appropriates $100,000 as authorized by the legislature.

Will the Board of Trade be the catspaw to pull this $100,000 chestnut through the fire (the council)?

Quincy with its twenty miles of water front,—is it fitting that such a location on Town river with only ten feet of water; no railroad facilities either steam or electric; with no continuous highway leading to it; and with no great local market at its door should be the ideal location for such a dock?

Our Granite Industry needs and should have a dock connected by steam and electric railroads to all of our quarries and such a dock should be located on the Neponset river. The ideal location is what is known as the Minot Lot situated on the Neponset river between Hancock street and the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. This lot of eight acres is assessed for less than one cent a foot; is of solid gravel formation; easily connected by electric and steam railroads; and located at the very door of Boston the greatest market for paving in New England. The location of a dock on the Minot, property would, I believe create conditions so that Quincy granite could compete with the granite world in apy form, way or manner.

The lack of railroad facilities to our quarries, and from them to the water front is the cause of the granite industry dying from stagnation. Who should be more ready and willing to co-operate with us in solving this vital question than the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R.? What does the City of Quincy do for the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R.? The granite industry alone pays into the coffers of the railroad in freight every year more than half a million of dollars, the other industries of Quincy pay another half million dollars each year in freight into the vital question than the N. Y., N. H. & H. and the passenger traffic amounts to another half million each year. So, all told, the City of Quincy pays into the coffers of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R., close to two million dollars every year and what have we received in return but abuse and poor train service. It is high time the granite men of Quincy demanded their rights and just consideration from the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and the mayor and council should back them up in this matter.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I am

Very truly yours,
Gustave B. Bates.

THE FUEL VALUE OF WOOD.

The fuel value of two pounds of wood is roughly equivalent to that of one pound of coal. This is given as the result of certain calculations now being made in the forest service laboratory, which show also about how many cords of certain kinds of wood are required to obtain an amount of heat equal to that in a ton of coal.

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GRANITE SHOE STORE

LEGAL STAMPS

BRIEFS

The annual meeting of the Granite Trust Co., will be held Tuesday.

Mrs. Leonard Felker and Mrs. John Yourell of East Braintree spent Sunday with Mrs. Arthur McDonald of Vest street.

St. Jeane the Baptist society will hold a meeting this evening in the hall on Copeland street.

St. Mary's C. T. A. and M. R. Society will hold its regular meeting this evening.

Helma, the five year old daughter of Perre Pearson of Whitwell street, is confined to her home by a severe cold.

John Reynolds of Wesson avenue proprietor of the Sheep Rock Poultry Farm had two entries in the Poultry show at Mechanics Building last week.

Miss Theresa Curley of eWst street who has been confined to her bed for the last two months was able to sit up a few hours on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Foley, the famous advocate of Equal Suffrage, will speak at the Wollaston School hall this evening.

Mrs. William A. Field of 29 Richie road has recovered from a seige of typhoid fever and is planning to leave for Maine this week. Mrs. Charles E. Stoddard of Portland, Me., is at present her guest.

The parishioners of St. Mary's church will hold a meeting Tuesday evening in the church to make plans for the Annual Parish Reunion. The reunion will be held in St. Joseph's hall, Monday evening, Feb. 15th.

TROUBLES OF LIBRARY.

The corps in charge of the Thomas Crane Public Library are confronted with two problems since the institution was thrown open to the public on Sundays. The first is the securing of enough to take advantage of it and the second is regulating of the discipline.

The people whom the Sunday opening was expected to benefit have not as yet taken the opportunity extended and to date most of those present have been High school students.

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CLUB PLAYS WHIST.

The young women's auction bridge club met Saturday afternoon with Miss Louise Abercombie of Elm street, Braintree. Four tables were in play. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, and coffee were served, and during the serving the hostess presented Miss Eleanor Whittemore, who had the highest score with a pink silk scarf. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 30 with Mrs. Fred G. Howe of Butler road.

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Sniders Chili Sauce, 25c value	19c bot
Sniders Tomato Soup, 10c value	7c can
Sniders Tomato Catsup 25c value	19c bot
Pompelian Olive Oil, Pints	45c can
Old Dutch Cleanser	3 cans 25c
Knox Gelatine	12c pkg
Rumford Baking Powder	25c lb can
Steero Cubes	25c
Big G. Graham, 5 lb. bag	20c
Manhattan Pure Jams	15c bot
Delmonte Sliced Peaches	2 cans 25c
Pure Rising Buckwheat	10c pkg
Fores Spring Lamb	12 1-2c lb

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NEED HUMAN SIDE IN GOVERNMENT

Miss Margaret Foley Talks on Equal Suffrage

A strong advocate for equal suffrage in the person of Miss Margaret Foley held the stage at Wollaston School hall Monday evening under the auspices of the Wollaston Equal Suffrage league. For an hour and a half in her decisive manner the speaker told of the victories and reforms won in other states, challenging anyone to dispute the facts and figures she brought forth.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, president of the local league and on the platform were Dr. Malcolm D. Miller and Miss Ama K. Lee, other officers. An audience, which would have been larger but for the storm, comfortably filled the hall.

"If can reach the voters of Massachusetts," said Miss Foley telling of her experience in the Nevada campaign, "there is no question in my mind but what we will win by a larger majority than ever given any candidate or issue before.

"We know we have the goods. We want to deliver those goods and then we will get a square deal. I don't believe the men of Massachusetts will go back on their women next November.

"You say that a woman's place is in the home and that voting is a man's business. I agree with you that a woman's place is in the home, but I do not agree that voting is a man's business. It is a duty that every man and every woman owes to the state.

"Women today are entering every line of business the same as men. The only exceptions are the army, the navy, the telephone and telegraph and nine other occupations.

"Because men have invented labor saving machinery they have taken occupations out of the home and in the mill and factory you will find women. But the competition of woman's labor is the competition of cheap labor.

"We are asking that woman be given the tool of the twentieth century to work with—the ballot. We realize that the word 'home' means everything to a woman and we are working to have the women in the home.

"Mothering is a woman's business, whether it lies in production or conservation. She looks after the child in the cradle, in the school and factory, and in his amusements.

"Men vote in the terms they think in. Women would vote in the terms they think in. We lose the viewpoint of the mother in our government. We need that mother love. There is enough of the business side in our government. What we want now is the human side.

"No home is complete without both father and mother. How can we think that the town or state is something outside of our life when everything that happens in it affects the four walls within which we live?

"You say 'Women do not want the ballot.' Those opposed to equal suffrage are women in good homes with good husbands. They consider voting a responsibility. You forget that working women are creatures of responsibility.

"I am not in this work for the one woman in a thousand that goes to college. I am for the one in five that enters industry. Few of the slaves wanted to be free because it meant responsibility. The very women that stand in the way of other women now will be the first to use the ballot when we get it.

"Lincoln said: 'It is not a true democracy when one class is governed without the consent of all. True democracy lies in a government of the people, for the people, by the people.' Women are people, but the only ones not having the right to vote are: criminals, idiots, imbeciles, and—women.

"No man has the right to question a foreigner's vote if he holds a certificate of citizenship. All we women ask for is that same privilege. What is government? 'We—the people' does not mean men alone. It does not mean women alone. Is it a representative form of government when it is a government of women by men?

After tracing the development of the women's movement from the time of Susan B. Anthony and her contemporaries, Miss Foley said "We have justice on our side. All we want is justice. You say we women can not have justice and chivalry too. We do not ask for chivalry but we do ask for justice.

"If we do obtain suffrage and men do not tip their hats there will be more bald heads in Massachusetts than there are now. Ventilation is good for the hair.

"If I were offered a choice between the ballot or a seat in the street car I would take the ballot and stand the rest of my life. By my vote I would be in a position to get more street cars.

"We are not asking for public office. All we want is to elect some of you good men in office to do the job. And if you don't do good work, out you go.

"I cannot say what women will do when they get the vote. I do not say the millenium will come. I do not say women will do anything when they get the vote. Nobody knows what they are going to do. But I will say that they will make good.

"If any man refuses to give justice to the women of Massachusetts he will regret it all his life. Suffrage is going to sweep in on the great incoming tide and "For the wrongs that need resistance; for the rights that need assistance; for the future in the distance; we nobly give ourselves."

Miss Foley had a lively tilt with a prominent local socialist who was in the audience, but there were no other questions or objections. A collection was taken for the benefit of the movement.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Wednesday rain or snow followed by clearing and colder.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.08
Sun sets	4.43
Length of day	9.35
Moon sets	10.27
High water, A. M.	2.30
High water, P. M.	3.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 29 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	59 degrees
Jan. 19, 1914,	32 degrees
Jan. 19, 1913,	43 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

ST. KEVINS COURT INSTALS.

Deputy High Chief Finn Performs Office.

John H. Finn, deputy high chief ranger, installed the officers of St. Kevins court, M. C. O. F. in Poland's hall, Atlantic, Monday evening. Among those present were Cornelius M. Duggan, past deputy high chief ranger. Richard A. Cole is the new chief ranger.

Assisting at the installation was the uniform degree team of the court organized when T. H. Keohane was chief ranger. It was their first official appearance and they were highly complimented on their work.

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NONAGENARIAN PASSES AWAY

Miss Susannah Field, 90, Was One of Oldest and Best Known Residents

SICK ONLY A FEW DAYS

Miss Susannah Goddard Field, one of Quincy's oldest residents, passed away at her home on Franklin street early this morning after a few days illness. Miss Field was born in Quincy Oct. 29, 1824 and has always made her home here. Although she had reached a venerable age she was a remarkably smart woman, retaining all of her faculties up to a few days ago when she suffered a shock. Since that time she has failed rapidly until 3 o'clock this morning when she passed away.

On the occasion of her 90th birthday on Oct. 29 she received many of her friends and thoroughly enjoyed the day. She has made her home for many years with her brother and sister.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Relief Floyd, and two brothers John Q. A. Field and George H. Field.

EXAMINATIONS FOR GUN SQUAD

About 75 Applications Have Been Filed

The examination of applicants for the machine gun company being formed here is expected to start next week and it is the general belief in military circles that Surgeon Major Fred E. Jones, Capt. A. F. Blanchard, and Lieut Sydney C. Hardwick will be detailed for this work.

At present there are close to 75 who want to serve in the National Guard. With the passing of the applicants will come the requisitioning of their uniforms to be issued by the state.

Two styles of uniforms will be given the accepted applicants, an olive drab service and a blue dress uniform. Caps for armory work and campaign hats for field work will also be included as well as other military paraphernalia.

Lieut. George Downes in charge of the formation of the company was at Alpha building Monday evening and received many new applications. The drill of the "awkward squad" could not be held because Union hall was in use.

That the company will not be all work but some play became known when Lieut. Downes stated he believed some social life should be held in connection with it and he favored an annual ball and several dancing parties and other affairs during the year.

BOYS BREAK INTO BUILDING.

Emery Boat Co. Loses Several Instruments.

Micrometers and dividers, used in the drafting room of the Emery Boat Co. at the foot of Beach street, Norfolk Downs, were stolen during the night by boys who secured entrance by forcing a window.

The lot taken comprised half a dozen instruments, valued at about $5 each. Inspector Goodhue, in making an investigation found footprints in the soft mud and believes the break to be the work of boys.

POLICE HUNT THIEF.

A new $20 overcoat and $3 in bills were stolen from the Coliseum alleys about midnight Monday. The coat was owned by James Sullivan. An old one was left in its place. Suspicious fastens the theft on three well known young men and the police are making an investigation.

"GOV." WALSH IS MARRIED

Popular Druggist Weds Miss Nellie Reid of Weymouth at Noon Today

HONEYMOON IN SOUTH

Miss Nellie Reid, a popular Weymouth young woman and John Walsh of the Walsh Drug Co. of this city were married at noon today.

The ceremony took place in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at East Weymouth and was performed by the recently appointed pastor, Fr. Cornelius Riordan. Miss Gertrude Reid, sister of the bride was her attendant and William Joyce, nephew of the groom was best man. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony.

The bride was dressed in a toque gray suit with hat to match and her sister wore a tan colored suit with hat to match.

A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Reid at 16 Randall street, East Weymouth. The bridal couple were assisted in receiving by them.

This afternoon they left on a Southern trip and on their return will live at 53 Elm street, Quincy.

Miss Reid is one of the best known young women of the South Shore. She is a graduate of Weymouth High school and resigned her position with the Quincy Savings Bank a few weeks ago.

The groom besides being the proprietor of the Walsh Drug Co. stores is prominent in several fraternal organizations.

BILLS BEFORE LEGISLATURE

Quincy Interested in Several Now Pending

There are a number of bills pending in the legislature in which Quincy is directly or indirectly interested:

Fixing the price of gas in Quincy at 75 cents per 1000 feet.

Giving cities power to amend their charters by a majority vote of its citizens on propositions offered by 12 per cent of the voters.

Authorizing the City of Quincy to increase the amount which it may raise for the City Hospital from $5,000 per year to $10,000 per year. The city is now appropriating the sum of $4,000 for this institution.

Providing that municipal elections in cities in Massachusetts shall be held on the second Monday in December of each year.

Providing that cities may appropriate money for the purpose of providing suitable places for the Grand Army to meet.

Providing that vacancies in the death or resignation of the mayor may be filled for the remainder of the term by the president of the city council and that vacancies in the city council may be filled by the remaining members of the council.

Providing that cities may appropriate money for the celebration of holidays.

Authorizing the City of Quincy to appropriate the sum of $10,000 for the improvement of the Fore River channel, the appropriation being contingent on appropriations being made by the state, Fore River corporation and national government.

Then there are two amendments to Chapter 719 of 1913 known as the Financial act. These amendments extend the time in which money may be borrowed for sidewalks and for purchasing new apparatus for the fire department.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

CITY COUNCIL IN BRIEF SESSION

Pass $500,000 Loan Order No Debate and Entire Meeting Takes 25 Minutes

CITY OFFICIALS ATTEND

Twenty-five minutes was all that was required to transact the business which came before the city council at its regular meeting Monday evening. The only thing of interest which came up was an order introduced by Councilman Craig calling for the appointment of a committee of three by the President of the Council to act with the mayor in investigating the water department.

Just along what lines it was proposed to investigate the department was not stated, but it is supposed that it is intended to investigate the alleged different prices at which water is sold and if possible enact legislation which will put the department on a paying basis.

The order was adopted without discussion and the president appointed Councilmen Craig, McGrath and Prescott as the committee.

But one communication was received from the mayor, and that was appointing Charles C. Foster a constable.

A petition praying that the deplorable condition af Packard's lane be remedied was referred to the committee on streets.

The Finance committee reported a substitute order for $1,500 for furnishings for the addition to the Atherton Hough school. The order now transfers the amount from the unexpended balance for the Adams school. The order was passed.

The committee also reported an order retiring Samuel D. DeForest a janitor of the John Hancock school on a pension. Ordered to a second reading.

The committee reported ought to pass on the order authorizing the mayor to have the annual reports of the city officials printed, which was passed.

A public hearing was held at 8 o'clock on petitions to keep gasoline after which the permits were granted.

Councilman Griffin offered an order for $50 for installing lighting fixtures at the Cranch school which was referred to the committee on public buildings.

Under unfinished business the matter of the election of a member of the board of Managers of the Woodward Fund and Property was taken from the table and on ballot Richard R. Freeman was elected.

Councilman Griffin offered a resolution asking the city solicitor for an opinion if sect. 47 of the city charter applied to the members of the fire department. This section provides that the council may fix salaries of city officials and that the salaries of one year must be fixed by the council of the previous year. The resolution was adopted.

Councilman Kessler offered an order for street lights in the Montclair district. Referred to the executive.

When the calendar was reached the order authorizing the city treasurer to borrow the sum of $500,000 in anticipation of taxes was passed without a word of debate.

The council adjourned at 8.10.

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WHY DID JUNE RUN AWAY?

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GRANITE TRUST COMPANY.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 12, 1915.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Granite Trust Company of Quincy, Mass., will be held on Tuesday, January 19th, 1915, at its Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass., at 4 P. M. for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

R F. CLAFLIN Clerk.
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TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

Quincy City Hospital Holds Annual Meeting

It was stated at the annual meeting of the Quincy City Hospital Corporation in Union hall Monday evening that the institution last year ran behind $7900 and that some way must be devised in the immediate future to overcome the deficit.

The deficit exists, it was stated, because the sources of income are insufficient to enable the institution to take care of itself. The three sources of income are from the patients, city and endowment fund. The city appropriates annually $4000, the endowment returns $4300 and last year the receipts from patients were in the neighborhood of $16,600.

The total amount received during the current year was $33,150.61 and the amount paid out was $31,283.94, leaving a balance of $1,866.67. The liabilities, $17,500, less that balance leaves a net liability of $15,633.33. The endowment fund at present is $100,738.73. The hospital cared for 850 patients during the year, 30 per cent of which were absolutely free and the average cost of the patient per diem, $2.53, was a decrease of over 37 cents over last year although unusually high prices have prevailed in first grade goods.

It was apparent from the remarks of those who discussed how the hospital could be assisted financially, that a popularity campaign of some nature would be waged the coming summer. The one planned for last year was omitted owing to the large number of unemployed and the shortage of money in general.

The hospital was dedicated June 17, 1890, 25 years ago and it is probable that a house to house canvass will be made in recognition of this anniversary the final returns to be made on the anniversary day.

The need of additional nurses at the hospital was also emphasized by Fred B. Rice who presided at the meeting. He spoke of the 17 pupils and four members of the senior class, now receiving instruction and pointed out that in addition to the medical and surgical experience given at the institution, seniors are instructed in obstetrics and also given three months training at the Boston Dispensary where they specialize in children's diseases. It was also brought out that pupil nurses under the direction of the district nurse are receiving valuable field experience during their training.

Fred B. Rice was unanimously re-elected president and Warren W. Adams, secretary, of the corporation.

In the choosing of the new board of trustees 21 were elected and three, Thomas P. Fenno, Dr. Daniel B. Reardon and William R. Teasdale were tied for the remaining place, which gave rise to a discussion as to how the tie would be dissolved.

Daniel L. F. Chase believed one of the three should be chosen by lot, but Albert N. Murray objected, saying it savored too much of gambling. Joseph A. Sedgwick's motion to have the three men candidates again prevailed and Tellers Henry Holden and George A. Pfaffmann reported that Dr. Reardon was the one chosen.

The list of trustees elected were: Dr. Charles S. Adams, George E. Adams, William R. Bateman, Dr. F. Ramon Burke, Daniel L. F. Chase, Henry M. Faxon, Richard D. Chase, Dr. John A. Gordon, Henry R. Holden, Dr. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Charles P. Hutchins, Perry Lawton, Albert N. Murray, Nathan G. Nickerson, George E. Pfaffmann, Dr. Daniel B. Reardon, Fred B. Rice, Harry L. Rice, Joseph A. Sedgwick, Dr. George M. Sheahan, Frederick H. Smith and Frank P. Waterhouse.

Many of the speakers paid tribute to the late Dr. John F. Welch, in which they spoke of his interest and efforts in behalf of the hospital, and it was voted to incorporate the resolutions passed by the board of trustees on his death in the records of the annual meeting.

The report of Perry Lawton, secretary of the board of trustees, follows:

The number of patients in the hospital Jan. 1, 1914 was 21; admitted during the year 829; a total of 850 cared for.

There were 199 patients more than in 1913, a gain of 30 per cent and 272 more than in 1912, 77.8 per cent gain.

Of the 850 patients, 748 were discharged, 68 died and 34 remained on Jan. 1. There were 515 surgical cases, 159 medical and 179 obstetrical.

The full paying patients were 538, 57 were part paying and 255 were free. Seventy per cent of the patients paid in whole or in part, practically the same proportion as last year. It is worth noting that 30 per cent of the patients were absolutely free.

The average stay of a patient is 14 days, the average number of patients in the hospital has been 32.6 per day; the average cost per patient per day has been $2.53 a decrease of 37 cents over last year.

The training school for nurses has at the present time 17 pupils. Four graduated during the year and there are four more in the senior class who will graduate next June. Arrangements have been made with the Visiting Nurse Association whereby one of the pupil nurses works with and under the direction of the district nurse so that each graduate will have had experience in district nursing.

The change in the staff mentioned

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EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Miss Foley's speech on Equal Suffrage at Wollaston school hall printed in another column of today's Ledger, deserves to be read.

Whether or not we chance to be advocates of equal suffrage we can enjoy the sharp, epigrammatic sentences of this unusual speaker. Whether or not we chance to be advocates of equal suffrage we must admit that that question is an important one, one that must be met.

The cause has suffered somewhat from its advocacy by rabid and ineffective speakers, to neither of which class does Miss Foley belong.

The really vital part of her address is that part in which she speaks of the need for woman's point of view in government. The man's point of view is needed but, she contends, there is also needed the point of view of the mother in the home.

To what extent the humanitarian legislation passed by many states in the past decade is due to women's influence no one can estimate. That it has had an appreciable influence is generally recognized. Women's interests are in those things which lead to the enactment of humanitarian legislation. Many believe some laws go too far, many believe they do not go far enough.

At all events this point should be clearly recognized; a vote for woman's suffrage is a step toward more humanitarian legislation.

A NEW METHOD OF WARFARE.

Both German and French allies are using handbills as an instrument of warfare. The method of distribution is novel; it is by aeroplane. These handbills are dropped from French aeroplanes among a troop of German soldiers and vice versa, and seek to induce the readers that the charges of cruelty to prisoners made against them are unfounded. A French bill reads. "To the German Soldiers—It is not true that we, Frenchmen, shoot or ill treat German prisoners. On the contrary our prisoners of war are well treated and obtain plenty to eat and drink. Those of you who are disgusted with your miserable condition may, without fear, unarmed, inform the French outposts. They will be well received there. After the war everyone will be allowed to return home."

ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

Editors are continually receiving communications, some in commendation of this or that in the paper, some finding flaws in it, some offering good suggestions for improvement, some well worth printing but utterly valueless because they are anonymous

The Somerville Journal received such a communication lately and remarks upon it, editorially, thus:—

"Is he ashamed to have it known who he is? Is he afraid of his own name? It does not require a very high type of courage to write an anonymous letter. He knows where he can find us six days in the week—why does he sneak behind an anonymous signature?"

NOT GOING TO BE "SILLY."

There has been considerable fun made lately about Roosevelt's remarking, "Don't be silly" to the newspaper photographer in Boston who wanted to take Taft and Roosevelt together. And then this week, out comes an advertisement of an insurance company with three ex-presidents and a president's picture and we are glad to note that Roosevelt and Cleveland are together and Taft has his place beside Wilson. That insurance company knowingly or not, isn't going to be "silly."

ADAMS ACADEMY PUT TO USE.

That Adams Academy, so long disused, if it has to render some service must meet with general approval. The Young Women's club with quarters of its own will be enabled to do even better work than it has done in the past, and as a recreation room for girls the old Academy can fulfill a useful mission.

New York's newest offering to the tired business man is a "girly-girl" show starting at 2 p. m. and lasting until daybreak. When do these tired men sleep?

MASS MEETING FOR G. A. R. VETS

Committees of Relief Association Due to Report

President Whiton of the G. A. R. Post 88 Relief association has called a mass meeting of the association and citizens in general for Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the council chamber at City Hall. It is hoped there will be a very large attendance of citizens at this meeting so that the association may get down to work in earnest.

The charter has now been received and all of the members of the committees in the several wards, who were appointed to solicit funds, are urged to be present at this meeting.

The association has received word of a number of contributions that have been made to the general fund and the treasurer is now ready to receive these or any others that may be given.

HEALTH COMES BY OPERATION

William Menagon, employed at the Thompson Cafe, who submitted a year ago to one of the most delicate operations known to the medical profession, has been examined by physicians and pronounced entirely cured of a disease which menaced his health and which probably would have resulted fatally.

The operation was performed by Drs. McCausland and Painters, consulting surgeons of the Carney Hospital, specialists in orthopedy, that branch of the medical profession which has to do with the prevention and cure of deformities.

Menagon suffered a long time before his condition was diagnosed so proper treatment could be given and the operation which relieved him, one of the few performed in the history of medical science, has left him on the high road to health.

The operation was performed by splitting longitudinally the spinous processes of the vertebrae above and below the site of the diseased part. A piece of bone, taken from the shin is grafted into the groove left through the splitting of the processes.

The grafted bone has lived and formed a splint down the back and over the point of the disease and prevents the formation of a hump. No serious results have followed the loss of the bone taken for the grafting although the tiny marks on the leg show where the stitches had been taken to close the cut.

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STICKS TO SHIP BILL

President May Call an Extra Session of Congress In September

Washington, Jan. 19.—Extra session talk still prevails, the general opinion being that the president will call an extra session only if he fails to secure a vote on the ship purchase bill, and that the date of the session will be early in the autumn, rather than in the spring.

In spite of the slow progress on the appropriation bills, it is thought here that if the bogey of a special session were got out of the way, congress would "brace up" and run the supply legislation through the hopper within record time.

A week would suffice to secure the assent of senate, house and conferees to practically any reasonable supply legislation, provided they were assured of a long vacation and a summer away from Washington.

In case of the failure of the ship purchase bill at this session, and in view of the president's possible, if not probable, insistence upon its eventful passage, it is said that the Sixty-Fourth congress may be summoned to meet early in September for the purpose of considering that measure and other measures necessitated, in the opinion of the administration, by the European war.

SURRENDERS TO POLICE

Indicted Boston Doctor Is Accused of Illegal Surgery

Boston, Jan. 19.—Dr. Augustus W. Turner, indicted by the Suffolk county grand jury in connection with the death from an illegal operation of Miss Irene Richardson, daughter of the town auditor of Arlington, surrendered himself at police headquarters last night.

Turner, who has successfully eluded detectives shadowing his offices and his home, walked into headquarters unannounced and accompanied by his attorney and a bondsman.

Bail in the sum of $7500, as demanded by District Attorney Pelletier, was immediately arranged, Michael Nazarro being accepted as bondsman.

Then as silently and secretly as he had entered headquarters Turner departed and was whisked away in an automobile. He positively refused to discuss the case with newspapermen.

Turner is indicted upon the allegation that he performed an illegal operation on Miss Richardson. The girl died six days later.

VIOLATIONS UNDER EYES OF INSPECTOR

Denizens of Boston's Chinatown Must Do Some Cleaning Up

Boston, Jan. 19.—More and more as Building Commissioner O'Hearn studies conditions in Chinatown is he surprised that such flagrant violations of the building laws could have gone on under the eyes of the inspector assigned to that district.

The closing of basement windows with brick and mortar to shield the wily Chinese while engaged in their fantan operations is regarded as purely incidental to the construction of underground passages and the closing of legally protected areaways.

O'Hearn is determined to clean up the district in every possible way that the law gives to him and he has taken inspectors off their regular districts to make reports in addition to those on file.

Chinatown is aroused over the commissioner's activity and several attorneys have been engaged to defend the persons who will be held responsible for law violations.

GRIFFENS PLEAD GUILTY

Attorney and Wife Swindled Their Friends Out of $300,000

New York, Jan. 19.—Francis H. Griffen, an attorney, and his wife, Clara H. Griffen, pleaded guilty to indictments charging them with using the mails to defraud their acquaintances of high social standing out of sums aggregating $300,000. They were remanded to prison to be sentenced later.

The Griffens were arrested last May. They forfeited bail after being held here for trial and fled to Colorado Springs, where they were rearrested and brought back. It was alleged that they borrowed large sums of money on fraudulent representations that they had obtained large contracts for government stenographic work.

Fog Ties Up Shipping

Boston, Jan. 19.—A fog played havoc with shipping in Boston harbor. It was one of the worst winter fogs in years, and it enveloped the entire Atlantic seaboard. A big fleet of steamers were stalled in the bay.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

All grades of hard coal with the exception of egg and pea were advanced 25 cents a ton in Boston.

More than fifty relatives and friends of Mrs. Emeline Cheney, who died at Boston, are beneficiaries under her will. The estate is estimated at more than $1,000,000.

Boston and Maine stock sold at a new low record on the Boston stock exchange, thirty shares being disposed of at 21.

WHEAT STOCKS ARE PLENTIFUL

Domestic Supplies Not Threatened by Exports to Europe

NO DANGER OF BREAD FAMINE

American Concerns Have Placed Orders For Immediate and Future Delivery, Thus Safeguarding Themselves—Congress Would Act Should Grain Men Enter Into Conspiracy

Washington, Jan. 19.—A bread famine in the United States is almost an economic impossibility, even though increased exports of wheat to Europe seem to threaten our domestic supply. This was the declaration of Dr. Estabrook, statistician of the department of agriculture.

Estabrook asserted that future orders of American millers and bakers, which are being placed constantly throughout the year, will insure for the United States an adequate supply of flour, even though exports of American grain send wheat prices up to the $2 a bushel mark.

"We have figured out," he said, "that the United States normal has been between 250,000,000 and 300,000,000 bushels of wheat for export. The bumper wheat crop of the United States, which was practically 900,000,000 bushels, has had the effect of slightly raising this export maximum, thereby allowing the United States to export a larger amount than usual.

"Nevertheless, the American miller and the American baker have an equal chance with European buyers, and it is only reasonable to assume that they are taking steps, in view of the recent heavy exports, to safeguard the domestic reserve from which they draw their supply.

"These millers and bakers have placed orders for immediate and future delivery all through the fall and winter. They have stored in elevators millions of bushels which will never see Europe.

"The present holders of grain have received orders for future delivery of wheat to these American millers, at prices based on the market value of the wheat at the time of delivery. This wheat, therefore, whether delivered in January, February or March, or when, will command from the millers the market price at the time of delivery.

"When wheat is being sold the seller, collectively speaking, has no preference concerning the buyer just so long as the buyer is willing to meet the market price. The American miller, therefore, is meeting the European buyer on even terms and can command his own export supply, and more readily, perhaps, than the European buyer can demand more than the safe export maximum.

"The only possible way for the flour supply of the United States to be curtailed is through a theoretical and economically impossible situation, whereby all, or practically all the men who control the grain, enter into a conspiracy to sell American wheat only for export. Such a situation is not only absurd on its face, but if it should be attempted, congress would step in and legislate against it."

AFTER GRAIN GAMBLERS

Prosecution Will Follow Discovery of Any Pooling Agreements

Washington, Jan. 19.—President Wilson has included pooling agreements in the possible causes for the recent rise in the prices of wheat and flour which he has directed Attorney General Gregory to investigate.

The president sent Gregory a letter formally asking him to investigate with a view of prosecution, if evidence was discovered of illegal combinations. The investigation already was in progress on oral word from the White House, but up to the present time no facts warranting criminal action have been discovered.

$100 FINE FOR FOREMAN

First Conviction Under Massachusetts Public Works Law

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 19.—The first conviction in Massachusetts under the new law requiring that citizens be employed in public work at customary wages was made in the police court here when the case against Peter Arakas, foreman of the Delaware Structural Painting company, was heard.

The defendant was found guilty and Judge Heady announced that the maximum penalty, a fine of $100, will be imposed. The painters employed were unnaturalized Greeks, receiving $2.50 a day, which is much lower than the local scale.

No Peace Prize For 1914

London, Jan. 19.—The official announcement has reached here that the Nobel committee has decided not to award the peace prize for 1914, but that no decision has been reached regarding 1915.

Great Raid on Poolroom

Baltimore, Jan. 18.—Baltimore policemen entered the Patuxent Rod and Gun club at Myers Station and arrested 148 persons and seized $500 in cash, blackboards and racing sheets.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

Miss Marion Hathaway, a senior at the high school was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by eighteen of her friends who came to her home on Eaton street to observe her eighteenth birthday. Miss Esther Hunt, in behalf of all present, presented Marion with a gold pendant. All sorts of games, singing, dancing and refreshments were enjoyed. Among those present were the Misses Esther Hunt, Hazel Pond, Edith Swift, Pearl Hathaway, Marion Hathaway, Dorothy Holmes, Edith Stocker, Marion Hastings Dorothy Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. George Hathaway, Mrs. Collins, Walter Collins, Milton Tucker, Hugh Robertson, Morton Swift, Randall Pratt, Kenneth D. Johnson, Paul Crowell and William Hoxie.

Both the Quincy and Milton fire departments responded to the fire in Harry Cushman's garage on Eaton street, near the line, Saturday evening. Luckily the auto was not in the garage for if it had, it certainly would have been burned. The fire was caused by an electric heater and the damage was slight.

The Ladies' Aid Auxiliary of the East Congregational church held a successful food sale Saturday afternoon in the church vestry. A big attraction of the sale was the daintily decorated tea room. The chairmen of the various tables were:

Miscellaneous—Mrs. William Doherty.

Cake—Miss Elizabeth Hill.

Candy—Miss Margaret Noble.

Tea room—Mrs. Jesse B. Baxter.

The whole affair was under the supervision of Mrs. C. Crawford Hollidge, president of the auxiliary.

The Cunningham "Champs" were defeated Saturday afternoon on the home floor by the Winthrop Juniors 17-16. The game was a very close one throughout. The score at the end of the first half was 7-6 in Winthrop's favor. "Jim" Maguire and "Bill" Doherty were the stars of the game.

At the First Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor Rev. J. Hamilton Woodsum, preached on: "The Devotional Element in Religion." The Woodsum class and Sunday School met at 12 M. Mr. James H. Leatherbee, the newly elected superintendent took up his duties and the retiring superintendent Freeman Marchant was presented with a Standard Encyclopedia and Dictionary as a token of appreciation. Mr. George B. D. Tocher, the faithful song leader, was presented with an International Dictionary of the Bible. The C. E. society meeting was led by James Lewis the subject being: "Making Bold Beginnings." In the evening the pastor preached on: "The Day of Visitation."

At the East Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. John M. Trout, preached on: "Some Illustrations of the Danger of Yielding Overmuch to our Suspicions." In the evening the sermon theme was: "Does God Need Us."

The Cunningham Gym "Midgets" defeated the Needham basketball team Saturday evening on the home floor, 26-11.

SPEAKS ON "COURAGE."

Thomas J. O'Killian of Father Matthew's Temperance society, Malden was the guest of President Thomas F. O'Brien of St. Mary's C. T. A. and M. R. Society at the regular meeting Tuesday evening.

The society had a well attended meeting and transacted a lot of business. After the business meeting Mr. O'Killian related the struggle his society was making to down intemperance in Malden and gave a very eloquent address on "Courage." Mr. O'Killian was given a vote of thanks at the close of his remarks.

CELEBRATES 17th BIRTHDAY.

Carl Bonnivier of 158 South street entertained a number of his young friends at his home Saturday evening, the occasion being his 17th birthday, although his friends were not aware of that fact until after they arrived at his home. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The evening was passed in a pleasant manner with games, music and refreshments.

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CITY HALL NOTES

Mayor Campbell and Mrs. Campbell will be the guests tonight at the men's supper to be given at the Universalist church. Turkey will be the chief number of the menu.

There is a rumor about the corridors of city hall that ex-Councilman Nathan G. Nickerson will be named by Mayor Campbell as the new chairman of the board of assessors.

Those citizens who attended Monday night's meeting of the city council expecting to hear who Mayor Campbell had selected as his department officials went away disappointed.

The city officials at Monday night's meeting of the city council included, aside from the Mayor, Commissioner Brown, City Solicitor Pinkham, City Engineer Sargent, Chief Billings, Capt. McKay of the Police department, City Treasurer Curtis, City Clerk Crane, City Auditor Fairbanks, Chief Assessor Buckley, Inspector of Buildings Merrill and Chairman Murray of the Board of Health.

UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Charles Kusser of Willard street, who was taken to Taunton several months ago suffering from a nervous breakdown, was operated upon Saturday and a piece of his skull removed.

Mr. Kusser lost the sight of one eye entirely and the other one was in very bad shape. The doctors think they have found out the cause and that he will be all right when the wound heals Mr. Kusser was employed by the Tubular Rivet and Stud Company and the fine work he had to do there is held by the doctors as the cause of his condition.

HOLD SMALL SOCIAL.

A small social was held at the home of Miss Edith Barron on Willard street, Monday evening. Guests were present from all parts of Quincy, Dorchester and Neponset. During the evening games were enjoyed mingled with selections on a Victrola. Selections on the piano were given by Miss Edith Barron, assisted by Miss Adeline Barron on the violin. After the games dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Among those present were Mary Sandragan, Annie Wright, Cora Strattard, Margaret Connell, Alice Cottrell, Mary Comeau, Julia Murphy, Margaret Murphy, Katherine McKenna, Marguerite O'Brien, Helen Shannan, Mrs. Albert Lehive and Mrs. James Carey.

ISSUE CHALLENGE.

Herb Smith and J. F. Kelly of Houghs Neck have challenged the winners of the Olindy—Dell vs McPherson—Welch match to be rolled at the Wardwell alleys. Smith is the crack Fore River league bowler and Kelly, known as "Spider," is a pupil of Paul Poehler. The "defi" will undoubtedly be accepted.

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FIRST PARISH.

"The real power of temptation does not come from without, but from within us," said Mr. Hudson Sunday in the course of his sermon on this subject. "Its attacks are insidious. They cannot be guarded against by the outer fortifications of physical restraints, nor by the cowardly retreat of asceticism.

Life's temptations must be met by the inner power of self-controlled lives, and disciplined wills. The ideal man or woman is the one in whom all faculties of mind and body are keenly alive and well developed, but held in perfect equipoise by the power of noble ideals, which in turn are inspired and nourished by religious faith.

Next Sunday morning Mr. Hudson will preach on "Redemption."

An all day meeting of the Fragment society will be held Wednesday to sew for the Belgians. Lunch will be served at noon by the committee. In the afternoon at 2.30 a regular meeting of the Alliance will be held. The speaker will be Miss Anna M. Bancroft, president of the national alliance who will speak on "Alliance Work." "The entertainment of the Y. P. R. U. advertised for Jan. 22, has been postponed until Jan. 29.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Dr. John H. Quint of Chelsea preached in exchange with the pastor. At the morning service he took for his text, "Be strong and of good courage for the Lord thy God is with thee," his subject being "Conquest through courage."

He said in part; God says to every man, be not afraid. When the time of testing comes and we are tempted to doubt or question, if we listen we will hear an inward voice saying, Fear not, I will not forsake thee.

There are many Christians who have lost their nerve. The chief value of the New Thought which is really an old thought is that it insists on getting rid of fear. We are safe anywhere if we are with our Lord and Master. Even in the hour of death we need fear no evil for He is by our side.

We are coming to appreciate more and more that Jesus Christ is a man's hero. In the past the feminine side of his character was over-emphasized. He is always strong and ready in his great, splendid personality to help our weakness.

That God cares not for individuals but only for the race is a discredited teaching. It is his will not only that the race should go on but that every man should be saved.

Some live all their lives subject to the bondage of fear, afraid that they are going to be sick or that they are going to be poor. A good many of us think we trust God when we really trust our pay envelope.

Do not ask for freedom from trials but a stout heart and a spirit unafraid. Trust in the divine goodness and the love of God like a rising tide will bear us up over life's hard places and at last bring us in safety to the heavenly port.

Rev. Dr. Quint delivered the Sunday evening lecture.

The subject of the interesting Christian Endeavor meeting was "Bold Beginnings." Russell L. Williams developed the topic in an interesting way. Miss Edith Avery and Miss Wilhelmina Laing sang a duet.

The annual banquet and church meeting will be held Wednesday evening. Bethany Castle, K. K. A. meet Friday.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST.

At the Sunday morning service, Pastor Rev. Joseph Walther spoke from the subject: "John the Baptist." Matt. 11:7.

He spoke of Christ's tribute of praise for John the Baptist. John greatly needed just such a tribute at that time. He was in prison for preaching the truth. While John is there he heard of the works of Christ Possibly because the preaching was so unusual or the Kingdom seemed so slow in coming, or because of physical weakness or reaction from his exalted labors, he was not sure that this one who had taken his place was the Christ.

In this tribute of praise Jesus does two things. He shows that John is not a reed shaken with the wind. This is a quality much needed today. John the Baptist was not only a prophet. Jesus said among them that are born of women, there hath not risen a greater than John the Baptist.

Bear in mind that Jesus was no flutterer, He knew the hearts of all men.

John was a great preacher, he was a great man. He was one of the few principal figures in the bible upon whose life you cannot find a single stain.

John was not afraid of the face of man. They said he had a devil, but he went right on in the midst of criticism, his one aim was the repentance of man. Nor did he give up because a greater preacher than he had come. God had need of him.

The Sunday School followed the morning service, 350 being present. The Junior Endeavor at 3.30 was in charge of Miss Annie Flieger. Subject: "Why Jesus Came." Luke 4:18. Elford Durgan led the meeting. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 was in charge of Samuel Drew as leader. Subject: "Make bold beginnings." 1 Tim. 1: 18-19. At the evening service George B. Huntington spoke on the subject: "European war and progress of the kingdom." The choir sang morning and evening.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN.

"God is our refuge and strength, therefore will not we fear." Psalm 46, 1 This beautiful thought, which the pastor used as his text, pervaded the morning service of worship and made it restful and helpful. The Girl's Choir rendered two anthems and the Prayer Response.

The sermon dealt with the earthquake in Italy, showing that in a world that is still in the process of formation natural catastrophies happen not as the revengeful acts of a God of wrath, but as the efforts of an imperfect physical order to maintain its equilibrium; that earthquakes are bound up with the natural laws on which our permanent welfare depends that the forces that bring disaster and death are also the forces that produce all the good and beauty and glory of life.

Blessed is the man that can meet loss and rise above it; who is "Lord of himself, though not of lands, and having nothing, yet hath all"; who lays up for himself treasures which earthquakes cannot destroy; who knows that, 'though falls the sky, and the shrivelling earth to cinder turn no fires of doom can ever consume what never was made nor meant to burn.'

The Unitarian Sunday school union of Greater Boston meets in the Arlington Street church, corner Boylston street, Wednesday. Supper at 6 o'clock. Speaker: "Rev. Samuel R. Maxwell. Subject: "A Liturgy and the Sunday School Service."

The social party in Brasee hall this evening promises to be a successful affair.

The clerk of the parish read at the morning service the warrant for the annual meeting of the Society to be held Jan. 25.

The annual business meeting of the church will be held Monday evening Jan. 25. A turkey dinner at 6.30 o'clock, to which all members of the Wollaston Unitarian Society are invited, will precede the business session at which the various officers, committees and societies make their annual report, and new officers are elected for the ensuing year.

A Normal course in religious education is to be given in Channing hall, 25 Beacon street, Boston, on Saturdays at 11 o'clock from January 9 to May 15. The subjects for the remaining two Saturdays in January are "The orchestra in the Sunday School" by Miss Josephine B. Bates and "Special music in the Sunday School" by Mr. E. J. Harrington. These lectures are open to the public and are of special interest to all Sunday school workers.

The Sunday school has added quite a number of new books to its library and has purchased a map representing the books of the Bible arranged and classified in a bookcase.

WOLLASTON M. E.

The theme of Rev. George M. Bailey Sunday morning was "The Golden Calf" Exodus 32.

These people were only a few weeks away from Egypt and 400 years of bondage, and were now encompassed by the waters of the Red sea. They had complained more or less throughout these days of wandering, first the waters were bitter, then the food supply was scant and again they were thirsty and God had listened and aided. Moses had been called to the mountain and God had given him the laws and Moses had communicated them to his people. God was unfolding to them his purposes and adding to their resources as fast as they were able to receive them. He had already given to them the finest code of laws the world has ever seen. It was God's purpose that this people should build a new nation but progress must necessarily be slow.

Divine idealism is back of all that is best in civic life. The best things we possess are not man's but God's invention.

1. The Family.

In this country the family seems almost to be passing away through life in hotels and through divorce but nevertheless the family is at the centre a divine invention.

2. Moral Unity which results in bringing together the church of God. This is the coming together of the spiritual forces of right and integrity

3. Friendship.

The only friendship that withstands all outside forces is that which is founded on the divine.

How many people there are that need a steady force to keep them in the right path. You may heap up all the secular institutions that exist in the world today and they would not equal the church of Jesus Christ. If you want to be where you will amount to the most join your forces and energies with Christ's church. In one hour of realized salvation there is more real satisfaction than in a life time of unregenerate pleasure. The ideal life needs no watching so that ideal Christian needs no watching but is loyal. The ideal Christian seeks to honor Jesus Christ and him crucified

The Methodist Men's Club have arranged for an entertainment to be held in the Wollaston School hall on the evening of January 29. Mrs. Madeline Woodward Potter is to be soprano soloist, James King, baritone soloist, Miss Erdine Cowlishaw, reader and Mr. George M. Potter, pianist.

The Rev. L. H. Bugbee, D. D., pastor of the Malden Centre Methodist church will be the speaker at the Annual Ladies' Night of the Wollaston Methodist Men's Club on Wednesday evening, January 20, at 8 o'clock. His subject will be, "A Summer in the Saddle."

The Queen Esther Circle are to hold a meeting at the home of Miss Lucy Palmer 206 Beale street, this evening to transact important business.

PARK AND DOWNS

Rev. Wm. B. Ayers at the morning service Sunday preached a most eloquent sermon on the "Power of Self Restraint."

He spoke of the mastery that men of self restraint exercise over men of brute force and cunning. He said that Jesus was right when he said that the meek inherit the earth. When men are roused by brutal passions, when men are angry and stirred to strife, it is the man who keeps calm and quiet and who allows his higher nature to determine his course of conduct who alone is capable of assuming leadership. So the spirit dominates the physical. A man's moral nature is a better guide than his animal nature. It was this truth that Jesus came to live and to teach.

The evening sermon was the further continuation of the series "Great Religious Lessons from the War." This lecture dealt with English characteristics. The minister spoke of the National trait of fair play. He showed the need of a big broad generous spirit of forgiveness if men are to live at peace one with the other. He showed the folly of suspicion, pointing out its evils in diplomacy and in the individual life. He compared the men who have claimed a portion of the world through cunning and force with the men who have won the world through love.

He showed how the former live apart from the world but how Jesus has entered into the heart of man not through pomp and ceremony, not through any of the agencies of armed conquest but through the amplitude of his mercy and the universatility of his love.

The musical program was of its usual pleasing nature which was further enhanced by a trombone solo by Mr. C. A. Richardson. Events of the week are as follows: Outlook Club this evening with refreshments and program. Norwoll Club regular meeting and social tonight in the church vestry. Missionary Society meeting 2.30 Thursday to hear reports for the year. Meeting of Guild 3.30 Thursday (postponed.) Annual Meeting 6.30 with supper Thursday night.

ST. PAUL'S M. E

The second week of the union evangelistic meetings of the three Swedish churches of the city began Sunday night in St. Paul's church with an audience that more than filled the spacious edifice.

Rev. A. G. Sporrong, pastor of the Swedish Congregational church gave a stirring evangelistic sermon from Hebrews 2:3, How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation?" Rev. Paul Hallin of the Baptist church took charge of the after meeting. The large chorus, under the direction of Rev. Mr. Sporrong was a great help in making the meetings successful.

The meetings will be continued Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings this week. On Saturday next a great Sunday school rally will be held at 2.30 P. M.

Sunday morning, Rev. A. E. Hillman the pastor preached the sermon from 2 Cor. 5:20, "Ambassadors for Christ."

Miss Edith Olson and Miss Walborg Peterson sang a duet.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST.

Mrs. S. V. Odiorne, Conductor. Meeting at 7.30 P. M. was opened with song service, bible reading and prayer. Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough delivered a lecture on "Charity," bringing into his subject the events of the day in all Nations. Mrs. S. V. Odiorne and Dr. Clough gave many good messages, which were well received. This evening, meetings at the home of Mrs. S. V. Odiorne, 8 Mechanic street 3.00 and 8.00 P. M. Dr. Clough will give a reading to every one present. Thursday evening at 8.00 developing class open to all interested.

CITY HAS SOME VERY OLD TREES

Edwards Estate Boasts Several 180 Years Old

Quincy has some very old trees but no one has kept any accurate record of them as far as known. It is hard to say where the oldest tree is located. Off Woodward avenue there is an old willow tree which grew evidently uncultivated, at the time when that location was little more than a swamp. It is estimated that this tree must be fully 150 years old.

There are however some trees on the Edwards estate on School street, which it is known are about 180 years old. These trees were brought from England by Lewis Vassall about the year 1730 according to Pattee's history and were transplanted here. Lewis Vassell was one of the early settlers of Quincy coming here from England in 1730.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Mayor Campbell is of the opinion that the citizens of Quincy should take more interest in the bills which affect Quincy which have been introduced in the legislature this year and that they should attend the hearings before the committees at the state house. He said that he should personally attend many of the hearings and that the city solicitor would attend all of those in which Quincy was interested.

The sale of the City of Boston property at Squantum for unpaid taxes has gone over again until next Friday. It is expected that the sale will never take place as negotiations are now under way for a settlement of the matter.

The expected report on the resolution offered a week ago in the city council by Councilman Smith, requesting the mayor to petition the legislature to amend the city charter so that party designations will not appear on the ballot at the municipal election did not materialize for some reason. It is understood that the committee desired to obtain further light on the question before making its report.

The plan to investigate the water department is not a new one by any means. This same matter has come up several times before but has never got beyond the report of the committee which was filed. Perhaps it will be different this year.

The retiring on a pension of Samuel D. DeForest will leave a vancancy in the school janitors for the school committee to fill.

There is more or less talk about city hall of certain changes that Mayor Campbell intends to make in the departments who occupy the basement of city hall but his honor has dropped no hint as yet of what he intends to do.

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Lightship No. 4

By M. QUAD

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One day thirty years ago it was reported to the Trinity board, which has charge of all lights on the coast of Great Britain, that a shoal had made in the English channel about nine miles due east of the Lizard. At the spot indicated there had been thirty fathoms of water ever since a British ship went to sea, and the board, of course, argued that there had been a mistake. It was a fishing craft which had reported the shoal and found only fourteen feet of water over it, and a craft was sent out at once to make an official investigation. What had happened was this: It was a bowlder strewn bottom, and two or three old wrecks had drifted together and piled up on each other until a dangerous obstruction had been formed. It was as if a great rock had been heaved up from the bottom, and the board must guard against the danger without delay.

Thirty years ago the diver's dress was not what it is today, nor could men handle explosives under water as they can now. After two or three vain attempts to clear away the wrecks the work was left for a storm to accomplish, and meanwhile lightship No 4, under Captain Crox, was moved around from Mounts bay and anchored near the spot and notice given to mariners.

That night it was the captain's watch from 8 till midnight. A gale had come up. It had come 10 o'clock when a sudden hail reached the lightship. The captain was aft and his mate forward, but he knew at once that the hail came from seaward. It was not so dark but that one could see a ship 300 feet away, even though she had no lights aboard.

As soon as a port fire was ignited the sea was lighted up for hundreds of feet around in a ghastly way, and both men looked for the craft they supposed to be near by. They looked in vain till the signal was nearly finished. Then a ship's yawl, driving right up in the teeth of the gale, hove into sight. She was without a mast or sail or oars, and the only figure in her sat in the stern sheets, and his arms and legs were bound around with ropes.

The man was bareheaded and dressed as a landsman, and as he drove past within twenty feet of the rail they had a look square into his eyes, and the agony on his face made them shudder. They started to throw him a rope, but as the coil swung into the air they remembered that, being bound, he could make no use of it. The yawl and the man went straight to windward and in a couple of minutes were out of sight, and the men found themselves all a-tremble. Captain Crox was full of indignation over the crime of sending a man afloat in that manner and of pity for the victim, when his mate touched him on the arm and shouted in his ear:

"If I was ashore, captain, all the money in England would not bribe me to set foot on this deck again!"

"What's the matter with you?" was called in reply. "It's only a bit of shore villainy that we must report."

"It's nothing that's happened ashore, sir. Did you take notice that the craft was driving right in the teeth of the gale? It wasn't a live man in that boat. She was going to windward with a ghost, and I'd give the bit I have in the bank if I'd not seen it."

It was agreed between them that nothing be said to the other watch when they turned out, and they went on duty without knowing or suspecting that anything out of the way had happened.

While carrying the thing out with pretended indifference, Captain Crox was, as a matter of fact, pretty thoroughly upset over it and on turning in found he could not go to sleep. He had been lying on his bunk and turning the thing over in his mind for an hour or so and the gale was still howling and the lightship bouncing about when he realized from the movement of the watch that they had been hailed. He was out of his bunk and on deck just as one of them lighted a port fire, and you can judge his feelings when he saw the former scene re-enacted. There were the yawl and the man, and the boat slowly forged past them and disappeared to windward.

There was no more sleep for anybody on board No. 4 that night, and next day, when the gale broke and the tender came alongside, all demanded that they be put ashore at once. The captain was as badly rattled as the others. They were guyed and ridiculed, of course, but they stood so firm that the tender brought off another crew, and they were relieved from duty. A new crew was assigned, but the man and the boat appeared to them twice in one night and drove them ashore, as they did the others.

A third crew went out and for two weeks began to prepare to remove the wrecks. Some progress had been made when a three days' gale set in from the north, and there were more wrecks than had been known for ten years before. For two days the lightship hung to her anchors, though having a signal of distress out after the first day, but when the gale abated she had disappeared. She had been swept down the channel and out to sea, and a week later she was passed bottom up more than 300 miles away. The same storm broke up and removed the wrecks, and there was no longer need to keep a light at that spot.

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SUMMERS IS PRESIDENT

Robert Summers was elected president of the Redmen Athletic Association at the annual meeting Monday evening. Caesare Vanelli was chosen secretary and Russell Veale treasurer.

The organization is composed of South Quincy young men and is devoted to athletics. Base ball is the main sport, the team being the fastest amateur organization in the city. Foot ball and basket ball are played occasionally.

LARGE WHIST PARTY.

Sanctuary Girls' Club Entertain 135 Guests.

The Sanctuary Girls' Club, composed of Quincy Point Catholic young ladies entertained 135 at whist in Waseca hall Monday evening. Fr. Walter A. Quinlan was present and the proceeds will be devoted to the building fund of the new mission station.

The winners were Miss Sadie Abrams, John Commerford, Mr. McKerney, Miss Yvonne Bouchard, Fred Spencer, Jeremiah Pitts, Miss Mary Corbin, Robert Smith, Miss Veronica Burke.

Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Yvonne Bouchard and William Fay. Miss Amy Fallon was piano accompanist. Refreshments were served.

Those in charge of the affair were the Misses Eleanor Moriarty, Mary Keenan, Rita Kennedy, Emma Kelly, Sadie Mullin, Helen, Mary and Julia Shea, Marion and Amy Fallon, Mary and Susie Good Kathleen and Margaret Gavin and Marguerite McDonald.

SPEAKS ON SWEDISH KING.

Young Men's Club Holds Interesting Meeting.

The bad weather interfered somewhat with a large attendance at the meeting of the Men's club of the Swedish Congregational church Monday evening. Rev. Mr. Sporrong gave the men a short talk and Robert Jacobson read an interesting paper on the life of the Swedish King Gustaf Wasa. Rev. Mr. Sporrong sang a solo.

At the business session Russell Sandblom and Arthur Johnson were admitted to membership. A social hour followed during which time refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held the second Tuesday in February in the church parlors.

Chairman McDonald of the city council committee on legislative matters believes it is a part of the duty of his committee to attend and keep an eye on what is going on in the legislature that relates to Quincy, and he and other members of his committee plan to attend all hearings on these matters.

BRIEFS

Rural lodge will hold a ladies night on Wednesday Jan. 27.

The Wollaston Woman's club will present "Priscilla" at Quincy Music hall on Friday.

The first grand dance of the Quality club will be held in Quincy Adams hall Friday evening.

The annual ball of the Quincy Police Relief Association will be held on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 4.

The annual concert and ball of John Adams Aerie will be held on the evening of Friday, Feb. 5.

The Quincy High School basket ball team will play Mansfield High Wednesday afternoon at high school.

The Wollaston Parents-Teachers association will meet next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Sarah C. Williams will entertain at whist Tuesday afternoon in Protection hall.

M. T. Sullivan, Esq., has been appointed guardian by the probate court of Rachel S. Guilford.

Charles A. Stevens will visit Merrymount lodge, K. of P., Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton have returned from a short trip to New York.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Granite Trust Co. will be held this afternoon.

James Doyle, a well known member of St. Francis Court of Foresters is ill at his home on West street.

Edward Pearce of the firm of Clark & Pearce has returned from a business trip to Newark, New Jersey.

Mrs. James Donovan of West street left today for a trip to New York, where she will be the guest of her daughter Margaret.

Col. Henry L. Kincaide and manager Harry S. Bates of the Kincaide Furniture Store are attending the furniture exposition in New York city this week.

The heavy rain all day Monday caused some grounds to appear on the fire alarm system but not heavy enough to interfere with its working

Owing to the very bad weather Monday the meeting of the Charitable Ten circle of Kings Daughters was not held, but three members appearing.

The annual meeting of the Sachem club will be held Saturday evening. The matter of erecting a club house has been postponed indefinitely.

Mrs. James Thomas of Billings road Atlantic, is rapidly recovering from a serious operation which she underwent at the Quincy hospital a short while ago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Quincy Baxter have issued card for an at home on Tuesday, Jan. 26th, from three until five, and eight until eleven o'clock at their home 644 Adams street, East Milton, in observance of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

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Outside Interference.



Magistrate—Can't this case be settled out of court?

Prisoner—Sure, sure. That's what we were trying to do, your honor, when the police interfered.—Philadelphia Press.

WOMEN BOWL AT BRAINTREE.

Teams one, three and four in the ladies' Boston pin tournament at the Cochato club, bowled Monday evening. Mrs. Connell made the best single string and three string total. Her team won every string and added eight points more to the eight secured last week. Team one made three points and team four a point. The scores were as follows:

TEAM ONE.

Mrs. Andrews	81	74	78	233
Mrs. Wetherbee	63	71	78	212
Mrs. Patten	60	62	64	186
Mrs. Olin	78	66	67	211
Miss Crocker	67	68	50	185
Mrs. Hollis	51	62	71	184
	400	403	408	1211

TEAM THREE.

Mrs. Connell	81	81	91	253
Mrs. Wilder	78	78	82	238
Miss Perry	74	67	83	224
Miss Hatchard	59	75	73	207
Mrs. Lawley	54	67	76	197
Mrs. Prescott	68	54	64	186
	414	422	469	1305

TEAM FOUR

Mrs. Hall	82	67	77	226
Mrs. Perry	77	76	64	217
Mrs. Jenkins	81	71	65	217
Miss E. Kneeland	66	72	70	208
Mrs. Richards	45	73	67	185
Mrs. Robins	35	47	57	139
	386	406	400	1186

PLAN FOR CLASS INITIATION.

Companions of the Prairie Hold Meeting.

Quincy band, Companions of the Prairie, held its first meeting with the new board of officers in Quincy Adams hall Monday evening with a good attendance. Arrangements were made for a class initiation on Feb. 11 under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Webster chaplain. There will be 15 candidates in the class.

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MATCHES IN K. OF C. LEAGUE

Sullivans Get Stronger Clutch on First Place

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	Won	Lost
Capt. R. Sullivan	10	2
Capt. J. Cantfill	6	6
Capt. F. Avery	6	6
Capt. P. Avery	6	6
Capt. T. Fallon Jr.	5	7
Capt. R. Coyle	4	8

Captain Russell Sullivan's quintette solidly established itself in first place in the Knights of Columbus league in the matches at the Wardwell alleys Monday evening. Three teams are tied for second place. The Coyles dropped to cellar position.

Two records were broken in the matches. Paul Avery juniped the joint single record of Thomas H. Fallon and Al Thompson from 111 to 122 and set 315 for an individual three string total.

CAPT. AVERY 3—CAPT. COYLE 1.

CAPT. P. AVERY.

Brown	69	72	63	204
Murphy	86	86	60	232
Lavelle	81	93	64	238
Walsh	76	90	79	245
P. Avery	122	99	98	319
	434	440	364	1238

CAPT. COYLE.

Tunen	83	90	83	256
Hogan	81	70	63	214
Roache	70	74	80	224
Thompson	83	90	77	250
Coyle	85	85	80	250
	402	409	383	1194

CAPT SULLIVAN 3—CAPT AVERY 1

CAPT. R. SULLIVAN

Powers	76	83	78	237
Myatt	84	79	96	259
LaCroix	85	93	76	254
Driscoll	83	94	115	292
Sullivan	78	92	99	269
	406	441	464	1311

CAPT. AVERY.

Burns	101	93	84	278
Driscoll	70	79	77	226
Mahon	76	85	78	239
Welsh	89	94	83	266
Avery	84	87	81	252
	420	438	403	1261

CAPT FALLON 4—CAPT CANTFILL 0

CAPT. FALLON.

Mahon	73	85	91	249
Cain	92	79	104	275
Flaherty	83	80	95	258
Ford	83	83	85	251
Fallon	82	81	67	230
	413	408	442	1263

CAPT. CANTFILL.

Brown	72	74	82	228
McDermott	81	66	75	22
McGrath	76	84	78	238
Heany	79	74	83	236
Cantfill	71	87	71	229
	379	385	389	1153

WEST BEATS EAST.

Pattern Shop Bowlers Roll Special Match.

The West and East side of the Pattern shop at the Fore River rolled a special at the Wardwell alleys Monday night, the former winning 1244 to 1229. The pinfall was light.

WEST SIDE.

Frost	84	79	85	248
Hayden	80	74	72	226
Johanson	67	88	77	232
Bartlett	75	85	85	245
Williamson	106	85	102	293
	412	411	421	1244

EAST SIDE.

Bishop	94	94	77	265
Wheeler	83	72	79	234
Nicolson	76	75	86	237
McTyre	75	81	67	223
Lee	84	71	85	240
	412	393	424	1229

SERVICES FOR MR. TURNER.

The funeral of Levi L. Turner was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock from his late home on Hancock street, Norfolk Downs. Rev. William B. Ayers of the Park and Downs church officiated. The burial was at Forest Hills.

SPEAKS ON YELLOW STONE.

Rev. E. C. Pollard of Newton will give his popular Yellow Stone Illustrated Lecture at Houghs Neck, Wednesday evening Jan. 20. Rev. W. J. Sayre pastor. The lecture is given for the good of the young people by request of the pastor.

FORE RIVER LEAGUE FIGHTS

The N. Dept. team of the Fore River league jumped into a third place tie with the Electricians as a result of Monday night's matches in the Coliseum alleys. The closest contest was between the Ex-Apprentice and Blacksmiths who split the points. Most of the teams were second division ones.

N. DEPT. 3—TREAS. OFFICE 1.

N. DEPT.

Gillis	102	97	83	282
Kennedy	115	100	86	301
Raleigh	79	72	90	240
Ryan	101	85	88	274
Westland	83	99	93	275
	480	452	440	1372

TREAS. OFFICE.

Welsh	80	79	91	250
Desmond	90	72	106	268
Duncan	78	88	83	249
Gullickson	82	88	91	261
Stone	85	83	81	249
	415	410	452	1277

D. DEPT. 3—PUR. AGENTS 1.

D. DEPT.

Lawton	90	85	85	260
Regan	102	91	81	274
Teasdale	75	98	94	267
Richardson	107	72	79	258
Dummy	75	75	81	231
	449	421	420	1290

PURCHASING AGENTS.

Desmond	116	75	78	269
Carruthers	83	94	92	269
French	75	88	86	249
P. Smith	75	75	76	226
Sullivan	79	113	74	266
	428	445	406	1279

EX.-APPREN. 2—BLACKSMITHS 2.

EX-APPRENTICES.

P. Johnson	93	83	89	265
Dixon	70	83	81	234
J. Johnson	84	81	77	242
Coates	81	94	88	266
Ash	66	87	83	236
	397	428	418	1243

BLACKSMITHS.

McLellan	77	76	89	242
Flanigan	106	72	63	241
Fernald	68	75	75	218
Neil	91	79	83	253
White	116	82	103	301
	458	384	413	1255

SPORTING COMMENT

J. "Fay" Phelan and Ralph Prout of the Filene A. A. will probably compete unattached at the coming indoor meets as the A. A. U. has forbidden boys to run for Filene alleging advertising purposes.

Quincy Y. M. C. A. will hold a dual meet with Cambridge Y. M. C. A. at Cambridge Wednesday. Fred Olson looks good in the high ump having some 5 ft. 6 in. the past week.

Peter Fruzzetti also is some high jumper going 5 ft. 2 in continually, a good mark for a marathon runner.

"Chuck" Connor of the Dorchester club will positively not be a competitor in the B. A. A. marathon next spring despite urging of his athletic friends. Coach Billy MacVicar intends to keep him at the ten-miles and under.

Frank Bruce has started training at the D street Gym, South Boston, for coming indoor meets.

Fred Kingsbury of Wollaston will be watched by athletic fans in the coming indoor meets as he is running about 4:30 for the mile.

James Sullivan, who competed for the St. Johns the past season, is resting during the indoor season but plans an active campaign in the spring.

Two teams have already entered the tournament to decide the best pool players to represent the social clubs of West Quincy in a series with the Quincy social clubs to decide the championship of the city. The other teams have until Saturday of this week, to enter.

Up to date no answer has been received to the challenge issued by Pineo's Colts to any of the pool teams in the Quincy Social Club tournament. It is hoped that this can be arranged at once and that these clubs will accept said challenge.

The Fragment society of the First Parish church will hold an all day meeting in the chapel Wednesday beginning at ten o'clock, to sew for the Belgians.

VIOLENCE WILL SUCCEED QUIET

Germans Plan to Repeat Success in Western War Area

ANOTHER DASH TOWARD PARIS

Invaders Are but Sixty Miles From French Capital — Reinforcements Said to Be Pouring Toward the Aisne—Each Side Claims Minor Successes In Argonne Region—Russians Retake Trenches In Severe Struggle With Germans—Staggering Blow Delivered Turkish Forces In Passes of Armenian Frontier

London, Jan. 19.—The omission from the German official report of any reference to Soissons, the scene of the recent marked German success, and the French statement that there has been no change in that region, leads to the belief that a renewal of the violent struggle there is impending, the temporary quiet being due to the fact that neither side cares to risk an offensive in the present circumstances.

Elated by her temporary success in forcing the French across the Ainse river at Soissons last week, Germany is rushing big bodies of troops across Belgium and northern France to the scene of the late action, with the evident intention of making one more desperate attempt to break through to Paris, only sixty miles away.

Dispatches from correspondents in the north say that German reinforcements from Antwerp and Brussels, as well as from Aix-la-Chapelle and other Prussian points, have been moving through Belgium in the direction of the Aisne during the last three days.

At widely separated points elsewhere on the western front there have been engagements, but the weather is again playing an important part. The storm in Belgium prevents operations except artillery duels, and snows in the Vosges, at the other extreme of the line, makes fighting exceedingly difficult.

In the Argonne, however, the fighting is almost continuous, and each side claims minor successes. For the time being, the Germans seem to be more on the offensive than the defensive.

Russians Retake Trenches

Another blow at von Hindenberg's forces in northern Poland was struck by the Russians when they recaptured the trenches near the village of Goumine, on the left bank of the Vistula, which had been taken by the Germans last Saturday as the net result of seven furious attacks.

The battle for the field works was evidently a severe one, the Petrograd report stating that the defending detachments of Germans were virtually annihilated. Reinforcements were brought up and the kaiser's troops made two desperate attempts to drive the Russians out again, but were in each case repulsed.

The German official reports have thus far failed to make any reference to the fierce fighting that has been going on for three days around Goumine, and are also strangely silent as to their frantic attempts to check the formidable Russian advance down the right bank of the Vistula toward the great fortress of Thorn.

The Turkish Disaster

Every hour brings news that shows the disaster to the Turks in the snow-filled passes of the Armenian frontier near Kara-Urgan is even greater than Petrograd officially claimed. A correspondent writes that the flight toward Erzerum of the Eleventh corps, which was the Turks' only hope after the Ninth corps had been annihilated and the Tenth shattered, resemble those witnessed after the Turkish defeats in the first Balkan war. Now, however, with deep snow covering the country, the conditions are infinitely more painful.

At one place, in a wood, the pursuing Russians found the bodies of 900 Turks who had been frozen to death. Their rifles were still grasped in their hands. The temperature was 13 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit. Some Turks were found who were still alive, and they tried to put up a fight, but were quickly made prisoners.

It is reported that the retreating remnants of the Eleventh corps are still forty miles from Erzerum. What is left of the Tenth corps, coming from Olti, is in danger of being cut off. Enver Pasha, the Turkish minister of war, is hurrying from Constantinople, and General Lange, a German, is trying to extricate the shattered Turks from complete destruction.

The Russians are now in Turkish territory and are within four marches of Erzerum. There is a garrison of 30,000 men in the latter city, and it has ample artillery, but the place has been deprived of ammunition supplies from the coast.

News From Other Quarters

The London papers print a forecast appearing in the Paris Figaro that Italy, Greece, Roumania and Bulgaria will join the allies, but there is nothing more definite relative to this turn of affairs than there was a fortnight ago.

The Turkish garrison at Adrianople, the partial withdrawal of which was previously reported, has now completely withdrawn, according to an Athens dispatch, which gives no explanation.

European statesmen who are not otherwise occupied will probably be interested in the speech of King Gustave of Sweden in opening parliament. The king asserted that the belligerent nations have discarded the principles of international law, and that it behooves Sweden to be prepared. He also had some interesting remarks to make about the Scandinavian entente and a greater Sweden.

CASE OF THE DACIA

Great Britain Unlikely to Comply With American Request

The British government has prepared its reply to the request of the United States government that the former Hamburg-American line steamer Dacia, which now flies the American flag, be permitted to make one trip with cotton from the United States for Germany, without the voyage being considered a precedent establishing the right of German ships interned in the United States to be transferred to the American flag and then resume uninterrupted trade with Germany.

The opinion is general in British official circles that Great Britain cannot make an exception in this instance. The Dacia case has produced a marked impression in England. The feeling voiced against the position of the United States concerning the Dacia is much more bitter than that aroused by the American note concerning delays to shipping, as the defendant case of the Dacia is far better understood than the generalities of the note.

OUTSIDE ISSUES BARRED

England Adopts Drastic Methods to Safeguard Her Capital

How carefully Great Britain is guarding her financial resources during the war is indicated by the treasury regulations which have been deemed necessary with the opening of the stock exchange.

Under these regulations, issues of capital or the participation in issues for undertakings outside the empire are absolutely prohibited.

Issues for undertakings in the colonies will be permitted only where it is shown there is urgent necessity for them. Issues for undertakings within the United Kingdom will be permitted only when the treasury is convinced that they are advisable in the national interest.

The government view is that "until further notice, all considerations must be subordinated to the paramount necessity of husbanding the financial resources of the country, with a view to the successful prosecution of the war."

THAW'S "VACATION" HAS REACHED END

Plans to Rush Him Back to New York Are Laid by Jerome

New York, Jan. 19.—Harry K. Thaw may be back in New York before Thursday night. Then again he may not.

If present plans do not miscarry, William T. Jerome will obtain today a certified order from the United States supreme court directing United States Marshal Nute of New Hampshire to turn Thaw over to Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county, New York.

Thaw's plans to avoid being returned are not known. It is believed his attorneys may try to obtain writs in the states through which he must pass on his return to New York.

To reduce the chances of complications Jerome plans to motor across Vermont to the New York state line, avoiding passing through Massachusetts.

WORKS OUT HIS FINE

Prisoner Gives Money to His Wife Rather Than to the Court

Boston, Jan. 19.—When Dennis Leary was fined $10 by Judge Churchill in the Dorchester court for making a disturbance on a street car, he said: "I've got the $10 all right, but I'm going to give it to my wife for herself and the children, if your honor doesn't mind, and I'll go down and work out the fine."

His honor didn't mind and the $10 went to the family and Leary went to jail.

FRANK APPEAL DOCKETED

May Not Come Before Supreme Court For Eighteen Months

Washington, Jan. 19.—The habeas corpus appeal of Leo M. Frank, convicted of the murder of Mary Phagan, the Atlanta factory girl, was docketed in the supreme court.

The state of Georgia may now at any time move to have it advanced for early hearing. Without such action it will not be reached in the regural course of business for nearly eighteen months.

Woman Accidentally Kills Self

West Brookfield, Mass., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Elmer Blodgett, matron of the town farm and wife of the warden, was accidentally killed while practicing with a shotgun.

Mt. Lassen's Seventy-First

Redding, Cal., Jan. 19.—Mt. Lassen is again active in eruption. The renewed activity marks the seventy-first eruption.

CARMEN FALL IN DEFEAT

Bowling stars of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Co. defeated a picked team of Carmen at the Coliseum alleys Monday night by one point. The contest was in doubt until the anchor men on each team rolled their last ball. Bergfors made a gallant attempt to get the two needed pins but was unable to do so.

TUBULAR RIVET

A. Stevens	85	85	94	264
Sweeny	83	97	80	260
Smith	96	79	90	265
G. Stevens	91	94	79	264
Nicol	108	85	80	273
	463	440	423	1326

CARMEN

Ames	83	87	99	269
Davey	90	101	99	290
Denell	98	94	82	274
Lavoie	78	77	88	243
Bergfors	90	76	83	249
	439	435	451	1325

RE-ELECT MURPHY.

Edward J Murphy of this city was elected secretary-treasurer of the New England Rexall Club at the annual convention of that association in Boston last week. Mr. Murphy is now serving his fourth consecutive term. The association is made up of Rexall pharmacists from Massachusetts, Vermont, Rhode Island and New Hampshire.

RECEPTION TO NEW PASTOR.

A reception will be given on Thursday evening Feb. 11 to the new rector of Christ church and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. William Grainger. The reception will be held in the parish house.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by John Corcoran to John Kilmartin, dated the sixteenth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on Thursday the eleventh day of February nineteen hundred and fifteen, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Grove street so-called in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and being lot No. 7 according to the plans in the possession of the Granite Railway Company, said lot being described as follows, viz:—Commencing at a point on the northeasterly side of said Grove street, at a private way and running northwesterly, eighty-one and 5-100 feet; thence northeasterly along the line of No. 6, to the land now or formerly of Jeremiah Corcoran sixty-nine and 25-100 feet; thence southeasterly along the line of land belonging to said Jeremiah Corcoran eighty-seven and 37-100 feet; thence along the line of said Grove street, northwesterly and southwesterly thirty-four and 6-100 feet and also thirty-five and 7-100 feet to the point of beginning, and containing fifty-seven hundred and forty-two square feet of land more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to John Corcoran by the Granite Railway Co., by deed recorded with the Norfolk Deeds book 642 page 119.

Two hundred (200) dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance of the purchase price on the delivery of the deed.

The above described property will be sold subject to all taxes, liens, and assessments if any such there be.

BRIDGET KILMARTIN,
Executrix of the will of John Kilmartin.

3t Jan. 19-26-Feb 1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Joel Sargent late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Theodore H. Tyndale the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D. 1915 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application. And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 19-26 Feb. 2

PARENTS OF BABY GIRL.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Donovan of North Weymouth are the parents of a baby girl, born last week. Mother and child are doing well. Mr. Donovan until he removed to North Weymouth after his marriage took a prominent part in the social life of Quincy and was soloist at many of the minstrel shows and amateur theatricals held here. His wife was a popular young woman at this time. Mr. Donovan is connected with the American Agricultural Works, commonly called the Bradley Fertilizer plant.

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INDIAN WILL RULE 102,000 RED MEN

Gabe E. Parker to Superintend Five Oklahoma Tribes.

QUARTER BLOOD CHOCTAW.

Former Register of United States Treasury Returns to State Where He Is Greatly Liked—Washington Administration Policy to Have Genuine Test Under His Direction.

Through the devious trail of politics Gabe E. Parker, a quarter blood Choctaw Indian, has just achieved the ambition of his life. Without solicitation or even knowledge on his part he was taken from the principalship of an Indian boys' school in Oklahoma and made register of the United States treasury. Mr. Parker gave up his chosen work—that of helping his own people to become competent, self reliant, contributing men and women—only after a struggle. Now he is about to return to Oklahoma as superintendent of the five civilized tribes, with broader opportunity than ever before to accomplish the task he had originally set for himself.

Charge of 102,000 Indians.

The job Mr. Parker goes to Oklahoma to fill is a big one. It involves the welfare of 102,000 Indians of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Creek, Seminole and Cherokee tribes, who desire to become citizens in fact as well as in name. Under the constitution of Oklahoma they are citizens of the state. They are wards of the nation so long as the government retains a control in trust of the 15,000,000 acres of their land, including the richest oil fields of the world and 450,000 acres of coal and asphalt lands. Mr. Parker's job is to carry out the policy of the present administration and to discharge into full and complete citizenship as many of these 102,000 Indians as are ready for the change, or may become so under his direction.

This policy is a new one and, in a sense, a revolutionary one in view of the policy of the government pursued up to this time. Mr. Parker promises to approach it cautiously. He has no plans at this time. He prefers to say nothing now. He has been away from Oklahoma for a year or more and has partially lost touch with local affairs. He does not now know what changes in the former policy will be necessary to carry out the present one, but he is going to Oklahoma to "do his level best." Furthermore, he is carrying back home with him a warm admiration for President Woodrow Wilson and his advisers, who have seen fit to let the Indians of Oklahoma tackle their own problems. It is not because he (Parker) has been selected to lead them, but because the Indians themselves have been recognized both as to capabilities and possibilities that Mr. Parker is so pleased.

His Enthusiasm an Asset.

If enthusiasm for the work at hand is an asset Mr. Parker is one of the best equipped men for his new job that could be found anywhere. He exudes it and with difficulty tries to suppress it, but it is there. His mind harks back to his days in Henry Kendall college, where he was valedictorian in 1899, and to Armstrong academy, of which he was superintendent in 1913, when he came to Washington as register of the treasury. He is proud of the fact that he became head of the Choctaw boys' school, after having been a pupil in it, and he is especially pleased that when he left he was succeeded by one of his old pupils, Peru Farver.

Mr. Parker believes in his people He believes in the government of the nation and state and in their intentions toward them. He designed the seal of the great state of Oklahoma, which symbolizes the "sisterhood of states" and intermingles the former seals of Oklahoma territory and of the Five Civilized Tribes of the Indian territory. He is known as "Great Seal" Parker for this achievement. He served on many important committees in the constitutional convention of Oklahoma with special reference to the Indians, the schools and taxation and declined to enter politics when his work was through.

As between the two phases of the Indian question, the personal and the property phases, Mr. Parker desires to emphasize the personal as pre-eminently important. As a schoolteacher he was deeply interested in solving problems which would bring his charges to a full and complete realization of the responsibilities of citizenship, and he endeavored to give them such a practical application of their book learning as would accomplish that purpose.

Mr. Parker is a man whose earnestness of purpose sticks out of every word and deed. The policy of this administration toward his people is his policy because he believes in it. Whether right or wrong, it is certain to have a genuine test under his administration in Oklahoma.

Pomeroy's First Smoke In Years.

Jesse Pomeroy, the murderer, serving a life term since his youth in Massachusetts, has just smoked a pipe for the first time in thirty-eight years. On Thanksgiving day in 1876 a fellow prisoner gave tobacco to Pomeroy, and it made him ill. He never smoked again until now.

Mistaken For a Spy

By SARAH BAXTER

When the great European war broke out I was in Berlin. Being a woman and not brave, I concluded that I had better remain where I was than try to get back to America. So I stuck to my quarters in the capital, though I displayed an American flag at my window and visited the embassy to make sure my passport was all right.

By October the lines of traffic over the Atlantic had become safe, and hearing that I could get passage at Rotterdam for New York I concluded to venture upon a trip home. The only danger in my personality lay in the fact of my accent. We Bostonians use the broad "a" like the English, and on this account I was liable to be taken for an Englishwoman.

At the time I started the allies in the west were engaged in repulsing the attacks of the Germans in France and a part of Belgium which was still occupied by the Belgians. Having crossed the Meuse I fell in with the German army in the rear of the line of trenches which was being held as a reserve. I was conducted to the headquarters of the general commanding, and my passport was examined by an officer of his staff who spoke English, but with the usual accent of a German. After a few questions he left me, but soon returned.

"There is fighting on the route you must take, and it would not be safe to proceed just now. The general desires that you join him at dinner, and we will see that you have a comfortable place to sleep."

I was sorry for the delay, but exercised patience, especially since I was to be well treated. Some British prisoners were brought in during the day, and I went among them, chatting with them. I noticed that they all supposed me to be English, several of them asking from what part of England I hailed. This troubled me, for there were German officers and soldiers present, and I was quite sure that at least one of the officers was listening to our conversation.

I dined with the general and several members of his staff. There was also another woman present besides myself, who spoke English fluently. Indeed, not every one would know whether she was English or German, though to me she betrayed her nationality in certain words that a German can never pronounce. For the "w" she used a "v." For a "g" she used "sh." But it seemed to me that she must have learned English while young, for these peculiarities of German pronunciation were very slight.

After dinner the men arose and said that they would smoke outside, giving us two ladies an opportunity to enjoy each other's society for a short time. They had scarcely left us alone together when my companion's manner changed completely. She drew her seat very near me and whispered:

"I am not German. I am English. I have very important information of the German forces which I wish to carry to England. But there are officers between me and the coast who know me, and if I proceed I will be arrested for a spy. If you will carry a bit of paper through the lines to General French's headquarters you will save the lives of hundreds, thousands, of our countrymen."

This speech frightened me dreadfully. I arose and attempted to leave the woman, convinced that she was really working upon me for some purpose which I did not know. She caught me by the skirt and held me, looking up at me with an expression which was intended for terror, but which I believed was feigned.

"Do not betray me!" she cried in a smothered voice. "It will mean death to me!"

"Let me go," I retorted. "I am not English. I am American."

The woman held me, imploring me not to betray her. I told her that I had no interest in her whatever. I was neither German nor English, but a native and a citizen of a neutral country. She played her part admirably, and for a moment such was the agony she assumed that I almost believed her. But I remembered how she had betrayed herself in her speech and refused to credit her.

I pulled myself away from her and fled. Outside the general and the other officers who had retired from the dinner table were seated on camp chairs smoking. They arose as I appeared and turned toward me.

"General," I said, "I wish to proceed on my journey at once. You have set this woman upon me to see if I am what I pretend or a spy. She is not English, which you know as well as I. She is German, though she speaks English better than any German I ever met. But when she tells me she is not a German I know better. I am an American bearing an American passport, and I demand to be allowed to proceed on my journey to Rotterdam, where I hope to find passage to my home in America."

The general broke into a laugh in which the other officers joined. The man who had examined my passport said to me:

"Why, if you are an American, do you use the broad 'a' like the English?"

"Because I am a Bostonian."

I was not only permitted to proceed at once, but was furnished with transportation and an escort. I reached Rotterdam a few days before the sailing of a steamer for America and secured a passage in her.

SURVIVORS IN GREAT DANGER

Fear That Epidemics Will Follow Earthquake In Italy

DEAD NUMBER ABOUT 25,000

Unofficial Figures Place Number of Injured at 25,000 to 30,000—That Women Have Greater Powers of Resistance Than Men Is the Opinion of Doctors—All Classes Work Side by Side In Efforts to Save Lives—Remarkable Incidents of Rescue Work In Avezzano Ruins

Rome, Jan. 19.—Fear of possible epidemics following the earthquake is now one of the chief concerns of the Italian government officials, and the most rigid sanitary precautions are being adopted to prevent disease among the survivors.

Where thousands have to be cared for in tent colonies and hastily improvised hospitals, the danger of disease is a serious problem, and it is rendered doubly acute in some places because of poor water supplies.

Moreover, in places like Avezzano and Sora, where the entire town was left in ruins, water and sewer systems were left entirely useless. In such cases water has to be had from some outside sources, and this adds enormously to the already large burden of providing food and shelter for the survivors.

As reports continue to come from more distant places it is seen that the original estimates of the number of victims were not exaggerated. The unofficial figures still place the number of dead at about 25,000 and the injured at 25,000 to 30,000.

Some Being Rescued Alive

The work of rescue continues on a greater scale than ever, and, marvellous to relate, quite a few persons were taken out alive on the fifth day since the catastrophe occurred. Some, however, were so exhausted that they died afterwards, but quite a number will recover.

It was also remarked as a curious fact that more women than men survived the five-day ordeal, showing, in the opinion of physicians, that they had much greater powers of resistance.

The living people in the ruins, however, were comparatively few, as compared with the number of the dead uncovered by the thousands of rescuers.

Soldiers and civilians, nobles and peasants work side by side, and physicians and nurses are on hand to render such service as may be needed. Grief-stricken relatives watch for the finding of their loved ones and many pitiful scenes are witnessed as the lifeless victims are brought forth from the debris.

In Rome the procession of injured kept arriving and it is estimated that 5000 persons are being cared for in the regular hospitals, in hotels and in tent hospitals

The pope, according to the Osservatore Romano, has sent aid to all the bishops of the dioceses in the earthquake zone. A fund of $4,000,000 has been received by the pontiff thus far. About 7500 refugees, 2000 of them injured, have reached Rome to date.

The property loss probably involved is indicated by one estimate that it will exceed $60,000,000. No official figures are as yet available.

In dozens of villages, citizens who escaped with their lives are still in poignant fear that new shocks will tumble their buildings about their head and are camping out to avoid further danger. Gradually, however, the seismic disturbances are lessening.

Incidents in which remarkable rescues were made are gradually coming to light. One is told of a lieutenant of engineers, Cerri Eville, who located the residence of his mother at Avezzano.

Finds Mother Alive

He worked for some time alone, pulling away stones, but presently he was assisted by some soldiers. After seven hours of the hardest kind of labor he found his mother alive and not very badly injured. She had been protected by an unbroken piece of wall falling over the corner in which she was sleeping.

In another instance a mother, who had escaped, believed her daughter must be alive under the fragments of their house. She organized a party of women and herself stimulated them to work at reducing a heap of limestone.

The mother heard a voice beneath where the women were working, and they finally reached the young woman, who had been protected by two parts of walls forming an angle.

One foot was held under a block of stone, but otherwise the young woman was unhurt. She had been without food or drink for four days and had been nearly suffocated by the dust of the mortar which sifted down through crevices while the women were trying to reach her.

The excavators have come upon the corpses of many persons who were burned to death. It would appear that in a good many places fire broke out under the ruins. At Cappelle a man 65 years of age was brought out with both his feet burned off. He lived only two hours.

JAMES D. PHELAN.

California Senator Elect Now Investigating Charges Against Dominican Minister.



SISSON TALKS OF GRAFT

Says Minister Sullivan Insisted on Rakeoff In Contracts

New York, Jan. 19.—James M. Sullivan, minister to the Dominican republic, whose conduct is under investigating here before Senator-elect Phelan of California, was represented as having insisted in sharing the profits of a construction company organized to obtain public works contracts from the Dominican government.

W. L. Sisson, a construction engineer, who said he had been asked by the late Samuel L. Jarvis, controlling the Banco Nacional of Santo Domingo, to become president of the construction company, testified that F. J. R. Mitchell, president of the bank, had said to him:

"We'll have to take the minister in with us and I think it advisable to do so, as he can be of considerable service to us in the way of throwing contracts to us."

The witness said he had objected to the proposition and that Mitchell had replied: "Well the minister insists upon it," and he (Mitchell) suggested "that we might give a 5 or 10 percent interest in the company."

Sisson said he refused and returned to New York.

CHAOS IN MEXICO CITY

Capital of Distressed Republic Is Threatened on All Sides

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 19.—Mexico City is being attacked from three directions, and only a small force of Villa's troops are defending it, according to reports received here by Carranzistas.

Terror reigns again at the capital, it is said, the soldiers of Gutierrez and others looting the national treasury and many of the stores before evacuating the city.

Zapata has broken with Villa and menaces the city by his control of the railroad line from Cuernavaca almost into the capital.

General Obregon, who captured Puebla, severely defeating Zapata, is at the outskirts of the capital, while General Blanco and his Carranza division are within striking distance.

BABY SAYRE'S ARRIVAL

It Brings Back Smile to the Face of President Wilson

Washington, Jan. 19.—The first day in the White House of President Wilson's first grandson, the child of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, was marked by the arrival of thousands of congratulatory telegrams and many presents, and the turning of the president into one of the happiest men in the nation.

The grave look Mr. Wilson has worn since his wife's death was supplanted by a broad smile. He talked of little but the new arrival and described the child in detail to friends.

Dr. Grayson reported that both Mrs. Sayre and the baby were progressing favorably.

CAPITAL WON'T BE DRY

Senate Kills Amendment to District of Columbia Bill

Washington, Jan. 19.—The fight to include prohibition as a rider in the District of Columbia appropriation bill ended when the senate, by a vote of 38 to 40, refused to suspend the rules and include the amendment.

A two-thirds majority was necessary to carry the motion. Prohibition lacked fourteen votes of the necessary two-thirds.

Twenty-Two Drown In Wreck

London, Jan. 19.—The British steamer Penarth was wrecked during a gale, being driven on the rocks off the Norfolk coast. Twenty-two members of the crew were drowned and five saved.

Held on Murder Charge

Rumford Falls, Me., Jan. 19.—Antonio Russo, alleged to have shot Antonio Grifo, aged 25, was bound over to the grand jury on the charge of murder.

"YOUNG-OLD" MEN ORGANIZE CLUB

Won't Go Into Scrap Heap; Jobs For All.

MUST BE FORTY TO JOIN.

Average Age of Present Membership Is Little Over Sixty Years—Oldest Member More Than Eighty and Youngest Forty-three—Novel Club Instituted In Springfield, O.

With "Help Your Fellow Man" for its motto and a desire to aid its needy members by giving them a better chance to earn a livelihood, Springfield, O., has a novel organization in the Young-Old Men's association, made up of 100 members, all gray haired, with an average age of a fraction more than sixty years.

The association is made up of men from all walks of life who have passed the period of youth. The intention of the organization is to find employment for those of its members who are able-bodied, but have been thrown out of work because of the increasing number of gray hairs that have appeared upon their heads.

Under the leadership of former Mayor and State Senator Francke W. Dickinson the organization is beginning to get results. A workshop has been established in the business center of the city, where work can be sent to be done and where men needed for odd jobs can be obtained.

In the association are found men who have made their mark in professional and business life side by side with those who have failed and have been overtaken with old age and with little of this world's goods back of them. It is estimated that about 25 per cent of the membership are men who are in need of work and are able to work.

How Idea Originated.

The association was started by George W. Crossette of Cleveland, O., a native of Springfield. He visited his old home this last fall and met many of his boyhood friends. Finding some of these friends out of work, he conceived the idea of promoting this organization.

An advertisement was placed in the local papers for gray haired men over forty years of age to meet in the city council rooms on a stated night. No explanation of the meeting was given, and when the time of the gathering came a large number of elderly men was on hand. After the object of the meeting had been explained the association was formed.

Headquarters of the association have been established, where social rooms are maintained. The only qualification for membership is that the applicant be over forty years of age, have gray hair and be an American citizen. Religion and politics are barred as topics. No man is too poor to be eligible.

The membership embraces merchants, salesmen, farmers, physicians, undertakers, managers, messengers, agents, manufacturers, store clerks, janitors, caretakers, furniture workers, stockroom clerks, painters, carpenters, firemen, engineers, contractors, woodworkers, gasfitters, gas goods dealers, shipping clerks, foremen, hostlers, machinists, mechanics of all kinds and laborers. On the list are several under the heading of "retired."

The oldest member of the organization is over eighty and the youngest forty-three.

KITCHENER'S KINDNESS.

Sends Five Soldiers Home to See Their Dying Mother.

The London Chronicle says Lord Kitchener is so generally credited with an iron character devoid of sentiment in matters affecting his great purpose that the following story of his thoughtfulness is of special interest:

A Sunderland woman with five sons in the army lay dying. Her one desire was to see her boys again. Through the offices of a local Salvation Army officer four of the sons serving in England reached home within twenty-four hours, their expenses being paid by the authorities. The fifth son, however, was at the front, and there seemed little chance of the old woman's wish being fulfilled. But the Salvationist wired to the war office, and back came a reply over Lord Kitchener's signature saying that if the son could be found he would be sent home. Afterward came a wire to say the man was on his way home, and eventually he landed in time to see his mother. The authorities had paid his expenses and gave him a seven days' furlough and ration money.

PRIZE FOR WAR PROPHETS.

French Weekly Offers $2,000 For Best Revision of Frontiers.

La Vie Parisienne, the French journal, abandons austere war photographs for what approaches its usual levity. It offers its readers a $2,000 prize for the best forecast of the postbellum frontiers of European countries on a map supplied with its latest issue.

Readers must send maps with the frontiers drawn according to their individual prognostications before Jan. 19. The award will be made after the treaty of peace is signed.

WATCH THESE SMALL ADS

Advertisements under this head 25 words or less one time 25 cents. Three consecutive insertions 50 cents. 6 consecutive insertions 75 cents.

No advertisements taken over the telephone, received by mail or at the office unless accompanied by cash.

In answering advertisements in this column please read carefully and follow instructions. We know nothing of the advertiser except as stated in the advertisement.

TO LET

TO LET—An 8 room cottage and barn in North Weymouth near cars and salt water. Also flat of 5 rooms, some improvements, hen house and good yard. Key next door. Apply 66 Norton street, North Weymouth. 18-6t

TO LET—Attractive upper apartment of 6 rooms and "den" in two-family house; everything separate; all modern improvements; electricity and gas. A. D. Cossaboom, 95 Merry Mount Road. 18-6t

TO LET—Upper flat of 6 rooms and bath. Large piazza, screened in. All latest improvements. House just finished. W. Lehtola, 97 Goddard street near Quincy Adams station. 16-tf

TO LET—At 98 Revere road at reduced rent, two large square rooms nicely furnished, separate if desired $2.50 per week. Two nice housekeeping rooms reduced from $4.50 to $3.50. Tel. 1506W, Quincy. 16-3t

TO LET—Four room tenement all improvements, range and gas attached, house new. Apply James Moorhead, 28 Curtis street, Quincy or Tel. 599-1. Jan. 15-tf

TO LET—In house with private family, a room with modern conveniences, suitable for single gentleman. Write R., Ledger Office or phone Quincy 1796-W. 15-6t

TO LET—Two-five room apartments in new house on Bradford street, off Franklin street. Fine location. Apply to F. Barnicoat, 1 Independence avenue, Quincy. 15-6t

TO LET—Merrymount road. Single house 6 rooms. Hot water heat. All improvements. Also 2 family house 5 rooms each. All improvements. Apply No. 87 A. W. Parker. Tel. 258-1. 23-1mo.

FOR RENT—2 houses, one $20 a month, all improvements, and one $12. Apply to G. G. Ellsworth, 117 Adams street, Braintree. Ob Iw L tf

TO LET—Cosy tenements near shipyard in East Braintree, 4 rooms and bath $15, 5 rooms and toilet $15. For rent to small families of nice people. Apply 336 Granite street, Quincy. 1-tf

TO LET—New lower flat of five rooms and bath, furnace heat and cemented cellar situated on Taft street. Apply 79 Elm street. 21-tf

TO LET—On Russell Park house of seven rooms and bath and large attic, cemented cellar, furnace, gas and coal range, electric lights all modern. Reasonable rent on a lease to right people. Apply to Miss Prescott at Ledger-Patriot Office, Quincy. 4-tf lpo

TO LET—Flats. Five rooms and bath, set range and gas attachments. All latest improvements, on Grafton street. About 8 minutes to Quincy depot. Rent $13. Apply to Berman Furniture Co., 1601 Hancock street. 27-tf

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DO YOU WANT BUSINESS? ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

LOST

LOST—A large sum of money between Sumner street and Quincy Savings Bank. Finder please return to E. Attar, 121 Main street and receive reward. 19-3t

LOST—On Tuesday Jan. 5th, between Quincy depot and Kincaide Theatre a lady's gold watch and pin, open face with monogram A. G. F. Reward if returned to Miss Anna Fits-Gerald, 631 Charles street, East Weymouth. 13-6t

WANTED

WANTED—Laundry work to do at home. Address C. A. Care Ledger Office. 16-3t

WANTED—Position as chauffeur in private family or garage. Write C. Ledger Office. 15-6t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7 room cozy cottage all modern improvements, hot water heat, 4000 square feet land near car and depot. For full particulars, apply to J. Coyle, 160 Marlboro street, Wollaston. 19-6t

FOR SALE—About 3000 loads of loam at Washington Park. Apply to J. H. Spaulding, 67 Elm street, Braintree. Tel. 21467. L-O Aug. 12-tf

FOR SALE

In South Quincy two-family house with modern improvements. Convenient to electrics and Quincy Adams Station. Good renting proposition. For further details address, A. W. B. Care of Ledger, Quincy. 15-tflpo.

FOR SALE

To settle an estate in Weymouth the following property is offered for immediate sale. One parcel of land situated at 156 Washington street containing about 9900 square feet, 64 feet frontage by 152 feet depth, on which is a 13 room two story double tenement house with furnace, electric lights etc. Also a stable containing 18 stalls, also 2 sheds and small shop. Could easily be made a paying investment.

One parcel of land containing about 8000 square feet located on East side of Washington square. This has a frontage of 86 feet on Commercial street and is covered by a block having tenements above and stores below. There is a stable in back now used as a livery stable and some vacant land.

This is one of the best business locations in Weymouth and has an assessed value of $7200.00. No reasonable offer refused. For further particulars enquire of Dr. C. W. Garey, 1187 Hancock street, Quincy. 5-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

Puritan Wet Wash Laundry. No chemicals used. We must please. A postal and our agent will call. W. H. Tobey, 497 South street, Quincy Point. 15-3t

IF YOU WISH to sell, rent, buy, or place insurance on property, try B. A. Brown who will pay strict attention to your wants. 1372 Hancock Street, Room 8. Tel. 2247-W. 31-1mo.

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are now offered for sale at very reasonable prices. All lots are high and dry, overlooking Boston Harbor. Also houses and land in all parts of the city.

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Jan. 5-tf

Read Ledger Ads

NEGLECT PERMITS SPREAD OF DISEASE

Dr. Reynolds Scores Parents Who Fail to Aid Board of Health

Dr. John T. Reynolds of the board of health, in a sweeping statement today, charges that neglectful parents have brought about the spread of contagious diseases in the city and that unless a better spirit of co-operation is developed immediately it will be almost impossible to inaugurate prevention.

Dr. Reynolds' statement follows a week of investigation of the scarlet fever situation which has taken him to all sections of the city. In that time he states he has learned that parents have been careless enough to allow children having the desease to go without medical attention and permitted them while peeling to play with the children of the neighborhood.

He asks that all who believe they know of scarlet fever cases to advise the board of their suspicions and says immediate investigation will be made.

The danger of such exposure he states cannot be estimated because the disease is communicated so easily it is impossible to learn the exact situation until it makes its appearance.

Scarlet fever is classified in three branches, severe, moderately severe and mild. There is no danger from severe cases, children being so sick physicians have to be called.

The moderately severe and mild cases are the ones which communicate the disease because parents neglect to summon physicians. This sickness lasts only a few days and consists of a general malaise light fever with a little sore throat.

Peeling follows then from three to four weeks after the disease makes its appearance and it is at that time it is most dangerous.

Parents, while this condition exists, have allowed children to play with others, thus exposing them to danger.

Dr. Reynolds is citing an instance spoke of two cases on Whitwell street where "peeling" youngsters were allowed to play with other children with the result new cases have developed.

The board of health, he says, will promptly investigate any case, family or person which is reported and if the family cannot afford a doctor, medical attention will be furnished.

COAL RISES A QUARTER DOLLAR

Dealers Call it Regular Winter Advance

The price of certain kinds of coal advanced 25 cents per ton in Quincy his morning. Local dealers say that it was simply the regular winter rise in prices. The price of what is known in Quincy as egg and nut coal remains the same, that is $7.75 for egg and $6 for pea coal. The price of white ash stove coal advanced from $7.75 to $8 per ton. The price of nut coal from $8 to 8.25 and the price of white ash broken, which Quincy people know as furnace coal from $7 to $7.25

Other changes in prices are Franklin stove from $9 to $9.25; Franklin egg from $9 to $9.25; red ash stove from $8.25 to $8.50; red ash nut from $8.25 to $8.50. The price of Leghi stove and furnace coal remains the same $8 a ton.

PRICE OF BEANS UP ONE CENT

The price in Quincy of what is known as white California beans has gone up one cent a pound on account of speculators who have been going through the West buying beans, evidently with the idea of supplying European armies. A dispatch from Chicago states that prices in beans have advanced 30 per cent and it is estimated that speculators have 400,000 bushels already purchased. It is also announced that speculators are also buying up all the vegetables they can obtain in the Boston market.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST—A ladies gold watch on Sumner street about 7.30 A. M. Jan. 18. Finder please return to Miss Jennie Levowich, 112 Sumner street and receive reward. 19-1t

DEATHS

CHEVERIE—In Commonwealth Hospital, Boston, Jan. 14, Isabelle, beloved wife of Fidelus Cheverie. Funeral from her late residence, 19 Lancaster street, Quincy, Wednesday Jan. 20, at 8.15 A. M. (High mass of requiem at St. John's church at 9 o'clock.) Relatives and friends invited to attend. 19-2t

FIELD—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Miss Susanna G. Field in her 91st year. Funeral services at late home, 163 Franklin street, Thursday, Jan. 21 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 19-2t

VOLNEY—In Dorchester, Jan. 19, F. Mitchell Volney, formerly of Quincy aged 66 years.

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BIG SPEAKERS AT ANNUAL BANQUET

Past Commander of G. A. R. Will Address Society

The St. Mary's C. T. A. and M. R. society will hold its annual banquet in the hall Thursday evening. This affair is the only one in which the members all get together as one body and it is being looked forward to by the members with visions of a royal good time. The committee have secured John E. Gilman past commander in chief of the G. A. R. who is himself a great temperance advocate and who will relate his experiences in the ranks during the Civil War. John J. Attridge, former president of the Boston City Council will also be one of the speakers.

There also will be local talent presented who are well known. Dr. John H. Ash a long time and faithful member of the society will act as toastmaster.

The committee in charge of the banquet are Lawrence Donovan, chairman, Harry Kennedy, John Sheahan, Edward Joyce, Dennis Manning, Leo Garity and John Flaharty.

SERVICES FOR THOMAS BARRY.

Fr. James Barry of Westfield was the celebrant of the requiem mass at St. Mary's church Monday for Thomas Barry, whose funeral was held from his home on Willard street. Music was by the regular choir with Mrs. Mary McKay Reardon, organist and the soloists were Joseph and Paul Morrisette.

The bearers were all members of Div. 22, A. O. H., with which the deceased were affiliated and were James O'Dowd, Joseph McTiernan, Thomas Rogan, Patrick Dillon, John Collins, James Donovan.

The body was taken to Rockport, Mass., for burial.

INSTALL CLARK AS REGENT.

John Adams Council Holds Annual Exercises.

John A. Clarke of the Empire Polishing Co. was installed regent of John Adams council, Royal Arcanum, in Clan MacGregor hall Monday evening. He was given a royal reception by the members.

The installation was witnessed by a large number. The organization composed mostly of granite manufacturers, begins the new year in flourishing condition.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

James Graham of Willard street, who had his arm amputated at the Charlesgate Hospital, Cambridge, on Saturday, is reported as resting comfortably this morning.

Woman Relief Corps 103 has been invited by Rebecca Wiswell Tent 53, D. of V., to the installation at G. A. R hall at 7.30 P. M. Friday.

"The Arrival of Kitty," a farce, will be presented by the Y. P. R. U. of the First Parish church on the evening of Friday, Jan. 29. Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis is the coach.

Mrs. Mary J. Van Pelo, D. G. W., will be accompanied by a delegation from the local lodge, N. E. O. P., on the occasion of her visit to Unique Lodge of Jamaica Plain, this evening.

Joshua W. Holbrook, of the Quincy Yacht Club, has been appointed a member of the Board of Judges, by the executive committee of the Yacht Racing Union of Massachusetts.

The famous Ruby Toy Spaniel dog case which was marked for trial this morning has gone over until Jan. 25, when Judge Avery will be called upon to decide whether a dog is goods or simply plain dog.

The Parents-Teachers Association of the Quincy school will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the school hall

Mrs. Bradford Hayden is chairman of the whist party to be given Wednesday afternoon by the Women's Riverside Club at their clubhouse on Edison park.

The Heather circle, composed of twenty pretty Scotch lassies are to hold a masque party tonight at the home of Miss Bessie Miller on Liberty street and the members are looking forward to one grand good time. There will be an entertainment including singing, reading, etc., not forgetting appetizing refreshments.

IT'S WARM ENOUGH.

The noon temperature was 59 degrees, making today the warmest day at noon since Dec. 2. However it is not a record breaker for on Jan. 30 last year the temperature was 62 degrees at noon.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Nathan Ames.
Orent-Payson
Commonwealth Notice.

FARM PRODUCTS OF 1914 ARE WORTH TEN BILLIONS

Astounding Figures Reported by Secretary of Agriculture.

American farms during the year 1914 eclipsed all records for combined value of their products, with a total of almost $10,000,000,000. Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture announced that the value of all farm crops, farm animal products and farm animals, sold and slaughtered, aggregated $9,872,936,000. That was $83,000,000 more than the grand total for 1913, the previous record year, and more than double the value of all farm products in 1899.

Crops in 1914 were valued at $6,044,480,000, and the estimated total value of the animal products and of the farm animals sold and slaughtered was $3,828,456,000. The value of crop production last year was slightly less than in 1913 on account of the reduced value of the cotton crop brought about principally by the European war. The corn and wheat crops, however, were the most valuable ever produced in the United States, bringing the year's crop value total to only $88,279,000 less than the total for last year, despite the loss of more than $300,000,000 in the value of the cotton crop.

"The estimated value of the animal products of the farm in 1914," said the Agricultural Outlook, "is distinctly higher than in 1913, which was itself a record year in the value of this class of products. This is due to general but slight increases in production, except for sheep and swine, and in prices more especially to a small increase in the average price of eggs, and to a more considerable increase in the farm price of cattle and calves sold and slaughtered."

The values of the principal farm crops last year was: Corn, $1,702,599,000; wheat $878,680,000; hay, $779,068,000; cotton, $519,616,000; oats, $499,431,000; potatoes, $198,609,000; barley, $105,903,000; tobacco, $101,411,000; sweet potatoes, $41,294,000; rye, $37,018,000; sugar beets, $27,950,000; rice, $21,849,000 flaxseed, $19,540,000 and buckwheat, $12,892,000.

One of War's Evils.

One of the evils of a war is the lowering of the national physique. In the generation after the Franco-German war there was an appreciable decrease in the stature of Frenchmen through the large number of young men of good physique who were killed.

Old Time Detective Work

By EVERETT P. CLARKE

I have been a detective for many years, though now that I am getting old I seldom take a case, and then only one that promises to interest me. My leisure time I spend in study. And what do you suppose is the subject of my studies? I will tell you. I am searching the past when there were no detectives that I may learn how criminals were traced.

I have found a succession of conditions, beginning with confession by torture—to this may be added confession by influence of the clergy—and ending with our present highly perfected detective system. I regret to say that there still exists one relic of the practice of obtaining confessions by influence of the clergy. I refer to securing them by means of the "third degree."

A curious instance of confession I have found in a record of the latter part of the eighteenth century.

During the year 1790 an altercation occurred between James Thorpe and Pardon Winston in Bradford, a small town in Massachusetts. Robert Thorpe, a brother of James, came on to the scene while the fight was in progress and struck Winston on the head with a piece of wood, knocking him senseless. However, he revived in a few minutes, and the brothers, who had been friends of Winston, frightened lest he had been killed, assisted him to his home, expressing great regret at the occurrence.

Winston did not seem any the worse for the blow he had received and remained in Bradford some time after the scuffle. But one day he was missed, and, when months passed and he did not show up, among the various causes for his disappearance that were suggested was one that the quarrel between him and the Thorpe brothers had been renewed and the missing man had come to his death through their instrumentality.

However, since there was nothing but inference in the matter, the suspicion died down. Several years after Winston's disappearance Abner Twitchell, a citizen of Bradford, dreamed one night that the ghost of Winston had appeared to him and said that the Thorpe brothers had killed him, burned his body and buried the residue under a beech tree, the only tree standing in the back yard of his home. Twitchell gave the civil authorities an account of his dream.

At this point in my narrative it is well to remember the conditions of that period. The belief in witchcraft that had reaped so many victims had died out among educated persons, but still prevailed among the lower classes. Today a belief in revelation by dreams, though not what it was then, is not entirely extinct.

The Thorpe brothers were arrested, the ground about the roots of the beech tree was dug up, and some buttons and the metal parts of a pair of suspenders were found. This evidence was considered so strong that the Thorpe brothers were urged to confess in order that justice should be meted out to each in accordance with what he deserved. James, under the incessant pleadings of his spiritual adviser, finally gave way and confessed that he had been the murderer. But later Robert confessed that he, too, had taken part in the killing and had done the principal part in getting rid of the body.

Now, if we consider the evidence in this case as it would be regarded today there is nothing in it. First, we would not accept the dream as of any value whatever; second, the articles found under the beech tree might have been thrown out in the yard or burned with other refuse under the tree and become mingled with the soil; third, we have numerous confessions in murder cases that are not true.

But in those days, when the people were emerging from a period wherein an organized court of justice would convict a woman of vomiting crooked pins and sailing on the water in a sieve, the evidence against the Thorpe brothers, backed by the confession of both, was considered quite sufficient to hang them. They were tried, convicted and sentenced.

One day a man rode into Bradford and while sitting around the tavern stove was told that the next day there would be a hanging in the town and he had better remain over and see it. On mention of the name of Winston he said that he had seen a half witted man in Hadley of that name. A friend of the Thorpe boys was present, and he went to the judge with the story, asking for a stay of the execution in order that the matter might be investigated.

A constable was sent to Hadley and returned with the man for whose murder the prisoners were to have been hanged. The brothers were released and received an ovation, the townspeople really rejoicing that they had been saved by a mere chance from having committed murder themselves.

The blow that Winston had received from Robert Thorpe had caused an indentation of a bit of his skull on the brain. Even nowadays we are never sure when or what vagaries may be caused by such a pressure, though it can now be removed by surgeons. Whether the surgical process of trepanning was done in those days or not I don't know. I found no record of the subsequent condition of the injured man.

W. W. ANDREWS STRUCK BY AUTO

Wheel Passes Over Leg And Hand of Well Known Resident in City Square

INJURIES NOT SERIOUS

W. W. Andrews, 66 years, one of the oldest residents of Germantown, was knocked down and run over by an auto in City Square about 5.30 Monday evening. The wheel passed over his leg and hand, lacerating the latter and causing heavy body bruises.

Andrews was crossing the street when the auto came along the track at such speed it skidded in the slippery mud when the brakes were applied. The end swung around striking him and throwing him in the path of the rear wheels.

The machine was brought to a stop and the operator offered the old man assistance but he declined. A few minutes later he entered the pharmacy of E. J. Murphy where he told his story. When asked for the name of the owner of the machine he said that he was dazed by the fall and neglected to secure it. He was able to go to his home unattended.

SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

THE POINT OF VIEW.

Pessimist—The cost of living is terrible.

Optimist—But it's worth the price.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

DISAPPOINTED ONCE.

Parishioner (to the departing minister)—We're awfully sorry to lose you, Mr. Foodle.

Mr. Foodle (modestly)—Never mind Mrs. Toodle, I've no doubt you will get a better man next time.

Parishioner—Ah, no. That's just what the last minister said when he left.—Sydney Bulletin.

THEY LOOK THAT WAY.

Reginald de Bacchus, profligate son of a millionaire soapmaker, sat up in bed and begged for water.

"This is the end of my social career," he moaned. "I drank too much last night at the ball, and staggered into everything."

"'Ardly, sir, 'ardly," murmured his valet, apologetically, "Hevery one's praising you for inventing a new dance."—Pathfinder.

SATISFIED.

"Let me see some of your black kid gloves," said a lady to a shop assistant.

"These are not the latest style, are they?" she asked, when the gloves were produced.

"Yes, madam," replied to shopwoman. "We have had them in stock only two days."

"I didn't think they were, because the fashion paper says black kids have tan stitches and vice versa. I see the tan stitches, but not the vice versa."

The shopwoman explained that vice versa was French for seven buttons, so she bought three pairs.—Grit.

MISS OLGA LUNDQUIST.

Miss Olga Lundquist a well known and popular young woman of the city, died at the Quincy City Hospital this forenoon following an operation for appendicitis, performed five days ago.

The deceased was the 22 year old daughter of Mrs. Anna Lundquist of Rockview road and leaves two sisters, Mrs. Gustafson of Hough Neck and Miss Sigried Lundquist, the well known singer. She also leaves one brother, Knut Lundquist.

Miss Lundquist was an active member of the Swedish Lutheran church and was affiliated with its societies. During the past year she has been the bookkeeper at the granite yard of Hughes and Johnson.

The Glenrose Girls will meet tonight at the home of Caroline Reinhalter of Bunker Hill lane.

At the regular meeting of the school committee next week Chairman Mackay will announce his standing committees.

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in the last report has proved to be a great benefit to the hospital.

Special mention should be made of the Hospital Aid Association which has given liberally, particularly linen.

The plant is in good condition. The only material change during the year has been a re-arrangement, whereby what was originally the operating room is now the nurses dining room and the old dining room is now the office of the superintendent, and certain changes at the entrance of Ward A, whereby the service is much improved.

The laundry machinery which has been contracted for at the time of the last annual report was put in March 1, 1914. It has proved very efficient, taking care of the greatly increased washing without additional help, and it will be able to take care of it for a considerable period to come.

One bequest has been received during the year from the Estate of Joseph Baxter, amounting to $1,738.67.

Fred H. Smith, Albert N. Murray and Daniel L. F. Chase were appointed a nominating committee for the ensuing year.

Just previous to the adjournment Fred B. Rice spoke of the work of the Hospital Aid Association. He said that there seems to be a general impression that only women should belong but there was nothing in the by laws to prevent men becoming members. He said he hoped to see the membership increase to 1000 within a short time which would mean $1000 income for the hospital from this source.

LADIES SODALITY MEETS.

The Ladies' Sodality of St. Marys church will hold their regular weekly meeting this evening in the church at 7.45 P. M. After the meeting the parishioners will assemble in the music room to elect committees to take charge of the reunion which will be held February 15th in St. Josephs hall. It is the earnest hope of the pastor Fr. McCoy that this affair be the largest ever held in the history of the parish.

F. MITCHELL VOLNEY.

F. Mitchell Volney, for twenty years a resident of Atlantic, died at 15 Parkerson street, Dorchester, this morning aged 66 years. Mr. Volney was employed as an assistant foreman on the New Haven railroad for thirty years and moved to Dorchester several years ago. His funeral will be held from the Memorial church at Atlantic.

JOSEPH F. FRYE.

The funeral of Joseph F. Frye, who died Saturday, was held Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of the First church. The burial was at Stockton Springs, Me.

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MERE MEN PROVE ABILITY AS COOKS

Mayor Campbell Speaks at Universalist Church Supper

Mayor Campbell, in the presence of Mrs. Campbell asserted Tuesday evening asserted Tuesday evening that he "did not kiss the bride" referring to a recent marriage in his office at city hall. This admission, at the supper at the Universalist Church was received with laughter and set the ball of fun a-rolling after a most palatable repast.

The supper was prepared and served by the men, a revival of a custom in vogue at the church some years ago and was attended by old and young. C. H. Greene was chef and his assistants were Abel Gomez, John E. Greene, John F. Hyland, Frank Stoddard, Eben and G. Arnold Prescott, Freeman and Willard Hyland, Bartlett Spooner and Charles E. Decker, the latter also serving as auctioneer.

The special guests of the evening were Hon. and Mrs. Chester I. Campbell, Rev. George Leighton, state superintendent of Universalist churches, and Mrs. Leighton, Rev. Melvin S. Nash of Hanover, former state senator and member of the House of Representatives and Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor of the church. President Eben Prescott, with the guests occupied the head table and acted as toastmaster.

The menu, well cooked and well served, included grape fruit, roast turkey, cold boiled ham, mashed potatoes, squash, turnips, cranberry sauce pickles, coffee, cake and every variety of pie.

Toastmaster Prescott extended the welcome and spoke of the revived custom, saying the men had decided again to display their culinary art from time to time and that the first was only an indication and not the "last word" in their book of knowledge.

Three more entertaining speakers could hardly have been chosen for any occasion, all varying the serious side of their talk with choice bits of humor, and three well rendered vocal solos were given by Miss Edith Hyland.

Mayor Campbell received an ovation and another followed when he made his confession. He spoke of the value of informal gatherings and said, in connection with his office he had not found out everything as yet but as fast as it was consistent with good business all will be brought to an efficient standing.

"Remember," advised Mayor Campbell, "it is the busy man who does things, but we don't want to let the idea of swiftness go so far it will put a dent in our work. We want to do things in a thorough manner so that the work will be held in hand for years, thus proving ourselves a benefit to the community.

"Quincy has many efficient men who have been identified with city affairs for years. It is a great pleasure in looking over records to learn how long some have been in the service.

He then spoke of the good work done by Lieut. Mark E. Hanson of the police department, who was present, and the reference was greeted with considerable applause. There are others throughout the city, he said.

"Encouragement should be given the man unemployed as the man at work and help other fellows is a good guide of life."

Mayor Campbell spoke of the few marriages in Wollaston last year and said if the girls only knew the home value of men who prepared the supper the number of marriageable young women would decrease.

Rev. Mr. Leighton, after "Stinging" his friends, particularly Rev. Mr. Nash, discussed the place of the church in modern life.

"We are led to ask, is the church tied up closely enough to life as it is being lived and should it be tied up? Yes, if it is efficient.

"His Honor, your Mayor, has struck the key note of business. It is efficiency. When we realize the church is a business we have made a long step towards practical accomplishment.

"It is a wonder that the church is where it is when we consider the steps through which it has gone. I believe the church is efficient today because I believe in the men of today. I have never found a man or woman who would not respond to that which is fair and square and honest. It may sound mercenary, and this is not a theological slam or slur,—a great many people went to church, in the past, to keep out of hell. Few go with that as a motive today.

"Is there no longer a motive in life? Yes, the greatest ever given to the world is now, and if men only had the teachings and dictum of Jesus Christ man would not lose faith in man as those brothers across the sea. It is because man has not glimpsed the eminence of God and not felt his kindred feeling of brotherhood.

"When we produce the divinity of christianity through human channels, translated into human blood, then that question of today will no longer be raised. Isn't that enough to make real the feeling that God is the father, to make efficient the gospel of Jesus Christ? After that, the question, "If a man dies shall he live again?

"Teach them the immortality of man, link the spiritual with the human. I submit these will grip us and give us something to do."

Rev. Mr. Nash, keen of wit, flashed repartee at the preceding speakers which more than balanced the scales. He then spoke of "Christian Citizenship" in a general way.

"It is evident in the life we are leading today. Christian citizenship pays. Engraft the principles of Jesus Christ and they will win the greatest respect man can win.

"There never was so much irreverance as today. The name of the great father is often profaned."

He then cited the respect paid a good member of his parish on his death when the edifice was taxed to its capacity by loving friends.

"Daniel Webster said the greatest thought which ever occupied the human mind is the individual responsibility to Almighty God. Such a sprit must be generated today to inspire and quicken men so they will realize God is father to all. That was the cornerstone of the old American citizenship."

Rev. Mr. Ward, the last speaker gave a general talk on co-operation. He spoke on the value of doing things and mentioned a man who always promised to oil a squeaky door hinge and which squeaked at his funeral, 40 years later.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Thursday unsettled with probably rain or snow and colder.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.08
Sun sets	4.44
Length of day	9.36
Moon sets	11.30
High water, A. M.	3.15
High water, P. M.	3.45
Days increase	0 hrs. 30 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	59 degrees
Jan. 20, 1914,	33 degrees
Jan. 20, 1913,	42 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

OPPOSE STUDY OF SEX HYGIENE

Rev. Mr. Willmott Says Most Teachers Not Competent to Handle it

THREE HUNDRED ATTEND

Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church, speaking before the Parent-Teachers' Association of the Adams school Tuesday evening came out strongly against the teaching of sex hygiene in the public schools.

Rev. Mr. Willmott said that too much responsibility was being shouldered by the public school today. He said nine out of ten teachers did not know enough about the subject to teach it and the tenth should not be obliged to if she could.

Rev. Mr. Willmott's statement was made while he was discussing cooperation between the home and school, before an audience of 300. One reason he said why the Italians and Jews often excelled in the schools was because the Italian and Jewish homes appreciate the school as the Americans do not do. He also deplored the fact that so many young girls and boys were on the streets of Quincy at night and said public schools could not be expected to do effective work until this was stopped.

A communication from Brooks Adams relative to the memorial to be placed in the New Adams school by the Adams family was read. The letter stated that owing to the present difficulties it seemed best for the present to think only of the essentials of life rather than the adornment.

The question of grading Madison avenue, on which the school fronts, and Bradford street from Elliott street up was discussed and Councilman Robert Craig of Ward Three said he would introduce an order at the next meeting of the city council, authorizing the city to accept those streets.

Music was rendered by Albert Hayden and Mrs. Frank Moore. Refreshments were served by the committee under the direction of Miss Laura E. Lamb, chairman of the committee, assisted by Mrs. A. P. Pinel.

SERVICES FOR MRS. CHEVERIE.

The funeral of Mrs. Isabella Cheverie, held six days after her death so her husband, Fidelus who was in Canada could attend, took place this morning, from the home at Lancaster street.

Fr. Walter A. Quinlan celebrated the high mass of requiem at St. John's church and the body was taken to St. Mary's cemetery at Randolph for burial by E. D. Barrett, a local undertaker.

Among those present was her daughter Laura, a novice at the St. Joseph's monastery at Canton, who was accompanied by two members of the sisterhood of St. Joseph.

PICKWICK CLUB.

The Pickwick club observed its 42nd anniversary last Wednesday evening with a dinner at the home of Mrs. W. H. Doble. The club meets every two weeks.

HENRY SMITH.

Henry Smith of Dorchester, father of Mrs. Waldo Fay of Wollaston and a well known visitor to Quincy died at his home on Tuesday night.

Cooperation Appreciated

Bob Taylor the popular young clerk of R. E. Foy's Adams Market, would appreciate all coupons saved from Ferguson's and Fox's Bread. Up-to-date Bob has a lead of over 6,000 votes. He would appreciate a helping hand.

FATAL EXPLOSION AT NAVY YARD

One Dies and Four Injured as Result of Flareback on Tender Fulton

BUILT AT FORE RIVER

One died from the effect of burns and four were injured in an oil flareback on the submarine tender Fulton at the Charlestown Navy Yard today. The boiler was damaged and the ship will be out of commission for at least a week.

The Fulton which was built by the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation is equipped with Diesel oil-burning engines and has been in commission two months. A similar flareback, causing injuries to ten men, occurred at the Fore River shipyard on Nov. 20.

The Fulton is known as the mother ship of the submarine flotilla of the U. S. N. The flareback came, it is said, at the lighting of one of the oil burners, the fuel of which is fed into the boilers through pipes in the form of spray, being forced by compressed air supplied from a pipe joined to the oil pipe.

A court martial may be ordered to determine the cause of the flareback.

OPEN HOUSE ON 81st. BIRTHDAY

Friends Congratulate Ira Litchfield on Event

Ira Litchfield who until his retirement a few years ago was one of the most active carpenters and builders of the South Shore, is keeping "open house" at his home at 11 Pearl street in honor of the 81st anniversary of his birth.

Mr. Litchfield has lived here since 1876. He was born in North Scituate and on Jan. 2, 1861, claimed Elizabeth Jane Wales of North Braintree as his bride. Mr. Litchfield passed her 75th mark on Dec. 23, 1914 and is today assisting him receive his many callers. Both are in excellent health.

Mr. Litchfield served in Co. C. unattached Heavy Artillery, and is a member of Paul Revere post, G. A. R. With his wife, he has been a constant attendant of the Universalist church, and both were at the supper served there by the men Tuesday evening.

WAS PROMINENT GRANITE DEALER

Alexander Mundie Dies at His Home

Alexander Mundie, one of Quincy's well known granite manufacturers, died at his home on 106 Independence avenue Tuesday, aged 56 years. Mr. Mundie during his younger years learned the trade of a granite cutter at which he was employed for many years. Some years ago he went into business with Alexander Kemp, taking the old Cook & Watkins plant of Liberty street. Later this partnership was dissolved and of late years Mr. Mundie has carried on business alone at the Liberty street plant.

He was a member of the Granite Manufacturers association, the Foresters of America and of Clan MacGregor. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2.30 from his late home.

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SUBMARINE WAS LAUNCHED TODAY

Private Exercises Mark Christening of L-1 by Wife of Her Commander

WILL BELONG TO U. S.

The largest submarine yet completed for the United States Navy was launched at the Fore River Shipyard at 2.30 this afternoon and was christened L-1 by Mrs. Elizabeth Scott Daubin, wife of Lieut. Freeland Daubin, future commander of the vessel. The exercises were private.

The submarine was one of seven under construction at the shipyard for the government. The tonnage is 450 and is 165 feet overall. She is equipped with Diesel engines and the contract calls for a speed of 14 knots on the surface and ten knots while submerged. Power while under water will be furnished by storage batteries.

The ship is somewhat larger than the M submarine, work on which will soon be started but will be considerably smaller than the mammoth submarine, which will be able to stay under water an entire day, the contract for which was recently awarded to the Electric Boat Co. to be built at the Fore River shipyard.

ROMANCE LEADS TO ENGAGEMENT

Miss Eva Rice to Wed Adolph Re.telli in April

An interesting romance of the Christmas season is revealed in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Eva Rice, soprano soloist in the choir at St. Johns church, to Adolph Restelli, one of Quincy's best known vocalists and also a member of St. Johns choir. The wedding will take place in April.

Miss Rice and Mr. Restelli first became acquainted shortly before Christmas when the latter joined St. Johns choir as the baritone soloist. Their acquaintance soon developed into something more than mere friendship and shortly after Christmas it became known among the close friends of the couple that they were engaged.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Rice of 115 Standish avenue In addition to being a soloist in the choir at St. John's church, she is also musical director at St. John's parish school. She has appeared in many public and semi-public entertainments in this city, and has always had a prominent part in the musical and social affairs of the Quincy Catholic Club. Mr. Restelli is equally well known in musical circles and for years has taken a prominent part in numerous local minstrel and other entertainments.

HOLD MATINEE WHIST.

The George L. Gill Associates held a matinee whist in Odd Fellows hall Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance. The winners were Mrs. Katherine MacDonald, Mrs. H. Spear, Mrs. Nettie Lewis, Mrs. Mary L. Thomas, Mrs. B. Hughes, Mrs. Mary Phelan, Mrs. Silas Perkins.

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DELIVERS ADDRESS AT FIRST PARISH CLUB

M. W. Alexander Explains Workingmens Compensation Act

Every employer of labor and every employee has some idea of the Workingmens Compensation act and its provisions but never has the act been more fully explained to a Quincy audience than Tuesday evening when for nearly two hours M. W. Alexander of the General Electric Co., and one of the commissioners who drew the act, now in force in Massachusetts talked to the members of the First Parish club.

The club as usual met at 6.30 at which time a hot roast beef supper was served. Rev. Edward Anderson involved the divine blessing. Seated at the head table aside from the speaker and Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson president of the club, were, Hon. John O. Hall, Mr. Leavitt of North Weymouth, W. I. Hamilton, Wiley Wakeman, H. Gerrish Smith, Eben W. Sheppard and Col Anderson.

In opening his address Mr. Alexander said that business men are all interested in the act both financially and morally but that although living under the law in Massachusetts it was doubtful if many understood it. As one of the commissioners who had studied the question and helped write the law he has seen some defects.

"It is a legislative expression of the economic belief in relation of man to man" he said. "A change from the old order of things must therefore take place. The injured are entitled to care and comfort, unless it can be shown that the employe's negligence brought about the injuries. In common law the injured party is obliged to prove that the employer was negligent but the statutes have changed the common law. In the old method the employer could always set up the assumption of risk and negligence of fellow employees. Under this law the employee was put at a disadvantage against the employer with a resulting long drawn out litigation.. In the end perhaps the money came at a time so late that it did him little good. The employee was unable to obtain proper medical assistance or to provide properly for his family. The new law does away with this unfair method. The law started in Germany and came to the United States about four years ago and is now in force in 24 states."

Continuing Mr. Alexander said: "As I conceive the law it should, to be effectual, have three fundamental principles. It must stimulate accident prevention. It must concern itself vitally with those injured by accident. When these two factors are taken care of properly then comes the question of the amount which should be paid for injuries. This must be held down to a reasonable basis. The law should provide such administration that time and money must be eliminated. The employer and employee must be brought together in friendly relationship. It should not be ruled by judicial decree but by common sense."

"At the start there was a constitutional doubt if the act could be forced upon all employees, and some states have changed their constitution to make it compulsory. In Massachusetts the law is elective in character. It requires an employee to state in writing that he is willing to accept the compensation act and give up his common law rights."

"Proper medical attendance is of paramount importance. In Massachusetts it provides that the employer shall provide adequate medical and surgical aid free for two weeks, and during these two weeks the injured man shall not receive financial compensation. Unless this waiting clause was introduced it would be impossible to cope adequately with the cases. There are always some men more ready to loaf three weeks on half pay than to work a full week, but by having the two weeks waiting period a great temptation is taken away. It is difficult for an expert to state if an employee is capable of going to work after two days. But when he is disabled for two weeks it is usually a case for medical experts to establish the fact that he is able to go to work. During these two weeks period the employee receives free medical service, and it is for the interest of the employer that he shall furnish the best medical service."

"I am not in favor of the idea of extending it over a period of thirty days, or of allowing an injured man to furnish his own medical attendant, for the reason that there is always a chance of the injured man seeking what is known as a shyster physician Neither do I believe that the financial liability should be limited to a certain amount. The wise step is to start conservatively and not increase the compensation too rapidly or we may kill the goose which lays the golden egg."

"The amount paid to an injured person or his family should not be in a lump sum but in weekly payments for a certain number of weeks, for in many cases they would be unable to handle a large sum. The Massachusetts law provides that for total disability payments shall extend over a period of 300 weeks. It also provides that a certain sum must be paid for funeral expenses. In case of a permanent disability it provides payment for a period of 500 weeks. Massachusetts law provides that the loss of both eyes, arms or legs shall be called total disability."

The speaker however said that he did not agree with it in this respect for a man might lose both legs and yet be able to do some kinds of work. "When the disability is permanent in character but not totally in nature the employee should be given a definite sum for the loss of such limb in addition to weekly payments for total disability."

Mr. Alexander also spoke of some of the changes in the law which he had advocated, upon which he had been defeated but which he had hopes of being enacted this year. Some of the present provisions are unjust and some new ones should be written in the law. "No law is good unless it is based on justice to both sides."

He also spoke of the English law and in what respects it differed from the Massachusetts law. "There should be no monopoly in the issuance of liability insurance. The employer should be permitted to provide his own insurance provided it is effective. This was one of the changes I am fighting for. It does not matter where the money comes from, provided that the injured man gets it. If you are interested in fair play it is in your power to influence your legislators in this matter."

He also spoke of the method of adjusting the insurance and stated emphatically that he did not believe in are arbitration plan. "If a man claims that he earns $15 a week and the employer says he earns but $13 there can be no arbitration, but simply a question of fact to be determined by consultation of the books of the employer. Things should be settled on a question of fact."

In conclusion the speaker said that most accidents were preventable in most cases due to carelessness. "We must direct our efforts to prevention This will be a step toward the elimination of accidents. Safety guarding machines will not prevent the element of carelessness. We must use every effort to eliminate that. We must start with our school children and teach them to be careful and not careless. We must instil the safety habits into the minds of the children. Then we will have accomplished something."

At the conclusion of the talk the speaker was given a rising vote of thanks.

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SLOW PAY.

A traveling salesman was remarking the other day that he had sold the usual quantity of goods the past few months, in spite of the war and other depressing causes. But he had found many of his customers hard up because of the unusual number of requests for credit. It was his opinion that in both good and bad times the American people are getting in too easy going habits about payment of bills.

It is not always the hard pressed workingman on short time who dodges the bill collector the most actively. Many of the well to do are habitually slow payers. They make requests for further accommodation with the air of conferring a lordly favor.

When the victim of ill health or other misfortune asks for a bill of goods on trust, it is often practically a request for charity. The merchant fails to see why he should carry the whole burden of the community's misfortune. So he charges up to his whole trade the expense of bad debts. Thus the frugal and thrifty, who may live even parsimoniously, are compelled to pay for luxuries for the extravagant.

There are of course some applications for credit that are legitimate. People have to take risks, start out on new ventures with small capital, seek better positions, or industry would stagnate. If fortune goes wrong, creditors must wait a reasonable time. But when people on wages or salary bank on their dreams they commonly "go broke."

Many people, finding a ten dollar bill in their pockets, feel sanguine, step high and send the tradesman's wagons hustling with deliveries to their homes. The fact that old accounts are due is forgotten.

CLEAN UP CHINATOWN.

It s to be hoped that the dispute between the police and building Commissioners of Boston, over the responsibility for the startling condition in Chinatown will not interfere with the work of remedying the conditions.

Mr. O'Meara makes out a pretty good case against the building commissioner's department when he asserts that complaints of conditions were made to the department by the police in previous years but without result. This is not the fault of Mr. O'Hearn, who has been in office only about a year.

But the question of responsibility is of minor consequence just now although that should be determined later. What is really important is that the underground passages and other abominations of Chinatown should be cleaned out and in accomplishing this the building and police departments should co-operate.

THE RAGE OF A POET.

The British poet, William Watson, has made in verse a furious attack upon the Marquis of Aberdeen because of the latter's announced intention of assuming the title of marquis of Aberdeen and Tara, Tara being an historic shrine of Ireland. Again is demonstrated that into poetry can be implanted a fury of invective seldom possessed by the master of prose.

Lord Kitchner says: "I don't know when the war will end, but I know when it will begin, and that is in the month of May." Then the terrible loss of life so far, the sufferings of the wounded and the sacrifice of Little Belgium is only a preliminary to real war.

Donald Meek, for so many years a favorite of Boston theatregoers, may be a mighty good comedian but as a business man he has his superiors. Donald has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, result of an unsuccessful actor-manager theatrical venture.

Among recent improvements at Christ church is a new floor in the rector's room put in by William H. Haslett, a member of the church. The floor is of petrosilo, a new composition which looks like tiling or cement of rich coloring, is sanitary and fire proof.

ST. MARY'S PLAN ANNUAL REUNION

Motion Pictures, Concert, Dancing on the Bill

A well attended meeting of the parishioners of St. Mary's church was held last eevning in the music room of the church. Preparations were made for the annual reunion which will be held in St. Joseph's hall Monday evening, February 15th.

Father McCoy the pastor, opened the meeting by giving his opinion of what kind of a time he had in mind to run and his way to distribute the tickets on which the success of the affair will depend. The entertainment will consist of moving pictures and a concert from eight to ten followed by dancing until one.

Ex- Councilman Stephen B. Little was chosen as chairman of the reception committee and Thomas F. O'Brien as secretary. Mrs. John Minihan was elected chairman of the refreshment committee.

George A. Reinhalter president of the Holy Name Society and Martin A. King, vice president of the Holy Name society, were chosen as floor director and assistant floor director. They will have the privilege of selecting their own aids.

The reception committee will consist of the Consultors of the Holy Name society assisted by the following Walter K. Pendis, Peter Morrisette, James H. Halligan, Michael Riley, Joseph I. Garity, John D. Smith, Edward Fennessy, John Crowley, Napoleon B. Grignon Mrs. Mary Little, Mrs. Maria Kelley, Mrs. Thomas Golden, Mrs. Patrick Scanlon, Mrs. Michael Reardon, Mrs. Stephen Little Mrs. Mary Mahoney, Mrs. William Callahan, Mrs. Catharine Martin, Mrs. Cecelia Lorandeau, Mrs. John Minihan, Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. Edward Finn, Mrs. Philip Garity, Mrs. Rose Canavan and the Misses Elizabeth Farrell, May Kapple, Elizabeth Roulean, Margaret Sheehan, Helen Sheehan, Catharine McKenna, Ita Sullivan, Marion Duffy, Helen Elcock, Mary Little, Sadie Monahan, Mary Drohan, Mary McHugh and Gertrude O'Brien.

TWENTY NEW MEMBERS.

Knights of Malta Initiate Large Class.

The Knights of Malta degree was conferred on 20 new members of John Adams commandery in Colonial hall Tuesday evening. The initiation was the largest held under their auspices for some years.

The degree was worked by a special degree team from Raymond Du Puy commandery. Grand commandery officers and members from all parts of the state were present. The exemplification was highly praised. Refreshments were served.

MOOSE PLAN.

The Quincy lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, held their regular meeting at Electa hall Tuesday evening. The meeting was well attended and among the visitors was Deputy Supreme Dictator James A. Daly who made a few remarks. The entertainment committee reported that all arrangements had been completed. for the big smoke talk in Quincy Adams hall Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1915. At the conclusion of the business meeting the members enjoyed a whist party. The prizes were won by James Ross and Alexander Craig.

MAKARIA VS CUNNINGHAM.

The Makaria Fraternity basket ball team will go to East Milton Saturday evening to play the Cunningham Gym team. A hot game is expected. The players will leave Quincy on the 6.50 P. M. car.

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REPUBLICANS ASSUME OFFICE

Recently Elected Mass. State Officers Sworn In

WALSH ADMINISTERS THE OATH

Governor, Who Was Only One of His Party to Be Re-elected to State Office, Provides Good Positions For Mates on Ticket Who Were Defeated In Recent Election

Boston, Jan. 20.—Governor Walsh became the only Democrat among the state officers today when he administered the oaths of office, in the presence of the executive council, to the Republican successors of Secretary of State Donahue of Dorchester, Attorney General Boynton of Everett, State Treasurer Mansfield of Dorchester and State Auditor Pope of Leominster.

Donahue, secretary of state in 1913 and 1914, is succeeded by Albert P. Langtry of Springfield, secretary of state in 1912, and defeated by Donahue for election that year.

Langtry is at present chairman of the state house building commission, which pays $4000 annually. It is understood he will resign this position. As secretary of state he will received $6000 a year. Donahue will become chairman of the industrial accident board at $5000 annually.

Boynton is succeeded by Henry C. Attwill of Lynn, whose resignation as district attorney in Essex county took effect when he was sworn in as attorney general. As district attorney Attwill is succeeded by Michael A. Sullivan of Lawrence.

Attwill has been a district attorney for about four years. From 1905 to 1910 he was an assistant district attorney in the same district, and before 1905 he served three terms in the house and three in the senate. The attorney general is paid $7000 a year. Boynton is reported as likely to receive an important appointment from the governor.

Charles L. Burrill of Boston, defeated by Mansfield in 1913, succeeds the latter as state treasurer with $5000 annually. Burrill has had considerable practical banking experience. Mansfield created wide interest last year by selling more than $6,000,000 of state bonds "over the counter" direct to the purchaser.

For the present Mansfield will be busy in forming an organization of Catholic lawyers in this state to combat the spread of divorce and to agree not to take divorce cases. He has already interested about 700 lawyers in the organization.

Auditor Pope is succeeded by Alonzo B. Cook of Boston. The state auditor is paid $5000 a year. Cook, who formerly lived in Sharon, won the Republican nomination for auditor handily, although repudiated by Republicans of his own neighborhood, and defeated Pope. Cook conducted his own campaign, spent but very little money, appeared at only two or three rallies, but was swept into office by the G. O. P. wave.

Pope will become supervisor of small loans at $3500 a year, succeeding Deputy Chief Neal of the state police, who has occupied the office temporarily since E. G. Brown of Brockton was removed by Governor Walsh and the 1914 executive council.

Each of the retiring state officers was a candidate for re-election.

Under the law, while the governor and lieutenant governor are sworn in on the first Thursday after the first Wednesday in the year, the other state officers are not sworn in until the third Wednesday.

The taking of office by the new state officers was not attended by any "fuss or feathers." They assembled at the governor's office and took the oath of office in the executive chamber.

The present staff of six assistant attorney generals left office with Boynton and will be succeeded by appointees of Attwill. Burrill is reported to be contemplating the advisability of making some more changes, but whatever changes are made in the offices of the auditor and secretary of state are likely to be minor ones, as practically all the employes of these offices are under civil service regulations.

COMPLAINT OF STRIKERS

Say Bangor and Aroostock Road Is Not Being Properly Operated

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—A complaint was filed with the public utilities commission against the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad company by its former engineers and firemen, who struck Jan. 18, 1913.

The complaint alleges that the railroad company is not making its schedule time, either in its passenger or freight service, and that accidents have happened on the road, caused by incompetent men running the trains.

A hearing will be ordered on the complaint unless an answer satisfactory to the commission is received from the railroad company.

Frank Execution Is Halted

Washington, Jan. 20.—An order staying the execution of Leo M. Frank of Atlanta, and directing that he be held in custody until further notice, was handed down by the supreme court.

RUMELY CONCERN FAILS

Receiver For $30,000,000 Agricultural Machinery Manufacturers

Indianapolis, Jan. 20.—The appointment of Finley P. Mount as sole receiver for the M. Rumely company, a $30,000,000 agricultural machinery manufacturing concern, by Judge Anderson, in the United States district court here, was over the recommendation of all the creditors, who asked that Clarence S. Funk, president of the company, and Stephen B. Fleming be named joint receivers.

The court, following its custom in such matters, declined to appoint Funk, as he is a non-resident of the state, and appointed Mount as sole receiver.

The abnormal financial conditions resulting from the European war, and the refusal of the holders of $1,300,000 of its debenture notes to grant an extension of the same, are held responsible for the receivership in a statement issued by Funk.

PERKINS' TRIAL BEGUN

Steamer Captain Tells How Boston Man Killed a Passenger

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 20.—George B. Perkins of Boston was placed on trial in the federal court here charged with the murder of F. W. R. Hinman while on the steamer Mohawk. The captain and another passenger were wounded.

Captain Ingram of the Mohawk testified he was talking with Hinman and his wife when Perkins, wearing a raincoat over his pajamas and barefooted, appeared.

"I advised him to go to his stateroom and get more clothing," testified the captain. "Perkins then drew a revolver and began shooting. The first shot struck me and I fell, but he continued firing, bullets striking Hinman and another passenger."

Other witnesses corroborated Ingram's story.

FULLY QUALIFIED TO FILL THE POSITION

New Jersey Woman Makes Good as a Borough Marshal

Point Pleasant, N. J., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Luella Arnold, appointed special borough marshal Jan. 1, justified her appointment when she arrested two men, one of whom was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

Mrs. Arnold is a widow. When Mayor Ferguson appointed her she declared she would arrest anybody a man could arrest. She saw the two men sneaking around houses, peering into doors and windows, and she grabbed them. They said they were only seeking food.

"You walk straight ahead of me!" commanded the woman so determinedly that the two men walked right to the recorder's court.

READY TO STAND TRIAL

Counsel For Thaw Will Not Oppose His Transfer to New York

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 20.—Maurice Shurtleff and George Morris, counsel for Harry K. Thaw, announced that they would offer no obstruction to his being transferred to the custody of New York authorities when the proper officers arrive with the papers.

It is expected, however, that this will not be until tomorrow as, according to Thaw's local counsel, the mandate of the supreme court has not yet been received by William T. Jerome, counsel for New York state.

It is expected Thaw will be lodged in the New York Tombs Saturday night for trial on the indictment charging him with conspiracy in his escape from the Matteawan insane asylum.

BULLET IN HIS SHOULDER

Lawrence Man Said to Have Been Wounded by His Wife

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 20.—Much secrecy surrounds the accidental shooting of Thomas Mulvey, Jr., who is suffering from a bullet wound in his shoulder.

According to the police, Mulvey was accidentally wounded by his wife. She says she was holding a revolver in her hand and that she discharged it unintentionally.

Mulvey is a private patient at a hospital. The police are not making an investigation of the case. Further developments, however, are expected.

Authoress Divorces Her Husband

London, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Robert H. Sherard, the authoress known as "Irene Osgood," was granted a divorce from her third husband, Robert H. Sherard, on the ground of misconduct and cruelty.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Slipping on ice at the top of a steep embankment at Fitchburg, Mass., Mike Telei rolled 100 feet into the Nahsua river and was drowned.

Edward S. Marshall, one of the best known hotel men in the east, died at York Harbor, Me., aged 72.

Bernice Wright, 8 years old, was drowned while trying to skate at Newburyport, Mass.

John Muir, the naturalist, who died at Los Angeles, Cal., left an estate of about $250,000.

The Grafton, W. Va., bank, capital of $100,000 and deposits of $500,000, failed to open for business.

SCISSORS PASTE

IS THERE A BASEBALL OCTOPUS?

If organized baseball, which is represented by the National and American leagues and the minor clubs in agreement, is a trust, as alleged by the Federal League, the public is entitled to know about it. If it is a trust which misuses its powers, which throttles new clubs and thus draws a dead line and is at all oppressive in its treatment of the players employed it should be ended by the courts.

There are many people who think that a baseball trust exists, but the great bulk of the public believes that there is no trust in the sense that individual opportunities are curtailed and capital seeking investment in the sport independent of the big leagues is never given a chance. Undoubtedly there are some inequalities and some injustices in the management of organized baseball, but they are fewer than formerly and seldom pernicious.

Nevertheless the American people are glad that the courts have been appealed to for a ruling on the matter.
—Brooklyn Standard.

A MAN-MAKING JOB.

It's a short slide from unemployment to the condition of a human derelict. There are thousands of men—old, young and middle-aged—on the toboggan in this city now slipping down clutching vainly at the straws of hope, but sliding surely into hopeless dependence. The problem is not merely to shelter these men from the cold, not merely to feed them and give them beds, but to keep alive the spark of courage, to help them to help themselves. It's a man-saving, man-making job.—New York Mail.

The Submarine

Hid in a deep sea cave I lie
Mid the drift of the silent years,
And I laugh at the pride of human power
And the sorrow of human tears—

For I know I hold in my heart of fire
A strength so cruel and vast
I can blight the earth and air and sky
Like flame from the furnace blast.

When I slip along through peaceful seas
And peer with my Cyclops eye,
No stately ship that ever was built,
Though never so fast she fly

Can race with me: I strike in the dark
Below her water line;
I am ruthless, cold as the sword fin shark,
Like my brother, the floating mine.

Drenched with the salt sea brine I bide
The menace of the sea;
A grim, gray wolf, my fangs I hide,
And man is afraid of me!
—S. H. Whitman in Kansas City Times.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 18, 1915. The committee on harbors and public lands will give a hearing to parties interested in H 104, for appropriation for deepening channel in Weymouth Fore River; at room No. 431 State House, on Friday, Jan. 22, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. Edward J. Sandberg, Chairman. Horace F. Field, Clerk of Committee. 19 2t

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Bridgewater Savings Bank to M. Josephine McCarthy, et al, Putnam and Everett streets.

James H. Broughton to Walter A. Clarke, et ux, Everett street.

Mary F. Callahan to Timothy F. Callahan, Sycamore road.

James Coutts, Jr., to Henry M. Dean, Jr., Littlefield street.

Mary E. Cocran to Mabel Mitchell, Sachem street.

Mary E. Cochran to Mabel Mitchell Beach street.

Samuel N. Crosby, et al trs to Mary E. Cochran, Sachem street.

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Algot J. P. Dahlly to Oscar Holstad, Alton road.

Wilton A. Dunham to Walter Sturgis, Houghs Neck.

Julia E. Fuller to City of Quincy.

Guerrino Giannini to Charles F. Adams, et al trs, Liberty street extension.

Frank A. Goodhue to George B. Colesworthy, Houghs Neck.

John R. Graham, et al trs to City of Quincy, Hancock street.

Annie W. Grant to Bridgewater Savings bank, Putnam street, Everett street.

Leroy M. Hill to Louise K. Murphy, Atlantic street.

Clifton Hotel Co. to Henry W. Taylor, Sea street, Brockton avenue.

Olof Johnson to Anna M. Johnson, Deidorf street, Cranch street.

Mabelle E. Johnston to Wilton A. Dunham, Houghs Neck.

Charles J. Kelly to Minnie J. Kelly, Billings road.

Annie M. Kelley to City of Quincy, W. Squantum street.

John Kujala, et al to Neil A. McDonald, et al, Willard street.

Lawrence Larsen to William V. West, Beach street.

Edwin J. Lloyd to Lawrence Larsen, Beach street.

Ida McIntosh to Samuel N. Crosby, et al trs Sachem street.

Olaf C. Moller to Eugene E. Fox, Winthrop street, Sea avenue.

Sarah A. Pitman to Lillian J. Muirhead, Winthrop place.

Antonio Ruscitto to Charles F. Adams, et al trs, Liberty street extension.

Oreste Vignoni to Charles F. Adams, et al trs, Liberty street extension.

Fred W. Wood, et al trs to George H. Hall, Jr., Billings road, Cummings avenue.

Adam S. Vogel to Mary A. Cook, Penn street.

Martin L. Wyman, Jr., to Alice W. Ralph, Elm avenue.

BRAINTREE REAL ESTATE SALES.

James E. Burke, tr to Fanny Gisborn.

Wilton A. Dunham to Jennie M. Young, Mountain Side park.

Granville H. Gould to Mildred H. Avery.

Emil J. Grosse to William F. Rogers.

George H. Hatchard to Adeline S. Weeks, Holmes street.

Henry M. Hollis to James B. Fitzgerald, Hobart street.

David Hunt to John B. Thomas.

Bertha O'Connell to James Cotter, Prospect street.

GLENROSE GIRLS MEET.

The Glenrose Girls held their regular weekly meeting at the home of Miss Caroline Reinhalter of Bunker Hill lane. Tuesday evening. This club is composed of twelve popular young women who meet once a week at one anothers home and enjoy a social evening. Games were enjoyed the first part of the evening after which dancing held sway until midnight. Music was furnished by Marguerite Reinhalter and several pleasing selections were rendered by Miss Rose Cormack, Mary Doyle and Elizabeth Williams.

HOLD FIRST MEETING.

Owottona Social Club Gathers at home Miss Duffy.

The Owottona Social club, recently formed by the young women who reside near Brewers Corner, held the first regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Marion Duffy of Copeland street. The purpose of the club is to sew useful articles and the first hour was devoted to sewing after which the balance of the evening was given up to dancing. Miss Celia Connors and Miss Grace Brownrigg alternated at the piano. Refreshments were served.

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What Local Clubs are Doing

News of Women's Clubs is a feature of the Daily Ledger every Wednesday. Secretaries of organizations should send notices of club activities, to reach the Club Editor not later than Tuesday night to insure insertion the next day.

Fragment Society of First church is holding an all day meeting today to sew for the Belgians

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Owing to several members of the Junior Friday club desiring to attend the parliamentary law class on Monday the meeting to have been held with Miss Edith Randall of Coddington street was postponed until next Monday. Miss Mary W. Holden will be in charge of the program, subject: "Darwin in South America."

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On Monday the Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, D. A. R. of Wollaston and the Old State House Chapter D. A. R. of Melrose, are hostesses for a meeting of the State Society at the headquarters in the Pierce building, Back Bay, Boston

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An all day meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society of the Wollaston Congregational church is to be held next Wednesday beginning at half past ten. Mrs. Nathan G. Nickerson will be the leader.

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Rev. Palfrey Perkins is to be the speaker at the meeting next Wednesday afternoon of Wollaston Alliance in the vestry of the Unitarian church, his subject being "The Women of the Old Testament." Tea will be served.

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The third opera talk by Havrah Hubbard under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's Club is to be given next Wednesday afternoon at the Park and Downs church; subject: "Monna Vanna." The last one "Parsifal" will be given Feb. 3 at the Wollaston M. E. church.

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Mrs. Muriel Arnold of 77 Arnold street is to entertain members of the Riverside Club at her home on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock for the regular business meeting of the club.

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Charitable Ten Circle of King's Daughters is making a second collection of linen, old sheets or anything suitable for bandages for the Belgians. Members and friends interested are asked to leave their contribution with Mrs. Frank Gilbert, Chestnut street before Saturday Jan. 23.

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Act four of King Henry the Fourth will be taken up for study Jan. 28th by the Atlantic Shakespeare Society under the chairmanship of Miss Mary L. Hinkley.

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Mrs. Laurance Heaton Sturtevant of Adams street is to be the hostess for the January meeting of the Hospital Aid Association on Thursday afternoon Jan. 28. Each member is invited to bring a prospective member to the meeting and work for an enlarged membership.

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Reapers Circle of King's Daughters is to meet Friday evening at quarter of eight with Miss Madeleine Pollock of Bigelow street.

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A meeting of the executive board of the Quincy Federation of Women's Clubs is announced for Thursday Jan 28, at 10. A. M. at the clubhouse.

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The big event this week with members of the Wollaston Woman's Club is the opera Priscilla to be given Friday night at Quincy Music hall under the auspices of the music committee of the club of which Miss Florence G Olney is chairman.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

Again The Revels held last week at Music hall will go down in club history as a great success and a frolic enjoyed by many. The next large affair, also to be held at Music hall is the opera Mikado to be given Feb. 10 under the auspices of the Music Committee, Mrs. John F. Hunt chairman

The next regular meeting of the club on Tuesday afternoon will be at Atlantic hall and under the auspices of the Legislative committee. Mrs. Maud Wood Parke, a well known and interesting woman will speak on "The Woman Movement Around the World." A large attendance should be present to hear her.

The first of six meetings of the parliamentary law class was held Monday afternoon at the clubhouse and notwithstanding the heavy rain over twenty were in attendance. This class is complimentary to members of the club with Mrs. Electa Sherman as teacher and under the auspices of the legislative committee, Mrs. Whitcher chairman. The next meeting will be held Feb. 1st at 2.30 P. M. at the clubhouse and a large attendance is urged. Beside useful instruction in the art of presiding and taking part in the business of an organization much of a humorous nature creeps in to enliven and make the class interesting.

Club members are asked to look over their old linen, sheets, towels, cottons, blankets and the like and send them to the clubhouse where a committee will sort and arrange them ready to send abroad to the sufferers from the war. The response for Salem was most generous and the new call which is very urgent should meet with quick response. The Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs is to take up a new and definite work for France and is asking all clubs to assist.

Active collection is going on among past and present members to raise a fund to mark the tenth anniversary of the club in February. It will take the form of a memorial gift and it has been voted to use it in establishing a nurse in the public schools of the city, the need having been presented strongly to the club.

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WOLLASTON WOMAN'S CLUB.

The new parish house of St. Chrysostom's church was filled with members and especially invited guests Tuesday afternoon, in observance of President's day. The guests were presented on their arrival with daybreak pinks. A cordial greeting of welcome was extended by the president Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes.

During the short business meeting it was announced that special cars would be provided to accommodate those attending the opera "Priscilla" Friday night at Quincy Music hall, leaving Neponset bridge by way of Norfolk Downs at 7; by Hancock street at 7, and by Wollaston at 6.52 and 7.22.

The club voted to allow unlimited guest privilege for the annual dramatics to be given at Quincy Music hall Feb. 16. The world's prize play, "The Piper" by Mrs. Lionell Marks will be given under the direction of Miss Theodora Luard.

The club has arranged for a public meeting to be held in Wollaston school hall Friday evening, Feb. 5 at 8 o'clock when Jay William Hudson of the University of Missouri will speak on "America's message to Europe." Mayor Campbell will be present and also address the meeting.

Miss Hattie Turner, chairman of the Belgian Relief committee made an appeal for old linen and cloth to be used in the hospitals of northern France, contributions to be sent to Mrs. Joseph Barber, 92 Elm avenue Mrs. William Burrill, 114 Beach street Miss Hattie Turner, 25 Winthrop avenue. This work is done in behalf of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs.

Following the adjournment of the business meeting all joined in singing America after which the president introduced the guest of honor, Mrs. Leila Pennock, first vice president of the Massachusetts State Federation, who gave a most inspiring address on the "Necessity of patience, poise and perseverance in all undertakings."

Mrs. Charles R. Safford, chairman of the program committee introduced the speaker, Prof. Homer Hulbert, who for 20 years was in the employ of the Korean government and a personal advisor of the Emperor of Korea. He held the audience spellbound for an hour while he related the true facts in regard to the extinction of the Korean national life. His subject was "Korea and the Far East."

Following the lecture a reception was held in line being president Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes, Mrs. Leila Pennock, Homer Hubert, Mrs. Nathan G. Nickerson and Mrs. William E. Rowe, first and second vice presidents of the club. Delightful music was rendered during the reception by a trio, consisting of Miss Florence Olney, pianist; Miss Marion Moorhouse, cellist; Miss Hazel Clark violinist. Refreshments were in charge of the hospitality committee Mrs. A. P. Thompson, chairman.

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NATION-WIDE MOVEMENT.

Plans to organize a nation-wide movement to furnish every illiterate in the country an opportunity to read are being made by the education department of the General Federation of Women's Clubs from which letters containing recommendations for work have been sent to each state president and education department chairman of the federation.

First hand study of conditions and early action looking toward their improvement are requested in the letter.

The club women are asked to present to the public in a telling way the facts in regard to illiteracy and recommend ways by which conditions may be improved. They are asked to become sponsors for special activities which will reduce illiteracy in particular situations.

By the statistics which accompany the letters it is seen that there are at least 5,500,000 illiterates in this country.

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CHRIST CHURCH GUILD.

At the annual meeting of the Women's Guild the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. Charles M. Chase; first vice president, Mrs. Edwin W. Newcomb; second vice president, Mrs. Agnes Emery; secretary, Mrs. Leonard Hewson; and treasurer, Mrs. Charles Wilson.

The Guild meets Thursday, at Mrs. Torrey's Adams Shore for an all-day meeting, taking the 10:10 car from Quincy Square. The members are to take the knitting which they have been doing for the Red Cross work as that will be the order for the day. The members will be guests of Mrs. Torrey at lunch.

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JANUARY.

22—W. W. Club—opera "Priscilla."
25—A. P. Q. Chapter, D. A. R., Boston.
26—Q. W. Club—Alpha Hall.
27—Ladies Benevolent Society, Wol. Cong. Church.
27—Wollaston Alliance.
27—W. W. Club, Opera talk.
27—Riverside Club—Mrs. Arnolds'
28—Hospital Aid Asso.—Mrs. L. H. Sturtevant.
28—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
28—Quincy Federation of Women's Clubs.

FEBRUARY.

1—Adams Chapter D. R., Miss Pierce
1—Q. Day Nursery Asso. Clubhouse.
1—Junior Friday Club—Miss Randall
2—K. C. M. Club—Harriot Barbour.
2—W. W. Club—P. & D. Church.
3—Wol. Aux. W. B. of M.
3—Bethany Women's Union.
3—Quincy Alliance.
3—W. W. Club Parsifal M. E. church.
4—Q. W. C. Board meeting.
8—A. P. Q. Chapter, Mrs. Jameson.
9—Q. W. Club—Q. Music Hall.
10—Wollaston Alliance.
10—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
10—Q. W. Club—Opera Q. M. Hall.
11—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
11—St. Chrysostom's Guild Fair.
11—W. W. Club—Board meeting
15—Junior Friday, Mrs.—Thompson.
15—Charitable Ten—Miss Newcomb
16—K. C. M. Club—Miss Holden.
16—W. W. Club—Q. M. Hall.
17—Quincy Alliance.
23—Q. W. Club—10th Anniversary.
24—Wollaston Alliance.
24—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
25—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
25—Hospital Aid.

Of Course.



Willie Woggle Bug—Did you know that Billy Bee and Sarah Bee were married last week?

Marty Moth—Git out! And where are they now?

Willie Woggle Bug—On their honeymoon.—Philadelphia Record.

FRESH QUAKES CREATE TERROR

Violent Shocks Cause Further Damage In Stricken Italy

CALABRIA PROVINCE IS SHAKEN

Thousands of Persons Refuse to Return to Their Homes After Fleeing to the Open—Suffering and Misery From First Earthquake Is Widespread—Greater Part of Population of Many Towns Killed and Buildings Reduced to Shapeless Ruins—Deplorable Condition of Survivors

Rome, Jan. 20.—Violent earthquakes have occurred in Zante and Cephalonia, islands in the Ionian group, in the Mediterranean. It is feared considerable damage has resulted.

An earthquake of great force has also shaken all Calabria, in the southwestern part known as "the toe" of Italy, but so far as is known has caused no loss of life.

The shock appears to have been most severe in the neighborhood of Cosenza, provincial capital. Thousands of persons fled to the open, where they insist on staying rather than run the chance of being buried in the ruins of their homes.

Not less acute than the misery and suffering of the people of Avezzano is that of the inhabitants of the entire district to the south. The loss of life and damage to property in several places are equally as great, but the needs of the sufferers have received far less attention.

Soldiers have arrived at many of these places to aid in the work of rescue, but there is a lamentable scarcity of food for both troops and the people. The temporary shelters provided also are inadequate to protect the people from the increasingly cold weather.

Paterno, high up on the mountainside, has suffered probably more than any other town in the whole earthquake region. Less than 200 persons have been saved out of a population of 2000, and not a single house remains standing. All are shapeless ruins.

Along the main road from Paterno to Pescina traffic has ceased except for a few motor cars carrying supplies and some country carts, which, when encountered, are generally laden with two or more coffins.

The flourishing town of Pescina is a mass of ruins from which there a perceptible odor of dead bodies. More than 4000 of the people of Pescina are buried under the fallen buildings. Some of the corpses which have been recovered lie on the ground at street corners.

Although living persons are still being dug out of the ruins, there are only 150 soldiers at Pescina to assist the survivors in rescue work. The few surviving town officials complain bitterly of the government's neglect. They say no bread has been obtainable since Saturday.

Pescina lost its most famous landmark, the sixteenth century castle of the Piccolomini family, and the house where the famous Cardinal Mazarin was born.

The condition of the surviving population of the town of San Benedetto, near Pescina, is deplorable. Over 4000 of the inhabitants perished out of a total population of 4500. Only volunteers from the nearby districts have been engaged in the rescue work.

No outside help of any kind reached San Benedetto until Sunday, although Pescina is only three miles away. The roadway between the two places was blocked as a result of the eruption. Great fissures in the highway testify to the severity of the earth shocks in this district.

The town of Celano, northeast of Avezzano, and 2500 feet up in the mountains, lost 1000 dead through the earthquake. There are also many injured and 10,000 persons are without shelter. A majority of them have been compelled to pass the bitterly cold nights in the open air because very little lumber has been sent to the place with which to build shelters.

At the town of Ortucchio, southeast of Avezzano, the earthquake victims are reported to number over 2000. A thousand of the dead, it is stated, are buried under the ruins of the cathedral. The entire population of Ortucchio numbered about 2500.

The village of Almort, in the same region, is also reported as completely destroyed.

Railroad Wants Lower Taxes

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—The legislature will be asked to reduce the taxes of the Maine Central Railroad company, because of increased cost of operation, according to an announcement by counsel for the company.

"Friar Tuck" Drops Dead

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 20.—George Frothingham, 75, the original Friar Tuck of the old Bostonians in "Robin Hood," died suddenly here of heart failure. He had appeared as the jolly friar more than 6000 times.

London, Jan. 19.—The official announcement has reached here that the Nobel committee has decided not to award the peace prize for 1914, but that no decision has been reached regarding 1915.

NEW YORK LETTER.

Dance Frocks and Evening Wraps Laces—Chiffons — Spangled Nets—Printed Silks and Satins—Color Combinations Wraps and Garnitures

Practically every fussy frock in one's outfit does duty for dancing, but with the winter's gaieties in full swing, evening gowns are in great demand.

DANCE FROCKS.

Extreme daintiness is the distinguishing mark of this season's dance frock. The silk or satin under dress is usually completely veiled with lace chiffon, embroidered or spangled net, or plain net pleated. Chantilly lace leads in favor but all the lighter meshes are smartly employed. Combinations of organdie and black Chantilly are extremely modish, and black velvet ribbon is used in all the Victorian fancies, and a few more that have suggested themselves to present day designers.

NEW EMPIRE FROCKS.

The new Empire styles, with high-waisted bodice and full skirt are pretty if you know how to wear them but most unbecoming if you don't. To secure a smart effect with these, especial care is necessary with the underpinnings. The natural outlines of the figure must be closely followed by a corset built on latest lines—quite a bit higher and more boned though not at all stiff—supplemented by dainty lingerie which adds not a whit to the bulk, as the swaying of the high hung skirt reveals smart trimness of outline. Worn otherwise, Empire models suggest the horrid nightmare that nearly everyone has experienced, where one is caught in a public place in an ugly negligee with no place of refuge in sight.

FOR A DINNER DANCE.

A dress with tunic and skirt merged in one is of coral colored charmeuse. The fashionable circular cut skirt sharply pointed at the foot in front and flaring out at the lifted side and back to show a petticoat of yellow lace. Long, tight-fitting sleeves of the same lace finish with bands of sable fur. The bodice is built on waistcoat lines, fastened with three jeweled buttons. The pointed neck edged, back and front, with gold net over white tulle.

PARTY WRAPS.

Ample flowing fullness characterizes all wraps worn this year. Even those modelled on Redingote lines having full circular skirts. Cloth, Satin, Panne velvets and brocades are the materials, and fur trimmings in wide fluffy bands edge them and form becoming collars and sleeve cuffs. The more costly garments are often lined with fur as well. The younger set affect loose coats of rose, green or yellow golfine, heavily trimmed with fur.

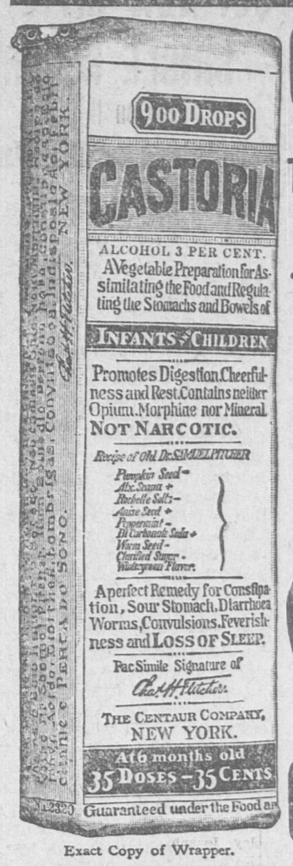


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It is reckoned very smart to have a set of matching hat, collar and muff, or to wear fur trimmings on the coat or suit matched by one of the new melon or circular muffs.



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A dress worn recently and very much admired, was of yellow panne satin, with a military blue narrow girdle caught in front with a deep pink rose.

Fannie Field.

New York, Jan. 15, 1915.

BONNY LASSIES ENJOY PARTY

The twenty young Scotch lassies composing the members of the Heather circle were royally entertained Tuesday evening by the Misses Miller at their home on Liberty street. It was the regular meeting of the circle, and on this occasion the word had gone forth that it would be a costume party. The young women appeared in the national costumes of foreign countries. There were Swedish ladies, Dutch ladies, Italian ladies, the irresistible American beauty and so on.

During the first part of the evening there was a short business session and then the fun continued until near the midnight hour. The favors of the evening were small cards on one corner of which was a spray of heather from Bonny Scotland which was tied with a lavender colored ribbon. There were games of various kinds, piano solos by Miss Nettie Miller, chorus singing, etc. Refreshments were also served during the evening. General dancing closed the evening, music for which was furnished by Miss Margaret Morrison, pianist.

The evening passed all too quickly for the young ladies and at the close the usual parting song was sung and three long cheers were given the Misses Miller.

GRANITE TRUST CO.

The annual meeting of the Granite Trust Co. was held Tuesday afternoon and these officers elected:

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George E. Sprague, Cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Litchfield, Water st.
A. Person, 92 Granite St.
Miss C. Booth, Brooks Avenue.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite St.
WEST QUINCY—Edward F. Drohan.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—A. H. Dunham, and his newsboys.
NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

ONE TEAM ONLY GETS CENTURY

Only one passed a century mark in the Point church league matches at Wardwells Tuesday night. Cedar point took three points, Rocky and Beach two apiece and Stage Point one.

CEDAR PT. 3—STAGE PT. 1.

CEDAR POINT.

Scouler	67	84	67	218
Hayden	88	76	77	241
Mendezie	70	69	79	218
Chisholm	77	91	71	239
MacQueen	104	79	88	271
	406	399	382	1187

STAGE POINT.

Austin	59	63	90	212
Peterson	90	90	88	268
Geisler	64	70	81	215
Jones	74	90	78	242
Dummy	67	69	67	203
	354	382	404	1140

ROCKY PT. 2—BEACH PT. 2

ROCKY POINT.

Waddell	62	80	73	215
Thayer	81	75	73	229
Moe	90	89	73	252
Wight	76	80	77	233
Lang	93	94	93	280
	402	418	389	1209

BEACH POINT.

Hoffses	99	78	97	274
Howe	85	77	74	236
Melville	75	77	79	231
Forest	67	66	67	200
McCulloch	82	75	75	232
	408	373	392	1173

SHIP BILL FILIBUSTER

Does Not Change President's Opinion That Measure Will Pass

Washington, Jan. 20.—Republican opposition to the government ship purchase bill took on all evidence of an actual filibuster, with Senator Burton of Ohio leading the attack. No progress was made on the measure, except that another day of Burton's speech went into the record.

Notwithstanding the determined opposition of the minority and the efforts of Democrats still in progress to perfect the measure, President Wilson seems to be confident that the bill will pass at this session. He said he thought it "very probable" that the bill would be passed before March 4.

GLOVE STRIKE IS OFF

Contest Which Begun Last August Has Greatly Crippled Industry

Gloversville, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The glove cutters' strike, which has paralyzed the American fine glove industry in Gloversville and Johnstown for five months just, was declared off last evening.

The strike was for an increase of the cutters' wage scale, and was declared Aug. 20. Sixteen hundred cutters were involved, which meant that the entire glove industry was eventually crippled nearly to the point where there was no output.

Guards Shoot Strikers

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 20.—Several strikers were shot, one fatally, by detectives of a private agency, who charged strikers who had surrounded a train bearing strike-breakers to a fertilizing plant.

Hub to Get Big Ocean Liners

New York, Jan. 20.—Plans are under way for the removal of the Hamburg-American, Cunard and the White Star lines to Boston.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

GET NEW CITY SINGLE RECORD

Good Matches In Clan MacGregor League

	Won	Lost
Capt. Nicoll	49	23
Capt. McKenzie	43	29
Capt. McLean	43	29
Capt. Hughes	31	41
Capt. Smith	28	44
Capt. Maver	22	50

High team total, Capt. Nicoll 1493.
High team single Capt. Hughes 534.
High individual totals, J. Dell 369, P. Dackers 322, M. Nicoll 329.
High individual single, J. Dell 149, D. Drummond 127.
High average 100, M. Nicoll, William McLean 94

An exceptional team single of 534 by the Hughes quintette, a new city record, featured the Clan MacGregor matches at the Coliseum Tuesday night. The team failed to disturb the high team total of Capt. Nicoll's five although they did jump their team single by 21 pins. There is little possibility that these marks will be boosted the balance of the season.

Good individual showing brought about the new record. Several pretty singles were made and the best totals were O'Neil 320 and Dell 310.

As a result of the matches the Nicoll's five retain their lead but a tie between the McKenzies and McLeans has developed for second place.

The Hughes and McLean teams got three points each the McKenzies and Smiths two and the Nicolls and Mavers one. The summaries:

Capt. HUGHES 3—Capt. MAVERS 1

CAPT. HUGHES.

Hughes	79	85	98	261
Mitchell	81	88	108	277
Raleigh	85	118	95	298
O'Neil	86	121	113	320
Dackers	88	87	120	295
	419	498	534	1451

CAPT. MAVERS.

Welsh	93	83	95	271
Mavers	94	85	107	286
Thompson	96	85	74	255
Birnie	85	88	95	268
Hastings	94	94	95	283
	462	425	466	1363

CAPT. McLEAN 3—CAPT. NICOLL 1.

CAPT. McLEAN.

Patterson	80	88	91	259
Marnock	78	84	90	252
McLeod	86	90	87	263
McLean	101	79	87	267
Dell	100	116	94	310
	445	457	449	1351

CAPT. NICOLL.

Craig	97	86	82	265
A. Michael	100	78	75	253
Stewart	79	67	84	230
J. Michael	77	82	80	239
Nicoll	117	86	99	302
	470	399	420	1289

Capt. McKENZIE 2—Capt. SMITH 2.

CAPT. McKENZIE.

Hunter	84	91	68	243
Gordon	85	84	75	244
McKenzie	93	88	94	275
Russell	114	70	78	263
Drummond	90	85	96	271
	466	418	411	1295

CAPT. SMITH.

Norrie	77	76	85	238
Gillis	79	90	94	263
Smith	78	98	80	256
Daverson	80	76	78	234
Martin	85	91	100	276
	399	431	437	1267

SPORTING COMMENT

William Gerstel of Neponset, considered a likely winner of the 145-lb class in inter-city bouts in Boston Tuesday night, was unable to appear because of a fractured wrist he received while training Monday. His brother Robert although entered did not box. Both were trained by Patsy Duggan and were in the pink of condition.

"Putt" Kelly is coaching the Neponset basket ball quintette.

Harry Carlson of Brockton beat John J. Sullivan in the inter-cities. The bout was stopped by Jack Norton, referee.

Daniel and Sid Duggan are still under suspension from the N. E. A. A. U. because they played against unattached teams while registered for playing with teams other than the Quincy A. A. with which they are registered.

RHODES TEAM MAKES SWEEP

Capt. Rhodes team made a sweep in the Samoset Club matches at Wardwells Tuesday night. The Armstrong and Hills after a hard struggle divided the points.

CAPT. ARMSTRONG 2—CAPT HILL 2.

CAPT. A. E. ARMSTRONG.

C. Armstrong	87	86	92	265
Brown	70	68	72	210
Baker	75	80	98	253
Nichols	90	77	86	253
A. Armstrong	91	94	81	266
	413	405	429	1247

CAPT. HILL.

Weston	83	71	72	226
J. D. Cahill	73	68	72	213
Wickeison	70	97	92	259
Ford	80	79	84	243
Hill	75	90	110	275
	381	405	430	1216

CAPT RHODES 4, CAPT CAMPBELL 0

CAPT RHODES.

W. Cahill	102	92	94	288
Smith	88	78	95	261
Stone	69	80	81	231
Pinkham	81	90	72	253
Rhodes	102	101	92	295
	442	441	434	1317

CAPT. CAMPBELL

E. Armstrong	88	86	84	258
Cowins	69	87	76	232
Swett	81	83	86	250
Johnson	94	67	75	236
Campbell	87	98	89	274
	419	421	410	1240

TURNER ARRAIGNED FOR GIRL'S DEATH

Case Is Continued and He Is Placed Under $7500 Bonds

Boston, Jan. 20.—Dr. Augustus W. Turner, who surrendered on a secret indictment charging him with performing an illegal operation which resulted in the death of Miss Irene M. Richardson of Arlington, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in the superior court.

The case was continued for trial. He was given freedom in $7500 bond.

In December, 1900, Turner was arrested in connection with the famous Jane E. Bishop cases. It was charged that he assisted Mrs. Bishop in performing a number of operations. Her arrest came in October and she was out on $10,000 bail when Turner was taken into custody in connection with the affair. He was acquitted, however, because of lack of latitude in the statute covering the alleged offenses.

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MANY TOWNS ARE ATTACKED

Five Persons Reported Killed and Much Damage to Property as European War Is Brought Close to Firesides of Englishmen—Important Operations by French Troops South of Verdun—Russians Reported to Be Making Big Sweep Against Germans—Turks Are Badly Beaten

London, Jan. 20.—Spreading terror all along the eastern English coast and hurling death and destruction into at least six historic towns, a fleet of German Zeppelins flew over Norfolkshire last night, leaving desolation in its wake.

Five persons are reported dead as a result of the raid, and three injured, but definite figures can hardly be obtained for several hours and will undoubtedly increase the casualty list.

At least one of the Zeppelins is reported to have been brought to earth by the fire of the British gunners.

A determined attempt was made to throw bombs upon Sandringham, the royal palace in Norfolkshire, where King George and Queen Mary have been staying, and which they left only last Monday to return to London. Deadly missiles were dropped near the palace but, so far as reported, no damage was done to the building.

Rushing in from the east over the North sea the great aerial war monsters first appeared above Yarmouth. Yarmouth is a peaceful little watering place, full of historic and literary memories, lying directly on the seashore, and is about 150 miles northeast of London.

People Are Terrified

The whirring of propellers overhead gave the first intimation to the inhabitants that the great war in Europe had come close over their own firesides, and in a few minutes came the noise of exploding bombs, with the crash of falling walls and the cries of the wounded and terrified in many sections of the town.

The number of bombs dropped in Yarmouth has not been estimated. One fell in Norfolk square, close to the sea-front. Another bomb hit the south quay and a third struck the York road drill hall, fragments of the casing of the shell crashed through the glass roof of the billiard room at the headquarters of the national reserve. A fourth missile fell near the Trinity depot.

Darkness added to the terror which at once overspread the town. Within a few moments the streets were jammed with frightened people, and the militia were ordered out to aid the local constabulary in trying to soothe the fears of the inhabitants. The whirring of the Zeppelin propellers could be easily heard, and at times came a blinding glare, evidently from flashlights carried by the invading airships.

Town In Darkness

At the first alarm the town's electric light service was cut off, in order to lessen the danger of making the place a shining target. The resulting gloom added to the confusion and made it more difficult to estimate the amount of damage done.

Terrific force was expended by the exploding shells. This was well illustrated by the effects of the one that fell in St. Peter's Plain. Here an entire row of houses was wrecked, the explosion blowing out all the windows and littering near-by streets with bricks, woodwork and slate from the roofs.

The visit of the airships is believed not to have lasted more than ten minutes, but they accomplished more destruction in that time than a bombarding warship could have effected in several hours. To this material damage must be added the moral effect of the terror spread amidst a peaceful population by such a awful and unexpected swoop at a time when most of the citizens had gone to bed.

When their work of devastation had been completed the great air vultures sped away to the westward, where other towns were to have the horrors of war rained upon their roof-trees.

The Fighting In France

The weather conditions have become so severe in France and in Flanders, where there have been heavy falls of snow, that fighting has been confined almost entirely to artillery engagements. There has been an exception, however, to the southwest of Verdun, near Pont-a-Mousson, where the French are reported to have approached a few hundred yards nearer the German frontier.

Military men place considerable importance on the operations in this region for, they say, in conjunction with the continued French pressure on the German lines to the west of the fortress of Perthes, they will, if successful, relieve the German operations against Verdun, around which they have had a half circle drawn sice they invaded France.

Silence Is Significant

Of the progress of the battles in East Prussia and Poland, the official reports are more scant in information than ever. Loquacity seems to be avoided when a big movement is beginning such as that which the Russians are carrying out between the East Prussian border and the lower Vistula.

In this operation, as far as can be judged by the meagre details furnished, the Russians are making a big sweep to the west and north, evidently in an endeavor to prevent Field Marshal von Hindenberg's forces from forming a junction with the German troops in East Prussia.

Some Petrograd newspaper correspondents credit the Russians with crossing the Vistula river to the south and east of Plock. If this is true, military men say, they must have a very large force and probably are in a position to threaten the left flank of the Germans, which has been trying for weeks to force its way through to Warsaw.

In some quarters in London there is a tendency to believe that the Germans soon will retire to their own frontier in the fear that a winter spent on their present line of communications, which are believed to be bad, will result in a heavy loss of men.

On Heels of Turks

The Russian troops which crossed the Carpathian mountains appear to have effected a junction and when the plans for an advance are completed an attempt will be made to invade Hungary from the north and east.

Reports from the Caucasus say the Russians still are busy pursuing the remnants of the Turkish army corps which they have defeated. These reports say that even the snow does not seem to interfere with the movements of the Russians, who are harrying the Turkish First army corps which was defeated at Ardahan and driving it across the Chorokh river, and are gathering in more prisoners and materials belonging to the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh corps, which are believed to have been even more severely handled than the First corps.

BRYAN REQUEST REFUSED

Great Britain Declines to Permit Steamer Dacia to Make Voyage

The British government notified the United States that it would not consent to the proposed trip of the cotton steamer Dacia to Rotterdam before taking up the question of her transfer from German to American registry.

The British reply to suggestions for a safe conduct recently made by Secretary Bryan came through the American embassy at London. While the text of the message was withheld, it is known the British objection was based broadly on a reluctance to create a precedent which, it is felt, would be followed by many similar purchases of German ships in America and efforts to operate them on the former German trade routes.

The British note does not undertake to assert the right of Great Britain to interfere with ships purchased and transferred to the American flag in a legitimate way. The objection to the transfer of the Dacia, according to the British view, is that it was not genuine, and that the American purchaser really was acting for German principals.

VICE CONSUL REJECTED

American's Pro-German Views Not Acceptable to Englishmen

On account of letters written by him and published in a newspaper at Lincoln, Neb., John L. Cutright, newly accredited American vice consul at Nottingham, Eng., did not take up the duties for which he went to that city, but returned to London after he had been informed by the mayor and other city officials of Nottingham that he would not be accepted as vice consul because his newspaper letters were regarded as expressive of pro-German sentiment.

Before going to Nottingham Cutright served as American vice consul at Coburg, Ger. While there he wrote the letters to which the Nottingham officials took exception.

Cutright is a son of the editor of the Lincoln Star, who was formerly private secretary of William J. Bryan.

NAVAL ENCOUNTERS

French Submarine and Turkish Vessels Reported Destroyed

The sinking of the French submarine Sapphire at the entrance to the Dardanelles was officially announced by the French minister of marine. Unofficial reports say a Turkish vessel rescued part of the crew.

A Sebastopol dispatch says a detachment of Russian torpedo boats entered the bay of Sinope, a Turkish port on the Black sea, in Asia Minor, and sent to the bottom a Turkish steamer and three sailing vessels. The crews of all four ships were saved. The name of the steamer appears to have been the Meorges.

MANNING INAUGURATED

Becomes Third Governor of South Carolina Within Five Days

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 20.—South Carolina enjoyed its third governor in five days. Richard I. Manning, who defeated former Governor Blease, was inaugurated, succeeding the lieutenant governor, who has been acting since Blease summarily resigned last Friday.

In his inaugural address Manning declared he would reinstate the state militia, ordered disbanded by Blease. Manning took a fling at "Bleaseism."

Receiver For Rock Island Road

New York, Jan. 20.—Judge Mayer appointed Walter C. Noyes receiver of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company. His bond was fixed at $75,000.

STATE HOUSE NEWS

State House, Boston, January 20th. That legislation will probably be necessary for the rehabilitation of the New Haven due to the "burdens of past mismanagement" was stated in the second annual report of the Public Service Commission filed with the legislature at the State House this noon. The commission states that it believes the present management is entitled to public support and that the public will make every reasonable effort to place the New Haven on a sound financial basis in order that more efficient service may be rendered.

"The whole scheme for the monopoly of the transportation facilities of New England, in defiance of public policy and of public morals, has come to an inglorious end," the Commission says, with reference to the divorce of the Boston and Maine from the New Haven.

The board renews its recommendations for a reorganization of the Boston and Maine, a subject which is being considered by Governor Walsh and Judge Knowlton at the present time. The present organization of the Boston and Maine is referred to as "unsound, organic structure" that permits, "payment of unearned rentals upon the leased lines of that system."

No intimation is contained in the report that gives an inkling of the attitude of the Commission regarding the proposed increase in passenger rates on all of the Massachusetts railroads now before the board for approval.

The results of operations of the New Haven, Boston and Albany and Boston and Maine for the past fiscal year show that all three roads have operated at a loss. The deficit of the New Haven is $2,088,106; the deficit of the Boston and Maine is $2,044,742 and the deficit of the Boston and Albany is $688,233.

The report is signed by Frederick J. MacLeod, Everett E. Stone, Clinton White and John F. Meaney.

Lieut. Governor Cushing and Mayor Curley are attacking our tax system, asserting that it puts a tax on success and tends to drive capital out of the state. It is being suggested by some tax reformers on the Hill, that some of the tax burden be shifted off of the fruits of industry and onto real estate, which can't be carried away by the tax-dodgers.

By far the most important event of the present session is the recent caucus of the Republican legislators. They have laid down a definite program, which reminds old-timers of the Democrats of 1911 with their joint committee on platform vindication, headed by Senator Hoar. Under the leadership of that committee the Democrats to a man followed the program of the platform on which they had been elected. Such united effort by either party has not since been witnessed, but the record bids fair now to be equalled by the Republicans under the forceful leadership of Speaker Cox. Unless the Democrats make some speedy attempt to get together they will find their opponents strongly entrenched for next fall's gubernatorial and legislative campaign.

The following declaration of principles adopted by the Republican caucus should be saved for reference by everyone interested in affairs on Beacon Hill. It was unanimously adopted How closely will each individual Republican legislator follow its tenets?

"Whereas, the conditions in private enterprise today are grave and unusual and a policy of retrenchment has been almost universally adopted therein, and

"Whereas, the financial condition of our commonwealth is also grave and unusual and calls for unusual action. Now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the Republican members of the House of Representatives for the year 1915 that they adopt as a part of their general policy for this session:

"First—No increase in salaries of public officials.

"Second—No new paid boards or commissions.

"Third—No new classes of service pensions.

"Fourth—No interference in the purely local affairs of cities and towns."

It will seem strange to some old Republican legislators to be supporting the fourth plank of this resolution for "home rule for cities" has always been a Democratic platform principle, strenuously contested by Cambridge is again in the throes of attempted charter revision. The legislators can't seem to let the poor city alone. Four new bills asking for four new kinds of charter are now before the legislature, each different from each other and from the present charter.

Cambridge secured a new charter in 1911, but the voters rejected it by a decisive vote. It is estimated that in the last ten years there have been more bills fixed for new charters for Cambridge than for any five other cities together.

A great many bills were filed for legislation—the most human bill being filed by Miss Adele C. Okie, who is a granddaughter of the famous New England physician and humanitarian, Dr. Howard A. Okie for whom many wards are named in our New England Hospitals. In the Massachusetts Homeopathic Hospital, Boston, the Okie Ward is the most desired of the entire Institution. It is to be expected that with careful guidance the "Okie Bill" will go through—but more about this later.

This is a great year for investigations. With the powers restricting new legislation in every way, the legislators must have some way to blow off steam. So they run to investigations.

The latest is the investigation of the Directors of the Port of Boston, called for by two separate orders just introduced.

Lieutenant Governor Cushing refuses to run for governor just now. He prefers to wait at least until next fall

Representative Cross of Royalston is for handling the "sectarian" question in a new way. He is for a constitutional amendment prohibiting the expenditure of public funds for any private institutions, whether sectarian or not.

The lock on the Governor's door should be fixed. One of the State House reporters got in there the other night and could have learned many interesting executive secrets, including the name of the new supreme court judge.

WEEKLY WHIST PARTY.

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A Flower Valentine

It Was Grown In the Sunny South

By EUNICE BLAKE

Arnold Bates, having broken down from overwork, was ordered to the south to spend the winter. He chose St. Augustine, Fla., in which to spend January and February, arriving there in the latter part of December.

The invalid was accompanied by his mother, and they took a cottage for the season. Their domicile was one of two houses standing side by side and about 100 yards apart. In the adjoining yard belonging to the other dwelling was a flower garden, but since it was during the brief interval between seasons in that climate there were no flowers in bloom.

There was something else in bloom that delighted the eye of Arnold Bates. This was a very pretty girl. Bates noticed her on the very day of his arrival in a tennis court to the rear of her home playing the game with a boy of twelve, whom Bates judged to be her brother. The young lady was apparently about eighteen years of age, and, though tennis is not always calculated to show grace, her movements were unusually graceful.

The invalid sat in the window of his bedroom watching the game and thankful for something to look at, for he was not well enough to read and had no desire to look at a book. He was content to watch the girl flitting about over the tennis court.

The family next door were also strangers to the place, who had come from the north to escape the rigorous winter of their home. Both families were city bred, and city persons are not prone to make acquaintances of neighbors. Consequently neither made any movement to be neighborly. They lived side by side for several weeks without even learning each other's name, and only one member of each family could tell anything about the other.

These two persons were Arnold Bates and Helen Farnsworth. Bates supposed that he was admiring one who was unconscious of his existence. This was not so. The girl had eyes for the handsome invalid as well as he had eyes for her. Indeed, she was sympathizing with him and wishing that he was strong enough to come down and play tennis with her. Whether, if he had been strong enough, the two would have broken through the conventional barriers that kept them apart is a question which we need not ask.

On the 21st of December the sun starts northward and in Florida brings the genial warmth of the coming summer far more rapidly than in the north. One morning Arnold Bates saw Miss Farnsworth and her little brother, Bob, in the garden. Bob had a spade and, under his sister's directions, was digging up the beds. Then the two did some planting, and from that time on the garden received a good share of their attention. Arnold Bates was improving and now walked out every day. On several occasions he and Miss Farnsworth met, and both showed a consciousness of the fact that they were not entirely unknown to each other, though neither spoke. The young lady was usually accompanied by her brother, whose evident interest in his next door neighbor indicated that he had seen Mr. Bates and that the boy and the girl might have discussed him together.

Bates was by this time in condition to wish that something might turn up to give him an acquaintance with his pretty neighbor. About the 1st of February he saw preparations for St. Valentine's day, which was approaching, and he wished that he might make it serve for the coveted introduction. But unfortunately this anniversary has been largely relegated to children. Besides, Bates did not see any way that he could utilize it. After turning various schemes over in his mind he abandoned the idea altogether.

But Bates saw that Bob Farnsworth was making preparations to celebrate St. Valentine's day. One day, with a little girl companion, he laid out his stock of valentines on the veranda, and the two children made an inspection. Bates was sitting at his window watching them, but not near enough to it to enable them to see him. Presently he saw the boy look up at the window and say something which caused his companion to look up at it too. There was evidently some discussion between them with which the window was connected.

Then Bob went into the house and returned with a bit of writing paper and a pencil. The paper he placed on a table on the veranda, and the two children busied themselves with the pencil. After this Bob went to an outhouse and brought a hoe and a rake, with which he smoothed one of the flower beds. Next he went into the house and returned with a paper bag. With a stick he scratched something on the bed that Arnold thought to be letters, but he could not see what they were. Into these scratches the children sowed seeds from the paper bag.

This proceeding naturally excited Mr. Bates' curiosity. He waited patiently till night came on and the interior of the house next door was lighted up, showing that the family were indoors. Then, taking an electric lamp, he went down and into the adjoining yard till he came to the bed the children had been planting. Covering the light so that it could not be seen from the house, he ran it over the places scratched. Without any difficulty he read letters composing a sentence of three words, followed by the letters "H. F."

When Arnold went back to his home he was chuckling as though greatly amused, but what he had discovered he kept to himself. The next day he went out into his yard and with his own hands prepared a little bed in which he planted some seeds. But he took care not to plant the seeds while the children next door were about.

It was now two weeks before St. Valentine's day. Bates, who was improving in health, seemed also to be in a state of pleasant expectation. Every day he examined with a pair of binoculars the bed the children had planted.

Meanwhile there were various meetings between the parties, but Miss Farnsworth for some reason best known to herself ignored Mr. Bates entirely, and Mr. Bates externally ignored Miss Farnsworth. But whenever he met Bob he looked at the boy with an amused expression. He felt sure that Bob had been teasing his sister and the person about whom she had been teased was Arnold Bates.

A week passed after sowing the seed, but neither bed showed any effect of the planting, though Arnold Bates by close examination saw a slight swelling of the earth where the seed had been planted in his own bed. His binoculars refused to disclose any sign whatever of a germinating force in the bed in the next yard. He had sown crocuses in his bed, for he preferred that they should come up soon—sooner than whatever might be in the next bed.

On the 11th of February his crocuses appeared above the surface far enough to show the word "Gladly," though they were not plain enough to be read by one in the next house. On the 13th Bates could discern in the bed in the next yard parts of letters. On the morning of the 14th, St. Valentine's day, after a rain in the night, the plants in both beds stood out plainly in green letters, the one "Be My Valentine" and the other "Gladly."

What was going on next door on that St. Valentine's morning was not known to Arnold Bates. If Bob was in trouble at having perpetrated what he intended for a very good joke the fact was not permitted to reach the gentleman for whom he had raised out of the ground a valentine from his sister, for nothing could be plainer than that such was his intent. The shades on the near side of the house were down and kept down all day.

The next morning no signs of the valentine next door appeared. It had been removed in the night. Bates had believed that this would be the case. At any rate, he removed his reply, and on the 15th of February not a sign of either message was to be seen.

Helen Farnsworth the morning before St. Valentine's day had noticed the parts of letters that had appeared in the bed under her window, but had failed to make them out. The next morning, however, she not only read them plainly, but read the reply. She judged at once that Bob was the perpetrator and accused him. He admitted the impeachment with shouts of merriment, which were turned to moanings on being shut up by his mother in a dark room. No notice was taken of the valentine during the day, but as soon as night fell Helen went out with a hoe and destroyed it.

The Farnsworth family were much disgruntled at Bob's performances, and Helen was at first troubled lest the handsome invalid, supposing that she had planted the valentine, should consider her bold in the extreme. But how had he been enabled to grow the reply in such short order? There was but one explanation—he must have seen the planting of the seed. Bob admitted that he had done the work in daylight, which settled the matter.

The obloquy having been removed, Helen gradually came to attach less unpleasantness to the matter, and one day while standing before her mirror dressing her hair she saw the frown on her face disappear before a smile. Then she laughed. She was shocked at herself for laughing at such an outrageous proceeding, but, after all, it was rather funny. Besides, the handsome invalid had been so gallant as to make a favorable response.

One morning when Mr. Bates was feeling quite recovered he walked out into the yard. Miss Farnsworth came out and walked in her yard. Presently she tripped up to the hedge separating the two places. Mr. Bates advanced toward her, removing his hat as he did so.

"I owe you an explanation," said the girl, "for the joke my brother perpetrated. He planted those flowers that"—

"I saw him do it."

"Then you understand?"

"Of course I do. But permit me to say that if your brother planted the valentine I planted the reply."

Miss Farnsworth blushed and dropped her eyes.

"I should have made an effort to make your acquaintance," added Bates, "but I have been something of an invalid. I have seen you playing tennis and regretted that I could not play with you. However, I am so much better now that I feel quite able to swing a racket."

"I shall be happy to have you play with me."

"When?"

"Any time."

"I think I would like a game now."

When these two young persons began to dwell next door to each other they did not for a moment suspect what fate had in store for them—that it was the eventful period of their lives—for when they left Florida they were engaged.

ROUMANIAN ARMY ONE OF BEST REGARDED AS IN ALL EUROPE

Until Recently Was Looked Upon as Silent Ally of Germany and Austria-Hungary.

Declared That There Are Increasing Indications That She Will Join With the Allies.

THERE are increasing indications of the early participation of Roumania in the European war, thus bringing into play another party to the combination against the Tentonic powers contemplated by Great Britain, France and Russia.

Difficulties confronted the allies in the earlier stages of the war in furnishing munitions, equipment and other necessities of war beyond those required for their own immediate needs. These difficulties now have been surmounted, it is said, and the obstacle which hitherto has blocked full Roumanian mobilization has been removed with the arrival in that country of the requisite supplies for the equipment and provisioning of the 600,000 men which she is able to put into the field. It is said that arrangements have been completed also for the financing of these operations.

Wonderful Force.

The Roumanian army is a wonderful force and would be a great help to the allies should it be turned loose in their behalf. When King Charles went to Roumania in 1866 he found an army consisting of raw levies. It was not uniformed, and a part of it was equipped with such medieval weapons as pikes. Charles had been trained under the famous Moltke and had served with distinction in the Danish war of 1864. One of his first steps was the reorganization of the army according to his own notions.

He obtained from his suzerain, the sultan, "blissfully unconscious of the use to which they were to be put," permission to organize a militia of 30,000 men. This was the nucleus of his army. It won its spurs at Plevna.

In 1876 a constitution was proclaimed at Constantinople. One of the details of this constitution was its assumption of the indivisibility and unity of the empire. At Bukharest indignation became intense, for the rule of Prince Charles had led the Roumanians to consider their allegiance to the sultan a pure formality. Why not declare their independence? Here was an excuse for asserting it. By way of preparation a secret convention was signed with Russia in April, 1877, permitting the czar, always keen in a project for opening a highway to the Mediterranean, to march troops across the Roumanian territory. This was desirable just at the moment, for the Turks had been committing massacres in the Bulgarian provinces the previous year and had given Russia a pretext for war through the opportunity to offer relief to the Christian subjects of the sultan in that region.

Having this arrangement with Russia, the Roumanians declared war on their suzerain and offered the czar the use of their freshly trained army. Airily the Russians declined the offer, confident that they could whip the Turks with one hand tied behind them. Osman Pasha proved to be a more difficult problem than the Russians had expected to find him, and after mobilizing twice as many men as they took into the fray at first and suffering terrible losses the czar appealed to Prince Charles to cross the Danube somewhere, anywhere, and come to the aid of brother Christians. Prince Charles marched with his army, and the Russians were glad to give him command of the combined forces in front of Plevna. The Roumanian army, filled with the zeal of youth, was put before the most powerful of the Turkish fortresses, the famous Gravitza. The Roumanians took it and added to their laurels by holding it against repeated assaults until the city finally fell.

Needless to say Roumania was no longer considered a vassal to any external ruler. Russia, it may be said incidentally, took the Roumanian province of Bessarabia by way of compensation for her share in the war.

Erect Frontier Defenses.

Following this war universal military service was instituted in Roumania as a means of defense against Russia and the other Slavs by which she is surrounded. Frontier defenses were erected. In building the railway system with which Roumania is equipped military strategy was taken into consideration. There is only one railroad leading into Russia, while the roads entering Hungary are located wherever commerce demands. A nucleus of a navy has been placed on the Black sea. Military service is compulsory. Between the years of nineteen and twenty-one the youths receive a certain amount of primary training. At twenty-one they are called to the colors and enter the regular army. They serve for two years in the infantry and three in the other arms of the service. For the succeeding four or five years they are entered in the first reserve. They are then transferred to the second reserve and are afterward enrolled in the territorial corps. By the time he has reached forty-two years and the end of his service a Roumanian has been at the call of the state for twenty-one years. The fortifications are armed with numerous heavy guns.

In the second Balkan war Roumania mobilized her army July 3, 1913. War against Bulgaria was declared July 10. Silistria was occupied the very next day. Then followed a swift, conquering march through Czar Ferdinand's territory. Whatever opposition there was was swept aside decisively. Day after day the advance was only limited by the physical powers of the Roumanian soldier in marching; fighting only hurried him faster. By July 31 the Roumanian outposts were within twenty miles of Sofia, the Bulgarian capital.

This remarkable progress was too much to overcome. Ferdinand cried armistice, and armistice began that very date. Twenty-four hours longer and the Roumanian soldier would have been in the Bulgarian soldier's chief city.

Czar Ferdinand had no other way. The Greeks faced him at Koesna pass, and the Servians had forced him back at Ishtib and Kotchana. The second Balkan war was over. Roumania got her strip on the Euxine, and Saloniki, ardently coveted by Bulgaria and once jointly occupied by her, is still fifty miles from the Bulgarian frontier.

Every Soldier a Hero.

Next to his desperate fighting and brilliant showing at Plevna the Roumanian soldier points with pride to the glorious battle of Giurgevo, fought Aug. 13, 1595. The Roumanian ruler was the celebrated Michael the Brave, still sung in ballad and story as the great conqueror and welder of his country. This battle was fought in a narrow defile and has been called the Thermopylae of Roumania. It was the Turk—it is always the Turk in any Balkan fight—who advanced upon the little Roumanian band posted near Bukharest. The grand vizier who led the sultan's forces unfurled the standard of the prophet to incite Ottoman valor.

Michael performed prodigies of bravery, with his single arm slaying nearly a score, the annals have it. Every Roumanian soldier conducted himself like a hero. Three pashas were killed, and the grand vizier himself narrowly escaped death in the marshes on the retreat. The sultan was so impressed with the fighting qualities of the Roumanian battler that he was glad to make peace and in the following year sent a splendid embassage to treat with the prince he could not conquer.

This great victory was not the first of Michael's against the Turks by any means. Roumania's ruler was always claimed for vassal by the successful sultans. In 1593 an army of 40,000 was sent to depose him. The Roumanian soldier smashed it, and twice afterward the same fate overtook Turkish troops sent to impose punishment and disaster on the Wallachians, as the men of the province were more often called. Once, in fact, Michael anticipated an invasion and, learning of the distant approach of the sultan's army crossed the Danube on the ice and routed the enemy utterly. In this battle, aided by the Moldavian Prince Aaron, he took great booty, and consternation reigned in Constantinople.

Another militant ruler and diplomatist of whom the Roumanian soldier is proud was Mirtschea the Old. After the famous battle of Nikopolis in 1396, in which the Turk gained a great victory over the medieval Balkan and other confederate peoples, the sultan sent an army into Wallachia. It was supposed that the defeated and disheartened condition of the Roumanians would make them easy prey. Under the stirring rallying cry of Mirtschea they turned on the invaders and drove them back over the frontier. Another ruler held in high repute was Stephen the Great, who led the Roumanian soldier from the Moldavian province to a complete victory at Racova in 1475, the Turk, as usual, being the enemy that was vanquished.

The Dacian or Latin descent of the Roumanians is highly regarded by these spirited people. They trace it back through the carvings on the column of Trajan at Rome, which is an epitome in marble of the conquest of the Roumanians. There are nearly 3,000 human figures on this column, all relating to the ancient people of the little Balkan kingdom. Trajan's legions were left as a buffer against the inroads of Goths, Huns, Tartars, Turks and Mongols. They married the Dacian women, who were already famed as the mothers of the mighty men of brawn and courage who became trained gladiators for exhibition in the Roman arena.

Celebrated His Triumph.

This was A. D. 105. Trajan celebrated his triumph over Dacia and its annexation to the Roman empire with games that lasted 123 days, during which 11,000 wild beasts and 10,000 Dacian gladiators, made prisoners during the invasion, were killed. The descendants of these Dacians have held their ground on the spot where they first met the Roman legionaries. They are proud of the blend with the conqueror and point out that they are of Latin and not Slav ancestry for nearly twenty centuries. They give Latin names to their children. They celebrate many ancient Roman holidays, wearing robes in imitation of the world conquerors. Even their oxen and horses are frequently called Cassius and Brutus and Caesar. There are bridge piers still standing that supported bridges constructed over the Danube by the Romans, and on a road along that river there is still a bronze tablet setting forth the achievements of Trajan.

And the Roumanian soldier will even point you back and beyond this, when his forefathers were known as Dacian barbarians. Ancient historians called them the bravest and most honorable of all the Balkan tribes. Thucydides tells of the ancient Dacian's prowess as a mounted archer and the way his soldier of those days resisted the advance of the Persian King Darius.

And now it remains to be seen whether, with her highly efficient military force, Roumania will take sides with the allies against her tutor and in return reap Transylvania and the Bukowina, inhabited by Roumanians.



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Quincy merchants who store benzine, paints, oils, maphtha or other flammable material to the amount of ten gallons or more who have not obtained a permit from the Chief Engineer for the same or who do not have it buried as required by the rules of the Fire Hazard Commission are to be prosecuted immediately.

Chief Billings says he has received word from the Fire Hazard Commission that there was to be no more fooling about the matter, that these people had been warned that they must have a permit but had neglected to get it. The chief was required to forward immediately to the Fire Hazard Commissioner the names of all parties who had failed to obtain the necessary permit and who were storing flammable goods in violation of the rule. The list was forwarded to Boston this morning and it is probable that prosecutions will be begun immediately.

UNEMPLOYED CAN BUILD BOULEVARD

Mayor Curley Says This Would Provide Work For Two Thousand Men

SPEAKSAT STATE HEARING

Mayor Curley, at a State House hearing Tuesday said the state could furnish employment to some 2000 men out of work, if the State would appropriate $500,000 towards the construction of the Old Colony boulevard and $30,000 for building a bridge over the Neponset river.

"Officials of Suffolk County and of Boston and Quincy have come to an agreement," declared His Honor, "as to the construction of a bridge connecting these two cities and as to the building of a boulevard. Boston is agreeable to paying its proportional part of the cost of constructing a bridge over the Neponset , costing $300,000 and Boston will pay its proportional part of the expenditure of building the new road known as the Old Colony boulevard.

"A large part of this proposed boulevard will pass through territory that is largely composed of swamps at the present time and which will require a large amount of filling, and I believe the opportunities for skilled labor are exceedingly great."

SMITH—DEWEY.

Thomas Kenneth Smith of 250 South street was united in marriage Tuesday evening to Miss Margaret Etta Dewey of Howard avenue. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott officiated. The ceremony took place at the parsonage. The bride and groom were unattended. Smith is a carpenter by trade The couple will live on South street.

VOLNEY F. MITCHELL.

Volney F. Mitchell, for many years a foreman in the freight department of the New Haven railroad, passed away at his home 15 Parkerson street orchester Tuesday, aged 66 years. Mr. Mitchell had been employed by the railroad for upwards of thirty years and for twenty years made his home in Atlantic, but removed to Dorchester several years ago.

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BRIEFS

The father and son banquet will be held at the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

The vaudeville show will be given by the Gardner club of Christ church in the parish hall this evening.

The annual ladies night of the Wollaston Methodist club will be held this evening.

The Standish club of Atlantic will give a minstrel show at Quincy school hall this evening. The show will be repeated Thursday.

Peter M. Sullivan, of the Boston Herald staff, who has been ill at his home on Edison park is able to be about today.

The Samoset Girls Club will meet at the home of Miss Julia Corcoran on Grove street, Thursday evening. Among the business considered will be the choosing of a date for the annual banquet.

Plans for the coffee party of Sacred Heart parish, to be held in Atlantic Music Hall, Jan. 27, are rapidly maturing and among the entertainers will be James Kennedy and his dancing pupils. Master James Kennedy, who will dance, is well known in Scottish circles and has a reputation as a exponent of modern dances.

The annual ladies night of Quincy Commandery, Knights Templar is announced for Friday evening, Feb. 26, at Alpha and Union halls. The program will include a banquet to be served in Union hall at 6.30 and will be followed by an entertainment and dancing.

MASTERY OF THE NORTH

Washington Hears That It Is the Main Desire of Villa

Washington, Jan. 20.—That General Villa is planning to withdraw his forces from Mexico City and vicinity and concentrate his attention on on a campaign aiming at mastery of the military situation in northern Mexico were contained in advices which reached the state department.

Much uncertainty exists in Mexico City, however, and several evidences of an impending change are looked upon by officials of the Washington government as perhaps presaging another evacuation of the Mexican capital.

Such an eventuality would leave the Mexican situation more confused than it ever has been. Officials admit that the exact relation of the various factions toward each other was ever so indistinct.

A DISTINCTION.

"Pop, what is golf?"

"Golf, my son, is just the same as work, except that you get paid for work."—Pathfinder.

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MARRIAGES.

SMITH—DEWEY—In Quincy, Jan. 19, by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott Thomas Kenneth Smith to Margaret Etta Dewey both of Quincy.

DEATHS

LUNDQUIST—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Olga E., daughter of Anna C. and the late John A. Lundquist, in her 23rd year.
Funeral services at Swedish Lutheran church, Friday, Jan. 22 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 20-2t

MUNDIE—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Alexander Mundie in his 56th year.
Funeral services at late home 106 Independence avenue, Saturday, Jan. 23 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 20-3t

CHEVERIE—In Commonwealth Hospital, Boston, Jan. 14, Isabelle, beloved wife of Fidelus Cheverie.
Funeral from her late residence, 19 Lancaster street, Quincy, Wednesday Jan. 20, at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. John's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. 19-2t

FIELD—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Miss Susanna G. Field in her 91st year. Funeral services at late home, 163 Franklin street, Thursday, Jan. 21 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 19-2t

SMITH— In Dorchester, Jan. 19, Henry Smith.

MITCHELL—In Dorchester, Jan. 19, Volney F. Mitchell formerly of Atlantic, aged 66 years.

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TEST NEW DEVICE TO STOP WRECKS

Experts See Locomotive Avoid Collision Automatically.

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Based on Block Signal System—Train In One Block Cannot Enter Block Ahead if Train Is in That Block and if Track Ahead Is Obstructed Gradually Comes to a Standstill.

A locomotive—No. 47 of the Long Island railroad, Harry Lefferts' standby—hitched itself to President Ralph Peters' old special car (of wood) in New York and set out at twenty-eight miles an hour to run down another locomotive that stood peacefully on an empty stretch of track near Garden City, on Long Island.

After he had set No. 47 going Harry Lefferts leaned out the cab window and paid not the least attention to anything anywhere. As his locomotive neared a first class collision its whistle blew, the steam went off, the air went on and No. 47 eased down gradually to a standstill without Lefferts or any one else moving a finger.

That was the third successful test in one hour of a new device to prevent train collisions. After it was over A. B. Bierck, representing President Peters of the Long Island road, said:

"The tests have been successful, more so perhaps than could have been expected. The Long Island and Pennsylvania roads will undoubtedly make further tests, and if the invention stands up under them they will adopt it."

Experts See Test.

Besides Mr. Bierck, who is the Long Island's general auditor, L. S. Wells, superintendent of electrical operation for the two roads; H. E. Lewis, the Long Island's general trainmaster, and G. P. Williams, assistant to the Long Island's chief engineer, watched the tests. With them was James B. Regan, proprietor of the Hotel Knickerbocker, New York, who has bought a controlling interest in the invention, and Anthony J. Casale, the inventor.

Casale, a native of Naples, was a telegraph operator in Italy. He came to this country fourteen years ago and has worked on his invention ever since. It was when he came to the Knickerbocker as a telegrapher fifteen months ago, with his apparatus nearly perfected, that he found a backer in Mr. Regan.

Alden W. Welch, associate editor of the Engineering News; newspaper reporters and motion picture men made up the rest of the party.

Casale's invention is based on the block signal system. A train in one block cannot enter the block ahead if a train is in that block or if the track ahead is broken or obstructed or if a station agent throws a switch.

At the end of each block of track are two short stretches of third rail on both sides of the track. Shoes on the locomotive make the contact with these bits of rail. If the track ahead is clear the circuit formed carries so slight a current that nothing in the locomotive is affected. But if a train is in the block ahead or the track is broken or the station agent has thrown a switch the circuit formed by the on-rushing train is so short that a more powerful current flows. This current first blows the locomotive's whistle and then shuts off the steam and applies the emergency brakes.

Batteries In Locomotive.

Those who know a little about electricity will understand when it is said that this is accomplished by ten batteries in the locomotive with three solenoid coils and three relays. The first relay operates when the track is broken or the invention itself is out of order. It shuts off steam and applies the brakes. This is the relay by which a station agent can stop a train that has gone past a signal. The second relay, which works with a train in the block ahead, blows the locomotive whistle. The third acts like the first to shut off steam and apply the brakes. One of the great points is the placing of batteries in the locomotive where they can be renewed without trouble.

LEARNED WORM AT HARVARD.

One Eyed Pete Learns by Experience What Road to Travel.

An educated worm is the last word in Harvard's circles of learning.

One Eyed Pete is his name. He thinks like a human being. Professor R M. Yerkes, who adopted Pete, rigged up a device full of holes like a cheese. At one end of one large hole were two other paths, one of which led to a comfortable resting place. The other was charged with electricity.

Pete took the wrong road thrice and was shocked each time. Now he avoids this aperture and always takes the hole to the right.

Biggest Map of Canal.

Members of the isthmian canal commission had before them for inspection what is said to be the largest relief map ever made, representing the Panama canal on a scale of one foot to a mile. The map, which is fifty feet by ten, was completed by George Robertson of Washington, to whom the contract for the work was given by the commission. It will be shipped to the Panama-Pacific exposition.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

John Fallon has accepted a position as janitor of the Adams building.

Weekly whist tournament will be held at the rooms of the Granite City club this evening.

Mrs. Benjamin Hobson of Wollaston has been visiting friends in Ashland, where she formerly lived.

The annual banquet and meeting of Bethany Congregational church will be held this evening.

Frank T. Capland of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting his aunt and cousins of Granite street. He will sail for Scotland on Jan. 27.

Miss Nancy Barbee of Kentucky, delineator of negro dialect, is the guest of Mrs. Edmond G. Thayer of Wollaston.

Irwin Millard ,the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Millard of Whitwell street, is confined to his home with scarlet fever.

Joseph, Hilma and John, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Pearson of Whitwell street, are confined to their home with scarlet fever.

The Finnish Temperance society will hold a Masquerade Ball in the hall on Smith street Saturday evening February 6th.

The Ladies Home and Foreign Missionary Societies were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. C. E Goodspeed, 114 Grand View avenue.

Miss Grace A. Schermarhorn of Arlington street entertained the Farther Lights Society Tuesday evening. Miss Gladys Flieger gave a short talk on Japan.

John James Connelley of Grove street who has been confined to his home for the last six months by a severe case of rheumatism is able to be up and around again.

Mrs. Thomas Connelley of Whitwell street, who has been confined to her bed since Jan. 4th. when she was seriously injured in the accident on the street car in East Weymouth, is able to be up and around the house.

Mrs. Howard Rogers, entertained at whist Tuesday evening at her new home on Hancock street. Mrs. Frederick Simpson was awarded a souvenir for having the highest score. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

A party for scholars of the senior department and teachers in Christ Church Sunday school is to be held Friday evening in the parish house. Mrs. Walter E. Burke will be in charge of the games and there will be dancing and refreshments.

Court Roger Wolcott, Foresters of America, held their regular meeting in Hibernian hall, Copeland street, last evening. A large number of the members signified their intention to attend the banquet to be held February 14th. in Brockton by the Knights of Sherwood Forest.

Mrs. Effie L. Rhines entertained friends at her home on Miller Stile road Tuesday in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of Stewart Rich her grandson. The little fellow was the "hero of the hour" and was pleasantly remembered. A collation was served.

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A Chat On Bread and Cakes

By W. H. MILLS

I was brought up on a farm. In our locality we raised corn, oats, thistles, mortgages, bread and cakes. And the bread and cakes my mother fashioned were so good that they made up for any discomforts caused by early rising in zero weather, dressing in cold bedrooms, lack of the latest city styles and lack of money. These home-made dainties were never soggy, never flat, never dry. They were poems pleasing symphonies and because they were so good, I never got enough.

In the last ten years I have looked in and around Boston for good bread and cakes, real home-made food. I've tried the staple foundry articles in the lunch rooms, and I've tried the rich concoctions in the lobster palaces, where if they did the thing right they'd give you a digestive tablet with every piece of bread or cake. But in all these years I've never found a piece of bread or slice of cake that even approached the simple, luscious, soul-delighting bread and cakes of my **boyhood days—until just recently. Then I found Barnard's goods.**

They are so far ahead of anything I ever had before in a bakery or public restaurant that there's simply no comparison. They are as good as I used to get as a barefoot boy in **Mother's Old Farm Kitchen down in Maine.**

Barnard makes dandy bread and cakes in his bakeshop studio down on **Hancock Street,** where everything is as clean as the promenade decks of the Lusitania. If you like good bread and cakes, (if you don't you'd better see a physician) step in either one of Barnard's stores and see if I'm not right. It cured me of Home-made food.

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CITY HALL NOTES

Two hearings in which Quincy is interested are being held at the state house today. One is the act authorizing the city to appropriate a sum not exceeding $10,000 for the city hospital and the second is the bill authorizing the city to expend the sum of $10,000 in improving the channel of the Weymouth Fore river. The latter being contingent on appropriations being made by the state ,Fore River Corp. and National Government

City solicitor Pinkham will represent the city at both of these hearings and the mayor will also try to be present. Dock Commissioner Crane will appear at the Fore River bill hearing.

The hearing on the bill amending the city charter in relation to filling vacancies will be held Thursday morning and will be attended by the mayor and city solicitor.

Mayor Campbell is to hold a conference some day this week with the Kissel Car Co. in relation to the condition of the auto chemical at Atlantic At the time this truck was purchased it was through the Quincy agency for the company, which does not now have that agency. The affair is quite a complicated one and just what the outcome will be is hard to tell. It is claimed that when the car was sent back to the factory during the reign of Amos L. Litchfield as chief engineer, that instead of putting a new engine in the car a second hand engine was installed and that it has been in trouble ever since. What further complicates the matter is the fact that the Boston agency at this time is a different one from that at the time the apparatus was purchased.

Councilman John D. Smith, chairman of the city council committee on licenses, is having troubles of his own. It has always been a well established fact that members of this committee are hounded by parties seeking licenses of various kinds but never until this year has a member of the committee been sought for a marriage license.

Someone in the spirit of fun informed a gentleman of foreign birth that if he wanted to get married he must see Mr. Smith and get a license from him. The party acted promptly on this advice and immediately sought out the genial councilman for the necessary license. John expects if it gets noised about that he issues marriage licenses that he will have his hands full.

Mayor Campbell when asked when he intended to call a meeting of the special committee to investigate the water department said that it was doubtful and that it might be several weeks before they were called together.

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JUNIOR C. E. MEETS.

Mrs. Willmott Hostess To Executive Committee.

Mrs. Benjamin A. Willmott superintendent of the Junior Christian Endeavor of Bethany church, entertained the members of the executive committee at supper Tuesday evening at the parsonage. The work of the Junior Endeavor society was discussed and plans made to increase its efficiency. Twelve members were present. Miss Grace Fisher and Miss Ada Williams of the senior society assisted. After the discussion the party engaged in making candy and enjoyed a social hour.

Mrs. Willmott has received fifty complimentary tickets to be distributed among the juniors for the childrens' entertainment to be given at Tremont Temple Saturday morning. The entertainment will be a fairy tale told in motion pictures.

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HOT STOVE CAUSES FIRE.

The alarm from Box 12 at 8.30 Tuesday night was for a fire in the cottage of Geo. Filk, 132 Palmer street and was caused by an averheated stove. This is one of those summer cottages which are sheathed on the inside with paper cardboard, and therefore are rather inflammable. The fire worked in behind this sheathing and necessitated considerable tearing away to get at the seat of the fire. The recall sounded in about half an hour. Chief Billings estimates the loss at $150.

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Old Dutch Cleanser	3 cans 25c
Knox Gelatine	12c pkg
Rumford Baking Powder	25c lb can
Steero Cubes	25c
Big G. Graham, 5 lb. bag	20c
Manhattan Pure Jams	15c bot
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HOSPITAL OFFICIALS BEFORE COMMITTEE

Urge That City be Allowed to Appropriate $10,000 Annually

State House, Boston. Representatives Charles Ericson and Edward J. Sandberg, City Solicitor Walter S. Pinkham, Fred B. Rice, N. G. Nickerson, Warren Adams, George Pfaffmann, Albert N. Murray and Daniel Chase appeared before the legislative committee on municipal finance at the State House today to advocate the passage of a bill introduced on petition of Representative Sandberg to authorize the city of Quincy to raise by taxation $10,000 a year and appropriate the same towards the maintenance and support of the Quincy city hospital.

The present law limits to $5000 the annual appropriation that the city is permitted to make towards defraying the expenses of the hospital. It was explained by the trustees that the hospital fails by several thousand dollars each year to pay expenses and it was thought that, since Quincy people are taken care of at the rate of $1.50 per day, the city government should make a larger appropriation. Representatives of the city government were present and offered no opposition to the passage of the bill.

Representative Ericson conducted the case for the petitioners. He first introduced Fred B. Rice who called attention to the rapid growth of the hospital in the past two or three years.

"Up to two years ago, we could only accommodate 250 patients. Now we take care of 850," he said. "In spite of every attempt at economy, we run several thousand dollars behind each year. Thirty percent of our patients are able to pay nothing for treatment and we take care of everyone that comes to our doors. In the past we have been making up the discrepancy by calling on the public for assistance. That has placed the burden on a few men. Those that pass around the hat are getting tired of it and the ones that always contribute generously are getting tired. This bill does not compel the city to pay a cent but only allows an appropriation of $10,000 a year. We are going to ask the city to pay maximum amount, $10,000 and we expect that the city government will see the justice of our request.

"Last year we cared for 255 patients free of charge. It cost us $2.53 per day per patient last year, a reduction of 37 cents over the year before. Our rates to Quincy people are $1.50 a day and to non-residents are $2.00 a day but a large number are able to pay nothing for treatment. If the city had paid us for the free patients treated last year it would have meant an income of $7,500 and would have covered our deficit.

"No hospital of our type is self supporting," he continued. "The workmen's compensation act is a burden to all hospitals since we can only be paid for two weeks treatment of cases under the act."

City Solicitor Walter S. Pinkham was the next to be heard. The attitude of the city government, he said is in no way in opposition to this bill. It did not originate with the city government and we have been paying only $4,000. The time is undoubtedly coming, he said, when the city will be obliged to pay more. The hospital is doing first class work and should be supported by the whole city.

N. G. Nickerson, treasurer of the hospital trustees, said that it is a business proposition for the city of Quincy to help support the city hospital for if patients in care of the city had to be sent elsewhere, the expense would be much greater.

Albert N. Murray called attention to the rapid growth of the Quincy hospital for the past three years and stated that the same rate had been maintained by the hospital for 25 years and the trustees could not see their way clear to charging more than $1.50 a day for the people could not pay it.

It was the opinion of D. L. F. Chase that if the rates for treatment were made higher many of the patients would have to be treated free of charge. The total debt of the hospital is $17,000, he said. The plant is worth $100,000 and there is an endowment fund of $100,000.

No opposition was heard and the chairman declared the hearing closed. The bill will be reported by the committee at an early date.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity.

Fair Friday and probably continued fair Saturday. Moderate winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.07
Sun sets	4.45
Length of day	9.38
Moon sets	12.00
High water, A. M.	4.15
High water, P. M.	4.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 32 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	59 degrees
Jan. 21, 1914,	23 degrees
Jan. 21, 1913,	43 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

NO OPPOSITION TO PETITION

Representatives of City Speak For Charter Changes

There was no opposition at the hearing today before the legislative committee on cities to the bill amending the city charter relative to filling vacancies in the office of mayor and city council in case of death or resignation. Representative Sandberg conducted the hearing and among those present were Councilman C. A. Ross who introduced the original order in the city council, Councilmen Allan R. McDonald, Frederick J. Kessler, City Solicitor Pinkham and Representative Ericson.

Councilman Ross stated that the object of changing the charter was to save the city money. In case a special election was necessary it required an expenditure of $600 if the election was in one ward, and that if it was a case of councilman-at-large or of the mayor, where the whole city was concerned it meant an expenditure of $3,000. He claimed that in case of the vacancy in the office of mayor that the president of the council should be competent to serve. Senator Doyle asked if there was any objection to a referendum of the bill in the council and Councilman Ross replied that the action was unanimous. Several others spoke in favor of the bill and there was no opposition.

NINE TABLES IN PLAY.

Nine tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club. The two best scores were made by Harold H. Snow and Dr. W. H. Blanchard. Light refreshments were served after the tournament by the entertainment committee.

DECLARES WATER RATE EXCESSIVE

James S. Whiting Says City Sells to Big Consumer at Loss

COST FALLS ON REST

That a rate so low that the city loses money on it to large consumers of city water results in an exhorbitant water rate for the ordinary citizen is the contention of James S. Whiting. In a communication to the Ledger Mr. Whiting states his reasons for this belief. The communication in full follows:

The net cost of the Metropolitan water to the City of Quincy when it is delivered in our houses is a little over .06 1-2 cents per 100 cu. ft., or to be more exact .066 cents. The city, with open handed generosity is selling this same water to one or two large consumers at the published rate of .06 cents per 100 cu. ft!

That transaction has a familiar sound,—it is one of the examples of our city's high financing which has brought us to the verge of a $28.00 tax rate with a 100 per cent valuation. It is in the same class of reasoning, as the buying of flour at $8.00 per barrel and selling it for $7.00 Is it to be wondered at that the water rates of Quincy are the butt and joke of the Metropolitan district?

The City of Boston sells no water at less than .08 cents per 100 cu. ft. The officials of the Boston Water Department do not hesitate to say to the writer that Quincy must have lost a large sum of money through this selling of water at less than cost. I have heard the estimate of total loss to the city set as high as $40,000. The Boston rate runs from a minimum of .08 cents to a maximum of .14 per 100 cu. ft., and in no case less than $8.00 per year.

Quincy's runs from the ridiculous to the sublime, from .06 cents to .23 cents per 100 cu. ft. With a minimum for the average sized house of the extraordinary high rate of $14.00 per year. To one or two consumers Quincy makes a rate lower, I believe than any rate quoted in the Metropolitan district, and partially to offset this it charges its private citizens the most extortionate rates in the district. Its meter rates are the most complicated of any issued.

Take your rate book and look at the "Meter Rates." There are 16 different kinds of Meter Rates and all unwittingly drawn to favor the big, rich corporations and penalize the poor man, the man who is struggling along with his new house and the average householder, whose rates are nothing short of extortion.

Brookline, which is not supposed to be the cheapest place in the world to live in, sells water to its citizens at a flat rate of .12 cents per 100 cu. ft. no minimum rate. Quincy's average rate is .23 cents per 100, minimum $14.00.

Malden, with an annual $7.00 minimum rate (4375 cu. ft.) charges a maximum of .16 cents per 100 cu. ft. and a minimum of .10 cents per 100 cu. ft. to users of 1,000,000 cu. ft and over.

Brockton, which goes a long distance for its water, to Silver Lake, Plympton, charges but $1.00 per year rental for a standard 5-8 inch house meter and a maximum of .17 cents

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LOST

SAVINGS BANK BOOKS

Savings Bank Books as listed below have been lost and application has been made for payment of the accounts in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 20445	Book No. 38526
Book No. 25547	Book No. 41095
Book No. 28602	Book No. 42444
Book No. 36756	Book No. 43048

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WOULD DEVELOP FORE RIVER

City Officials Appear at State House Favoring Appropriation of $10,000

NO OPPONENTS TO BILL

State House, Boston. Jan. 20.—Dock Commissioner Frank Fessenden Crane and City Solicitor Walter S. Pinkham of Quincy appeared before the legislative committee on municipal finance this morning to favor a bill allowing Quincy to appropriate $10,000 for the improvement of the channel of Weymouth Fore River, conditional upon an appropriation by the United States government for the same purpose.

The bill was introduced by Representative Sandberg on petition of Joseph L. Whiton, then acting Mayor of Quincy. Of late years the United States government has refused to make appropriations for river and harbor development until the community affected is also willing to spend money on the proposition and the purpose of the bill is to secure from Congress an appropriation of from $300,000 to $400,000.

"Massachusetts has never been given her fair share of money for the development of her waterways," said Mr. Crane. "Weymouth Fore River is the main water highway to Quincy and a large amount is spent on the river by firms doing business along the banks. Before we can secure an appropriation from Congress, it is necessary for Quincy to make an appropriation and this legislation has this in view."

City Solicitor Pinkham appeared in behalf of the Mayor and stated that the city government is strongly in favor of the improvement of the Weymouth Fore River.

No opposition was evidenced to the proposition and the committee has taken the bill under consideration.

MAYOR PAYS VISIT TO DUMP

In response to numerous complaints of the city Mayor Campbell in company with the Board of Health has visited the several dumps of the city to learn first hand of their condition. The trouble seems to be that people throw old rubbish onto the dump which is later set on fire and the smoke from this burning rubbish is very annoying to people living in the immediate vicinity. The mayor has taken steps to have the Board of Health cover this refuse matter as soon as it is dumped. He has also given orders that ashes and such matter shall be dumped in the old slate quarry hole at Norfolk Downs, which is a source of danger. He believes that there should be a fence about this quarry hole and will probably recommend its erection to the city council.

LEAVE FOR NEW YORK.

Commissioner of Public Works Moses Brown and City Engineer Ezekiel C. Sargent leave today for New York to attend the meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers on the maintenance of roads. This is an important session as engineers from all over the country will be present to tell of their experiments. It might be added that the trip is in no way a junket for the two officials pay their own expenses.

TO ATTEND HEARING.

Mayor Campbell, Dock Commissioner Crane, City Solicitor Pinkham and others will attend the hearing Friday before the committee on Harbor and Lands of the legislature on the bill authorizing the expenditure of $75,000 on the part of the state for the improvement of the channel of the Fore River.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

KICK AT SIX CENT SUNDAY PAPER

Strong Opposition to This City Occupying Nearly Unique Position Develops

BOARD OF TRADE MAY ACT

Quincy people who for some time have been called upon to part with six cents for Sunday papers are at last becoming aroused and rumor has it that action against the custom is soon to be started. Many Quincy people can not see the justice of paying six cents when other Massachusetts cities pay the regular price, five cents. The price even at Portland, Me., is only five cents.

When the price was raised from five to six cents it was stated that it was in order that the newsboys who delivered the Sunday papers could get a little more money and it was pointed out that it would also improve the service. While most people would not object to giving the newsboy an additional cent they do object to being obliged to pay the extra cent when they purchase the paper at the news stand.

No settled plan of action has as yet been decided upon but it is understood that it is to be taken up by the Board of Trade and that the matter will be brought to the attention of the city council at an early date.

MEN'S CLUB HOLD LADIES NIGHT

Speaker Tells of Experience Among Cowboy;

A large number of the fair sex attended the Ladies night of the Wollaston Methodist Men's club held in the vestry Wednesday evening. Albert N. Murray, president of the club presided in his usual refreshing manner.

The speaker of the evening was Rev. L. H. Bugbee, D. D., of the Malden Centre Methodist church, whose subject was "A Summer in the Saddle." The lecture was one descriptive of the life of the cowboys in Montana and was most interesting.

Dr. Bugbee related his first impressions as he was met at a little railroad station in Montana and conducted 150 miles over the alkali plains to the ranch in the foothills where he was to spend his summer.

Some of the games put up on a tenderfoot were related by the speaker and proved very amusing. He told of being invited to take a little ride on horseback by some of the ranchmen.

The 'little' ride, it turned out, covered the entire day and as they had been careful to give the doctor the worst horse in the outfit he did not care to stand up or sit down for several days afterward.

The life of the ranchmen was gone into detail. They were described as a cosmopolitan crowd contributed from a large number of varying nationalities. They were good fellows under their rough exterior and the majority were marked by sterling qualities.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the lecture was an account of the round-up, the principal event of the season in cattle countries. A description of the branding, separation and shipment of the cattle brought the talk to a close.

Vocal selections were rendered by a male quartet composed of F. A. Sutermeister, first tenor; F. A. Cornell, second tenor; Frank Dunham, first bass and G. A. Roberts, second bass. Mrs. Roberts presided at the piano.

A social hour followed, during which refreshments were served by a committee of which Arthur O'Connell was the chairman.

FOILS ATTEMPT TO TAKE HER CHILDREN

Jumps on Speeding Auto and Tears Infants From Her Husband

A mother's thrilling leap to a speeding auto on Washington street at 4.30 Wednesday afternoon thwarted her husband's attempt to get possession of two children who have been in her custody a year and created more genuine excitement in Quincy Point than anything that has happened in years.

The affair took place on Washington street, between Chubbuck and Broadway, and the central figures in the melodrama were Silas Cannon of Somerville, Charlotte Cannon, his wife, of 67 Broadway, who today secured a warrant charging non-support of their three children, Howard, 8, Margaret, 6, and Lillian, 3.

Cannon appeared in Quincy Point Wednesday afternoon and taking both children by the hand said he was going to a shoe store with them. An instant later Mrs. Cannon saw him running toward a limousine with the children under his arm, both kicking and screaming at the top of their lungs.

Eluding the detective companion of her husband who attempted to detain her in the restaurant of her mother at Broadway and Washington streets she rushed to the street and toward the oncoming machine. Near the home of Dr. Bushnell she jumped onto its path and as the chauffeur turned to one side to avoid striking her she swung aboard.

Grasping the wheel of the machine with both hands she pleaded with the driver to stop while her husband who rode in back urged him to continue. The chauffeur, with the woman hanging on to the side of the machine, got excited and in changing from second to third speeds stripped his gears and the machine came to a stop, after a wild 100 yards dash.

Little Margaret jumped to the street as her mother quickly opened the door. Lillian was secured after a short struggle and with both children by the hand Mrs. Cannon rushed to the McGilvray pharmacy and called for the police. They arrived and after an investigation decided the father had as much right to the children as the mother because neither had a decree from the court. They then escorted the mother to her home, and the husband after admitting he intended to get the children went away and the chauffeur remained to tackle a three hour repair job.

This morning Mrs. Cannon retained counsel and secured the warrant for her husband.

Mrs. Cannon said she was 29 years of age and was 16 when married. She said that previous to coming to Quincy she lived at Nantasket where she conducted a hardware store.

She said the separation came about a year ago and that she had Cannon arrested once on a non-support charge but dropped the case because he had been ill.

Her husband, she said, has been to Quincy frequently of late and a few nights ago attempted to lock her in a store but she forced her way out and ran home. She also said she had been troubled considerably the past week by a man representing himself to be a detective. She said he was the man who accompanied her husband Wednesday.

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS.

A meeting of the directors o fthe Board of Trade was held Wednesday evening to arrange for the annual banquet. Tuesday evening, Feb. 9 was the night fixed upon and the place Alpha hall. It was voted to extend invitations to Gov. Walsh, Mayor Curley of Boston, Mayor Campbell, Edward A. McSweeney, chairman of the Directors of the Port of Boston, and Robert B. Washburn. The directors hope to be able to secure all of these men as speakers for the occasion.

The committee in charge of the banquet comprise: Albert L. Whitman, John C. Scott and John L. Hamilton. In addition to these Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson, Charles J. McGilvray and Hon. John O. Hall, secretary of the Board were appointed as the publicity committee. The officers of the Board and the directors were appointed as the reception committee.

FIRE IN OLD FACTORY.

Combination 1, Hook and Ladder 1 and Chief Billings responded to a telephone alarm Wednesday evening for a chimney fire in a house near the old Whitcher factory on Main street. The house is occupied by two Italian families and an unusually hot fire started the soot in the chimney burning. There was no loss.

A. P. MESSER.

A. P. Messer of the firm of Messer & Baker, Quincy Point, died at his home, 10 Beethoven street, Roxbury Tuesday morning, at the age of 79. He is survived by a daughter. Funeral services were held this afternoon from his late residence. Burial was at Forest Hills.

HOLD INTERESTING MEETING.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Wollaston Congregational church held a meeting Wednesday afternoon in the vestry of the church. Thirty ladies were present. Mrs. Isaiah W. W. Sneath led the devotional exercises and Mrs. Richard Trumper the president, presided.

The speaker of the afternoon was Dr. Mary Burnham, field secretary for the American International College of Springfield. Her address explaining the work of the college was extremely interesting. She spoke of the training of foreign born young men and women and how this college training fitted them to become useful and intelligent citizens.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Clan MacGregor, No. 5 O. S. C.

Members are hereby notified of the death of Brother Alexander Mundie and are requested to meet in Clan MacGregor hall, Saturday, Jan. 23 at 1.30 P. M. to attend the funeral, which will be held from his late residence 106 Independence avenue.

WILLIAM CANTLAY, Chief.
ANGUS KERR, Secretary.
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WHY DID JUNE RUN AWAY?

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Jan. 18-6t

NOTICE.

Members of Court John Adams No. 144 Foresters of America will meet at Clan MacGregor Hall on Saturday, January 23, at 2.15 o'clock P. M. to attend funeral of our late brother Alexander Mundie from his residence, 106 Independence avenue.

JAMES CONWAY, Chief Ranger.
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Bob Taylor the popular young clerk of R. E. Foy's Adams Market, would appreciate all coupons saved from Ferguson's and Fox's Bread. Up-to-date Bob has a lead of over 6,000 votes He would appreciate a helping hand.

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A MATTER FOR THOUGHT.

In expressing his oppcsition to the study of sex hygiene in the public schools of the city Rev. Mr. Willmott has opened a large question.

Within the last year Brockton had an unfortunate experience when the teaching of the subject in the highest grade of one of her grammar schools resulted in lowering the moral standards of the school. In that case the subject was taught by the principal of the school, a man eminently qualified to do so, a man who knows boys as well as any man in Massachusetts. For many years he has had charge of the largest boys camp in the state, one of the largest in the country. And yet he failed so signally in his attempt to teach sex hygiene that he was removed by the school committee and only reappointed in response to an insistent demand from the entire citizenship.

Brockton's experience has furnished a pretty convincing lesson of the dangers of teaching the subject, at least in the grammar school.

There is something to be said on the other side, of course. It is argued that if parents fail in their duty, as they often do in this respect, that duty must devolve upon the schools, else the knowledge will be picked up on the streets by the youthful and impressionable minds.

It is too big and too vital a question to be disposed of without the most thoughtful consideration.

AID THE UNEMPLOYED.

Mayor Curley of Boston has not always shown wisdom in his numerous projects to relieve the present poverty and distress. He should be given credit for realizing, however, that what the man out of work really wants is not money but a job. To a man worthy of the name charity can never be anything but temporary relief. There is nothing much more pitiable than a strong, able bodied man eager to work but unable to find it. There are many such today. There are such persons in Quincy.

Is it not a duty of the city to aid them? This is a matter which was touched upon recently in this column but it can well be repeated. The free employment bureau of Jamaica Plain has done splendid work. Why can not Quincy do something of the sort? Why can not we have here a free employment bureau which shall make a conscientious effort to bring together the man and his job?

A HALT TO NEGLIGENCE.

The state Fire Hazard Commission has from time to time indicated in no uncertain terms that it intended to see to it that the laws and regulations passed to aid in the prevention of fire should be observed. Several Quincy merchants are threatened with court proceedings as a result of their failure to obey the law. In the great majority of cases the offenders have undoubtedly been negligent rather than willful. But neglect has kindled more fires than willfulness and it is well that we should be reminded that this is so. The loss to this country both in property and in lives as a result of fire is apalling. It is high time we called a halt.

LEVI H. TURNER.

In the passing of Levi H. Turner, Quincy has suffered a real loss. Mr. Turner had the courage of his convictions. He founded those convictions upon study and observation and expressed them with an earnestness and force which compelled a hearing. He was always tolerant of the opinions of others. Many could not agree with his political and social theory but everyone with whom he came in contact held for him a high respect. The city could ill afford to lose such a man.

A man who did his duty as he saw it was Alexander Mundie. His death will bring sadness to a circle of friends including many sections of the city, many nationalities, many political and religious beliefs. He was never prominent in public life but as a business man and as a private citizen he had a task to do and he did it well.

Congratulations to Mr. Ira Litchfield When a man has passed by more than a decade the allotted three score years and ten his life, and manner of living it, should serve as an example to the younger generation.

MINISTER WILL ACCOMPANY HIM

Thaw Prepares For His Expected Return to New York

SHERIFF BELIEVES HIM SANE

Bodyguard Appointed by Court Has Been In Close Touch With Fugitive —Latter Expresses Gratitude For Sympathy Extended Him by People of Manchester— Is In Good Health

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 21.—"I believe Harry Thaw to be perfectly sane. If I were to be asked today, after having been in close touch with him for nearly a year and a half, I should be obliged to say I believe him sane."

Sheriff Drew of Colebrook, the man officially designated by Judge Aldrich to be the bodyguard of Thaw nearly a year and a half ago, and who has been with him almost constantly since that time, made this statement while Thaw was exercising in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

Aside from the fact that Mrs. Thaw, who is with her son, announced that Rev. Dr. Thomas Chalmers, pastor of the First Congregational church and Thaw's friend, will accompany him and his escort of New York officials to New York, there was little, if any, difference in what was probably his last day in Manchester from any other day of recent date.

Thaw went shopping, as usual, in the afternoon, accompanied by Sheriff Drew, and then went to the gym. Here he exercised for an hour, playing volley ball and doing the calisthenics drill with the others in the business men's class.

Thaw then returned to his home, where he received a few callers. These were some of the townspeople who came merely to express their regret that he should be forced to leave Manchester, and to each of them he exprssed his gratitude for their sympathy.

Philander C. Knox, Thaw's senior counsel, is expected to reach Manchester today and there seems little doubt that he will make one of the party that will escort Thaw to New York.

The members of Thaw's household were busy in packing up. Mrs. Thaw stated that she will probably remain here for a few days after her son leaves, in order to settle all his affairs in Manchester.

At the gym yesterday, when Thaw was seen in simple white shirt and trunks, he looked the picture of health. He was more sturdily built than any other man in the class.

No word was received from Jerome or the other New York state officials as to the probable time of their arrival, but it is not expected that they will come before tonight.

A THOUGHTFUL SUICIDE

Wires Undertaker to Meet Train and Care For His Body

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Charles Ledowsky, president of the Fox River Distilling company of Chicago, whose name has been mentioned in connection with the alleged forged warehouse receipts of R. E. Watson & Co. of Louisville, committed suicide by shooting on a railroad train entering Chicago.

He telegraphed ahead to an undertaker, requesting him to meet the train and take care of his body, as he intended to kill himself.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed against Ledowsky's company last Monday, scheduling assets of $20,000 against liabilities of $250,000 or $300,000.

MILLIKEN SPENT $162,607

Court Dismisses Patrick Fund Suit Brought Against Him

Denver, Jan. 21.—A suit, brought by Leonidas Hill, a Denver mining man, against his brother-in-law, John T. Milliken, a St. Louis millionaire, for accounting of funds used in the legal fight to save Albert T. Patrick from execution for the alleged murder of William M. Rice, was dismissed in the United States district court here.

Dismissal of the suit followed the testimony of Milliken, who presented accounts in supprot of his declaration that he had expended $162,607 in the attempt to save his brother-in-law.

GRIFFINS SENT TO PRISON

Sentence of Couple Who Swindled Acquaintances Out of $300,000

New York, Jan. 21.—Francis H. Griffin and his wife, Clara, who pleaded guilty to using the mails to defraud their wealthy acquaintances of approximately $300,000 invested in a stenography bureau, were sentenced in the federal court.

Griffin was given a seven-year term in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, and his wife was sentenced to six years in the state prison for women at Auburn, N. Y.

Former Tax Collector Held

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 21.—Edward P. McCord, former tax collector of Pepperell, who was indicted on a charge of larceny of $4681.81 from that town, was arraigned in the superior court here. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $2000 bonds for a hearing. He furnished bail.

DECLARES WATER RATE

(Continued from Page One.)

per 100 cu. ft., and a minimum of .10 cents per 100 cu. ft. to the largest consumers.

Melrose has an annual minimum rate of $9.00 (4500 cu. ft.) and a maximum rate of .20 cents per 100 cu. ft. The minimum rate is .15 cents per 100 cu. ft., two and one-half times higher than Quincy's minimum rate.

Weymouth has an annual meter rate of $6.00 and a maximum of .22 1-2 cents per 100 cu. ft. and a minimum of .09 1-2 cents.

Hingham's annual rental for a 5-8 inch standard house meter is $2.00, with a maximum of .23 cents per 100 cu. ft. and a minimum of .13 1-2 cents per 100 cu. ft.

Braintree charges $2.00 per year rental for a house meter (5-8 inch) and 23 cents per 100 cu. ft. for domestic purposes and .12 1-2 cents per 100 cu. ft. for manufacturing purposes.

Lately we have heard a good deal about the collection of the water bills Personally I do not wonder that our citizens are peevish in regard to the water tax and balk at settling their bills. They certainly have reason to kick. I do not believe that there is a town or city in this Commonwealth that has so outrageously used its own citizens, who are water-rate payers as the City of Quincy has used (with one or two exceptions) its own people,—and especially those who can ill afford the exhorbitant domestic rater which the city demands.

I believe in encouraging home industry, it is an excellent proposition when extended in the right way, but when that encouragement unconsciously takes the form of an oppressive tax upon our citizens it should be stopped.

If 99 per cent of the water takers are compelled to pay an abnormally high rate so that one per cent can annually be supplied with millions of gallons of water at less than the actual cost, then the city is party to an act which would make a Wall street financier blush, an act which if performed by a public service corporation would result in its being hailed before the Public Service Commission, or some kindred body, in short orders A discount of 73 per cen from the house rate to large consumers is one of the great factors in making our house service, .23 cents per 100 cubic feet with a maximum house service (or meter rental) of $14.00 per year against a house rate of .16 cents per 100 cubic feet and a meter charge of $7.00 in Malden and about the same scale of rates in numerous other towns and cities.

Aonther large factor is the leakage not only in the pipes but in house fixtures where meters have not been installed. A few years ago, before the general installation of meters, it was estimated by Commissioner Bainbridge that the amount the fixture leaked was $60. worth of water per day. But other cities have the leakage problem.

I believe that not alone should the rates to large consumers be materially increased, as is now proposed but the whole so called meter rate schedule with its sixteen different meter rates should be smashed. The rates should be simplified,—Boston's meter rates contain just five lines and five items as follows:—

Not over 20000 cubic feet .14
Over 20,000 and up to 40,000 .13
Over 40,000 and up to 1,000,000 .12
Over 1,000,000 cubic feet .08
In no case for the year less than $8.00

Brookline's contains one item—"All water shall be furnished through meters at the rate of .12 cents per 100 cubic feet."

And all of the other cities and towns above quoted have rate cards which are equally as simple.

The Quincy rates are so involved that they require the services of an expert accountant to explain them.

As comparatively few people ever see the Quincy meter schedule it follows:

METER RATES.

Minimum Meter Rates vary from $6.00 to $14.00 per year according to the number of fixtures.

The amount of water allowed for these rates is as follows:

$6.00—7 cubic feet per day.
$8.00—9 1-2 cubic feet per day.
$10.00—12 cubic feet per day.
$12.00—14 1-2 cubic feet per day.
$14.00—17 cubic feet per day.

METER RATES BY QUANTITY.

20 cubic feet or less per day—23c. per 100 cubic feet.
20-50 cubic feet or less per day—21 cents per 100 cubic feet.
100-500 cubic feet per day—15c per 100 cubic feet.
50-100 cubic feet per day 19c. per 100 cubic feet.
500-1000 cubic feet per day—12c. per 100 cubic feet.
1000-2000 cubic feet per day—11c. per 100 cubic feet.
2000-4000 cubic feet per day—10c. per 100 cubic feet.
4000-8000 cubic feet per day—9c. per 100 cubic feet.
8000-16000 cubic feet per day—8c per 100 cubic feet.
16000-40000 cubic feet per day—7c per 100 cubic feet.
Over 40000 cubic feet per day—6c per 100 cubic feet.

My present and last water bills show my annual consumption of water to be 3194 cubic feet for which I was charged $14.00 that is at the rate of .44 cents per 100 cubic feet. If I had lived in Malden the same number of cubic feet would have cost me $7.00 with 1181 cubic feet to spare on that city's minimum allowance of 4375 cubic feet for the $7.00 rate.

This year we are looking forward o a business adminstration by a man who has made a record as a successful administrator had a keen business man with him in the mayoralty chair and one of the best councils we have had for several years it is fair to assume that the city's interests will be well protected.

Mayor Campbell is now hard at work on a new set of water rates and he placing of the water department upon a paying basis. It is a Herculean task. If any of our citizens are interested in this meter rate question I hope that they will state their side of the case to him.

DISTRICT COURT.

John H. McKeown of Weymouth, Timothy J. Ryan, Rudolph Stanage, Joseph Colson and James A. Hayes of Quincy were fined $15 each for drunkenness and were placed on probation until June 28.

Richard Blagmore, who was found guilty of assault at Cohasset, appealed a fine of $100.

William H. Pettmore was found not guilty of the larceny of carpenters' tools.

Frank J. Kerrigan was sentenced to one month in the house of correction for drunkenness at Milton.

William Hanrahan was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Michael Cannale was arraigned on complaint of Charles H. Johnson, attendance officer of the school committee, for failing to send his minor children to school. Case continued on probation until June 30.

PRESENTATION TO SPONSOR.

Immediately after the launching of the Submarine L1, at the Fore River Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Elizabeth Scott Daubin, the sponsor, was presented by S. A. Gardner, local manager of the Electric Boat Co., with a beautiful silver vase, suitably inscribed. She was also presented with the fragments of the Christening bottle, which were inclosed in a highly polished teakwood box, and suitably inscribed.

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IS CHAMPION OF PROBATION SYSTEM

Judge Avery Says That on Whole It Has Worked Out Well In This City

PROBLEM IS HARD ONE

Judge Albert E. Avery of the district court does not agree with the opinion of Judge John Winn of the Haverhill district court who recently said: "I have made up my mind that probation is a farce."

Judge Winn went to Haverhill ardent in the belief that drunkenness was a disease amenable to kind and lenient treatment, and he has been trying that treatment, but now announces that he has changed his views.

He announced the change in his opinion one day recently when he looked over the crowd that had been gathered in by the police over Saturday and Sunday, many of whom had been before him time and time again and whom he had placed on probation.

Looking over the men he is credited with saying: "I have made up my mind that probation is a farce. I have treated you men generously and kindly and have endeavored to help you work out your own reformation. I believe you have only laughed at me as you went away because I was so easy. The men I have placed on probation have only gone out and got drunk and been brought back by the police. I am tired of it all; hereafter I warn you that I shall send such cases to the state farm at Bridgewater."

Judge Avery smiled when shown the statement of Judge Winn and said: "It is a hard problem. I have felt the same way myself at times.

"What Judge Winn says may be true to a certain extent. I do not agree that drunkenness is a disease Drunkenness may be more or less inheritable. Then there are cases where conditions at home are contributory causes.

"Drunkenness in many cases is deliberate. Men will save their money carefully until they get a certain amount and then visit Boston with the express purpose of having a good time and getting drunk."

Judge Avery does not believe it does any good to send a man to the state farm or to jail for being drunk. It simply gives them an opportunity to get the rum out of them, a good place to sleep and plenty of good food. In some cases they are worse when they come out. There is still another item and that is the expense of boarding men at the state farm and jails which amounts to a considerable sum.

Coming down to the workings of the probation plan in Quincy the judge said: "Probation is working well in Quincy. Under a recent law a man can not be sent to the state farm or jail for drunkenness if the fine is fifteen dollars or less. The law specifies that the man shall be placed on probation on a suspended sentence, unless the court believes that the man will default or that a suspension of sentence will be detrimental to the interests of the public.

"We have a number of men in Quincy who come here about every so often for drunkenness. What good would it be to send those men to jail or the state farm. Not a particle. They are bound to get drunk about every so often.

"Sometimes, however, it is advisable to send them to jail or to the state farm and in that case we attach to the commitment papers a statement of fact like this:

"The suspension of the execution of the sentence of the defendant is refused because the court finds that he will probably default, and that a suspension of sentence will be detrimental to the interests of the public.

"Under the old law it was provided that the third offense for drunkenness meant a jail or state farm sentence. Aside from what I have stated the deliberate drunkenness of some men, I believe that many cases are caused by family troubles and home conditions. Poor people as a rule are neglectful of their duty. We find the homes of many of these unclean and the wife extravagant.

"Yes I believe that the probation system, as it is working out in Quincy is meeting with fair success. The percentage of those placed on probation who are brought into court again during the probation period is very small. Take for instance the past six months. During the six months period ending Dec. 31, 1914 four hundred and thirteen (413) persons were placed on probation for all causes in this court. Of this number but twenty-one (21) were re-arrested during their probationary period. That is not a bad record."

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LECTURES ON HAWAII

Large Number at Meeting In Quincy School

The Quincy School Parent's-Teachers association held its regular meeting in the Assembly hall, Tuesday evening.

The meeting was called to order by President W. F. Cummings, who introduced the speaker, Roswell B. Lawrence of Medford. The latter spoke on "A Trip to the Hawaiian Islands." The meeting was largely attended.

Music was furnished during the early part of the program by pupils of the 7th and 8th grades, who sang several songs, much to their own credit as well as to the director, Principal C. E. Sampson.

The only business brought before the Asscciation was the subject of supervised playground for this ward and a committee was appointed by the president to see if a playground could be procured this year. The committee consists of H. G. Beeman, Robert E. O'Doherty and Lugene J. Hayford.

Mr. Lawrence was chairman of the School Committee of Medford for 16 years. He is also a member of the Appalachian Mountain Club being Secretary and his stereopticon lecture was very instructive and entertaining and well received by the large audience.

He described the country passed during his trip across the country over the Canadian Pacific R. R. to British Columbia and took a steamer at Vancouver for Honolulu.

The audience enjoyed his pictures of the Islands, their mountain peaks, glaciers, lakes, water-falls, public buildings etc. He also described the different nationalities with their customs and brought the audience back home over a different route across this country.

The lecture was very instructive from a geological standpoint, as the speaker described how the earth's crust has been changed. His pictures of the various lava formations were excellent.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

Mrs. Benjamin Fuller of Washington street is enjoying a visit with relatives in New Castle, Penn.

Mr. Carl Hall, director of physical education in this town, will open a dancing class in Ellsworth Hall next week.

The regular meeting of the Neighborhood Club will be held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Knox.

Miss Alice Blackborn, a leader in the younger society of Mattapan, is confined to her home on Houston avenue with blood poison.

ODD LADIES MAKE PLANS

The Odd Ladies of the city have completed plans for a most successful year under its new board of offices. The lodge will be under the direction of Etta Spargo. Jennie Morrison, past noble grand, who retired from office this year, was pleasantly remembered by the members who presented her with a traveling bag.

The new board of officers are Elizabeth Spargo, noble grand; Margaret Linton, vice grand; Lillian Smith, elective secretary; Margaret L. Thomas, permanent secretary; Katherine Cotter, treasurer; Mary Worsdell, chaplain; Etta Spargo, warden; Mary Wade, conductor; Rose Caron, guardian; Margaret Tite and Lucilia Caron, supports to noble grand; Abbie Brownrigg and Annie Denton, supports to vice grand; Mary Wade, pianist; Jennie Morrison, convention delegate; Mary L. Thomas, alternate secretary.

HOLD ALL DAY MEETING.

An all day meeting of the Fragment society of the First Parish church was held Wednesday. The members sewed for the Belgians. A lunch was served at noon and in the afternoon the Alliance met and was addressed by Miss Anna M. Bancroft, president of the National Alliance, on "Alliance Work."

KICKED BY HORSE.

One of the horses of the Atlantic Wet Wash Co. of Atlantic kicked Harry J. McPhee, 18 years, 63 Madison street in the leg Tuesday afternoon and fractured the femur bone. Dr. D. A. Bruce was called and ordered his removal to the Quincy City Hospital.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

CHILD LABOR.

Next Sunday January 24 is the day set apart by the National Child Labor Committee, to be observed as Child Labor Day, in all the churches. The National Child Labor Committee was organized eight years ago for the purpose of studying into the conditions of child labor, and from that time a day has annually been selected for consideration of this question by leading speakers in the churches.

Although some of the conditions have been improved there are still others to consider. And to work for the bettering of child welfare in regard to labor is a task which is much needed now.

Among the best literature at the Library on this subject are: "Bitter Cry of the Children," by John Spargo; "Newer Ideals of Peace," and "Spirit of Youth and the City Streets" by Jane Addams; "Child labor in city streets" by E. N. Clopper; "Child in the City," by S. P. Breckenridge and "Solution of the Child Labor Problem" by Scott Nearing. There are also a great many articles in the periodicals on this question. These are made accessible by the Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature, which is kept on the Reference Desk in the Reading Room.

SCHOOL NOTES.

At the next meeting of the School Committee, the Women's Club will make a definite proposition for the support of a school nurse for the remainder of the year, which undoubtedly will be most favorably received. There are almost unlimited possibilities to the work which may be done in this direction and no one realizes it better than those in the school department.

The second half year of school will begin Monday, Feb. 1, when beginners will be admitted to the first grades of the city. So far as preliminary investigations show, the entering class will be larger than was the case last February with a corresponding increase in the general attendance for the year.

This has been a busy week for the various Parent Teachers' Associations. The attendance at the meetings this winter, taken in the aggregate has surpassed that of any previous year.

MILL TAX BILL.

The provisions of the Mill Tax Bill as proposed by the State Board of Education have been stated. Supt. A. L. Barbour and former Mayor Stone are members of a small committee of school men and city executors that has been working for more than a year in the same direction. It is not known yet whether this committee will support the bill of the State Board or submit one of its own. Under the provisions of the bill just submitted. Quincy would profit very little because of the abnormal increase in the assessed valuation of the city last year. With the present valuation, the amount of tax apportioned to the city would be practically $40,000 while the return would be practically the same. One of the provisions of the bill would benefit the town with an abnormally large high school attendance, whose cost of education is correspondingly great and it is also proposed to assist those towns and cities which have to bear the burden of the instruction of illiterates which ought not to be a local problem or burden.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

The joiner department of the Industrial School is building the teachers desks and tables and the umbrella racks that are needed for the Atherton Hough addition; they have practically completed some tables for the new Adams school and are later to build some filing cabinets for the School Committee rooms. The electroplating department of the school is now receiving its equipment and will soon begin work on a cememrcial product.

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"SPIRITS" ORDERED PERKINS TO SHOOT

Slayer of Hinman Takes Witness Stand In Own Behalf

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 21.—"Spirit voices" told him to shoot passengers on the steamer Mohawk last November, George B. Perkins of Boston, on trial here, testified.

Perkins took the stand and told how his mind "snapped" before he ran amuck on the steamer and killed F. W. R. Hinman, Jacksonville publisher, and wounded two others.

"The voices haunted me," said Perkins. "They were either imagination or from the spirit world. Figures would appear and try to torture me. Their laughter was demoniacal."

Temporary derangement caused by the use of powerful drugs is the scheme of the defense. Physicians and alienists for the state will controvert the testimony of the defense, but the impression seems strong that Perkins will be acquitted as not responsible.

DEATH OF MRS. O'LEARY

Chicago Fire Started by Her Cow Which Tipped Over Lamp

Menominee, Mich., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Patrick O'Leary died in her lonely hut at Masonville without telling the world how it happened that the cow tipped over the lamp and started the fire which left Chicago in ashes in 1871.

Farmers living near the home knew little of her and her life since coming from Chicago and not one knew the old woman at all intimately. Occasionally visitors were seen at the hut, but these came and went unheralded. It was understood in the neighborhood she received money to live upon from relatives in Chicago.

FILIBUSTER CONTINUES

Weeks Relieves Burton In Attack on Ship Purchase Bill

Washington, Jan. 21.—After three days of continuous assault on the government ship purchase bill, Senator Burton of Ohio yielded the floor in the senate to Senator Weeks of Massachusetts, who continued the fight.

Meantime, the Democratic leaders, who regard the Republican opposition as an open filibuster, determined to keep the measure constantly before the senate, despite appropriation bills.

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PRESIDENTS OF MEXICO SINCE FLIGHT OF DIAZ.

F. L. de la Barra, April 25, 1911, to Nov. 6, 1911.
Francisco I. Madero, Nov. 6, 1911, to Feb. 19, 1913.
Victoriano Huerta, Feb. 19, 1913, to July 15, 1914.
Francisco Carbajal, July 15, 1914, to Aug. 12, 1914.
*Venustiano Carranza, Aug. 12, 1914, to Nov. 10, 1914.
Eulalio Gutierrez, Nov. 10, 1914, to Jan. 16, 1915.
Roque Gonzales Garza, Jan. 16, 1915.

*The Constitutional party does not recognize the presidency of either Huerta, Carbajal or Gutierrez. It maintains that as they were not legally chosen by the people, according to the constitution, the country was under the rule of the first chief of the Constitutionalist army, Venustiano Carranza.

GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS OF RUSSIA A GIANT.

Basil Miles Gives Pen Portrait of Towering Military Commander.

At the feast of the Prebrazhenski regiment in St. Petersburg shortly after the Russian-Japanese war Sir Ian Hamilton was watching the great world arrive, one after another. He himself was present as a distinguished British general. Both individually and collectively the Russian guards officers are a fine lot. But he suddenly ejaculated, "By Jove, who's that?" He pointed to a towering figure at least six feet four in height, with close cropped black hair shot through with gray, short, pointed Vandyke beard, extraordinary length of limb, but lean and graceful, with exceptional ease and power of movement—a magnificent figure of a man. It was the Grand Duke Nicholas Nikolaievitch, says Basil Miles in the World's Work.

The grand duke, now commander in chief of the armies of Russia, was born the year after the Crimean war and was fifty-eight last October. But he still radiates an impression of easy power and strength. His grandfather was the son of that Czar Nicholas I. whose physique was famous in Europe. When a mob gathered in the Sadovaya in those early days a story is still current of how the great czar drove to the scene, got out of his carriage and strode out along, gigantic and threatening, and with a single mighty roar produced a stunned silence through which he lectured the huddled crowd like a stern but just father and sent them away tamed. His great-grandson inherits much of his physical power. Although the military career of the Grand Duke Nicholas has attracted little attention outside of Russia, largely because he has concentrated wholeheartedly on each phase as he met it, his present supreme command is nevertheless the logical result of a consistent rise through all ranks, not because but almost in spite of his imperial blood.

UNUSUAL PSYCHOLOGY TEST.

Scientist Suicide Tries to Prove He Heard Fatal Shot.

Despondent because all his relatives in Germany had been killed in the war, Charles Mayo, an aged chemist and student of psychic phenomena, committed suicide in Chicago. The last act of his life—the act which terminated that life—Mayo used in an experiment with the psychology of death. This experiment he explained in a note to Charles Gutowski, one of his subordinates and his confidant. It follows:

"If I hear the sound of the shot I will make a mark with my pencil on your envelope. On making that mark I will concentrate my whole being. If the mark is there it will be known definitely that a man with a bullet in his heart doesn't die at once."

When Mayo did not appear at the office employees broke open a room adjoining his laboratory, where he sometimes slept, and found his body.

There was no mark on the envelope.

Mayo constructed an apparatus which required a minimum of strength in the discharge of the revolver and assured perfect aim.

Mayo was a graduate of the University of Munich. He practiced medicine twelve years in New York city.

PAUPER HAD $820 IN SHOE.

Aged Woman's Secret Out, She Agrees to Pay Board Bill.

Although she had been a public charge as an inmate of the Orange City home at Livingston, N. J., since last August, it was brought to light that since that time Mrs. Margaret Mulligan, seventy years old, had been carrying in her shoe $820 in bills.

A bill of $88.10 for her board since the admission to the home was promptly presented. She agreed to pay it and to reimburse St. Mary's hospital, Orange, for care and treatment received last summer. Then she made arrangements to be taken into the Home of Divine Providence at Ridgewood.

LOTS OF LITTLE JOFFRES NOW.

Name of Commander Popular at French Christenings.

Study of the daily lists of dead in the press has drawn attention to the birth lists, where the women of France are "mentioned in the order of the day."

The choice of names is interesting. Joffre and Joffrine are noticeable. France has come into use, and Alexandra, Mary and Elizabeth record the alliances of 1914. Names with any Germanic turn have apparently dropped out of the young mother's vocabulary.

PRESIDENT WILL REVIEW FLEET

To Sail For Panama on Battleship New York.

PASS CANAL ON THE OREGON

Arrival at San Francisco and Assembling of Fleet Scheduled For March 24—Many Foreign Vessels to Take Part In Celebration Incident to Opening of Waterway.

Plans for the journey of President Wilson to the isthmus of Panama and the use of the navy for the formal opening of the canal were announced by Josephus Daniels, the secretary of the navy.

Under these plans the proposed review of the Atlantic fleet at Hampton roads about the 1st of March has been abandoned under a compromise reached with Senator Swanson of Virginia, who was insisting upon the holding of the Hampton Roads review as directed by congress. Senator Swanson had threatened to block any attempt to prevent by legislation doing away with the review. Under the compromise Secretary Daniels has given assurances that when the fleet returns from San Francisco there will be a substitute review held at Hampton Roads next fall to which foreign warships will be invited.

President Wilson will go to Panama on board the New York, which will be escorted by the Texas. The president is to leave Hampton Roads on March 5 and arrive at Colon on March 10. He will review the fleet off the west coast of the canal zone on March 13 and is scheduled to arrive at San Francisco on March 24. The plans contemplate assigning separate warships for the use of ex-Presidents Taft and Roosevelt if they accept the invitations to participate in the opening. The diplomatic corps and members of congress will be conveyed to the canal zone on board army transports, Panama railway steamers and chartered steamers.

Daniels' Announcement.

Secretary Daniels' announcement of the schedule of operations of the Atlantic fleet and preliminary arrangements for the cruise is as follows:

The battleships of the Atlantic fleet and the destroyer flotilla will proceed to Guantanamo and Guacanayabo bay, Cuba, on Jan. 17 for extended fleet exercises and target practice, seventeen battleships participating in the maneuvers; the Georgia, Texas, South Carolina and Minnesota will remain at their home yards undergoing overhauling until Feb. 15.

The Texas will remain at Hampton Roads to escort the president to Panama in the New York, the New York proceeding to Hampton Roads from Cuban waters about Feb. 15, prepared to receive the president on March 5.

It is intended that the Washington relieve the Delaware in Mexican waters as soon as practicable and that the Delaware and Rhode Island will join the fleet in Cuban waters. The Rhode Island has been ordered from New Orleans to Norfolk for docking and on the completion of docking, about Jan. 22, will proceed to Guantanamo to join the fleet.

The battleships and the destroyers of the active flotilla (about twenty-three) will remain in Cuban waters, carrying on drills and exercises, until Feb. 25 and will then proceed to Panama, all twenty-one battleships going through the canal to San Francisco.

No Parade Through Canal.

There can, of course, be no parade of the fleet as a whole through the canal. This would result in congestion in Colon and in the canal, with serious delay.

The Oregon and Olympia will take part and are to be in Colon prior to March 5 filled with coal and ready to proceed.

Besides the twenty-one battleships of the Atlantic fleet, all vessels of the Atlantic torpedo flotilla, including the Birmingham, Dixie and Arethusa, will accompany the fleet to San Francisco. The reserve torpedo flotilla, Atlantic fleet, will not proceed to San Francisco.

The reserve torpedo flotilla, the submarine flotilla, mine layers and auxiliaries will conduct exercises at Pensacola during the months of February, March and April. It is possible that the reserve torpedo flotilla will proceed to Guantanamo for exercises with the fleet before proceeding to Pensacola.

The following foreign vessels are expected to take part in the celebration incident to the opening of the canal:

Argentina will send the battleship Moreno, flying the flag of Vice Admiral Onofre Betbeder; Cuba will send the cruiser Cuba; Portugal will send the cruiser Almirante Reis and the dispatch boat Cinco de Outubro; Spain will send the battleship Espana. Vice Admiral Don Ramon Estrada Catoiva has been appointed by the Spanish government as its naval representative.

Poppies For Lincoln Way.

When the stream of eastern tourists begins to pour into California next spring over the Lincoln highway they will pass for mile after mile between rows of California poppies, while the Foothill boulevard leading into Oakland will be further beautified with a fringe of blue lupines, which will set off the brilliant yellow of the poppies.

THE PHILERGIANS.

On Tuesday afternoon, the Philergians of Braintree held their usual bimonthly meeting in Cochato hall with the president Mrs. Pamelia G. Webber in the chair. The records were read and approved. Mrs. Marian L. Gile, chairman of the health committee gave a report of the recent sale of Red Cross stamps in which she said that 2630 of these seals were sold out of the 4000 sent us. The remaining 1370 seals left unsold have been burned in the presence of the social service and education committee.

The club retained to use for tuberculosis work in Braintree, $21.70 or 82 1-2 per cent of those sold. The remainder $4.60 or 17 1-2 per cent of those sold will be sent to the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis League which furnished the seals.

The attention of club members was called to article 8 of the by-laws, especially to the part which says, "residents of the town, who are eligible for membership may be invited to attend but two afternoons during the year."

A recommendation made by the executive board that Mrs. Sarah W. Lane be made an honorary member of the club was brought to the attention of club members. Mrs. Lane was one of the six original members of the Philergians. She has since faithfully served the club as chairman of the hospitality committee and has several times been on the board of directors. In the early days of the organization she did much good work in an official capacity.

Mrs. Lane was unanimously elected a member of the club. It was suggested that a committee be appointed to work in conjunction with the tree-warden and Town authorities to further the work of the forestry association. The matter was referred to the civics committee.

Money was appropriated to renew the membership in the Museum of Fine Arts, which entitles Philergians to admission to the Museum at any time on presentation of their membership tickets.

The State Federation is making a strong appeal through the presidents of clubs to supply the needs of the hospitals in Northern France. Every member is requested to collect as much linen and cotton as possible which Mrs. Webber is planning to assemble and forward to those who can make best use in caring for wounded soldiers of all nationalities who are overcrowding the hospitals in that republic. Mrs. Webber is anxious to make it a town-wide movement and solicits the assistance of each member.

Reserved seat tickets for the annual dramatics which will be held March 2nd in Bates Opera house will be on sale at the next two meetings.

On Friday evening, January 29th in the Hollis school hall, a lecture on Equal Suffrage will be held. Rose Livingstone, the angel of Chinatown, New York will speak and Miss Ethel Vorce of Ohio will tell of "Personal experiences in rescue work among white slaves."

Attention was called to the beautiful vase which Mrs. E. A. Haskell sent to the club in memory of her mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Thayer. Next Monday evening the art committee has arranged for a lecture to be given at the home of Carroll M. Bill of Hollis avenue. The selected subject is "Historical Style in Furniture."

The program on Tuesday afternoon was unusually interesting. Miss Nancy Barbee, a native of Kentucky, told Southern dialect stories. Many of her stories were of a decidedly personal nature and any one familiar with the South and the negroes could appreciate the excellence of her rendition. Southern songs were rendered by Mrs. Frederick C. Folsom, who was accompanied by Mrs. H. D. Shields. The selections given were: "Nellie was a lady," "Old Black Joe," "O carry me 'long" and the "Swanee River." The songs were all the more enjoyable because of the choruses, sung as duets by Mrs. Folsom and Mrs. Shields.

The next meeting of the club will be an open meeting which means that there will be no charge for guests. William N. Craig will lecture on "The Beauty and Value of Our Trees and Shrubs." The subject is in keeping with the matter which was called to the club's attention by the forestry association and should prove most interesting and instructive. There will be music. The afternoon will be in charge of the civics department.

GIVES THEM LAST CHANCE.

Chief Billings today served notice on some of the local merchants who are violating the fire hazard law in regard to the keeping of benzine, naphtha, paints, oils and other flammable matter without permits that they must comply immediately with the law or be prosecuted. The notice is one issued by Fire Hazard Commissioner O'Keefe and it gives the dealers until Saturday night to comply with the law.

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STANDISH CLUB MINSTREL SHOW

Organization's Initial Bow in Minstrelsy Well Received by Large Audience

MISS HAMLIN IS STAR

The Standish Club of Atlantic made its initial bow into ministrelsy Wednesday evening in the Quincy School hall. The hall was well filled and the actors who were all amateurs and residents of the section were well received. The show was presented under the direction of Andrew J. Dinegan, Quincy's well known minstrel man. The stage was rather small to put on such a large show and this made the work of getting in all the acts much harder. About 300 attended.

The curtain opened on a Southern plantation with the usual darky "crap game." The young men were blackened and wore red jockey coats and hats and the young women also were dressed in red. Frank M. Spicer acted as Interlocutor.

The opening chorus was well rendered and received round after round of applause. The end men and their songs were as follows:

Celebrating Day in Tennessee
Clarence Pendleton
At the Mississippi Cabaret
Robert Kinniburgh
I Want to Linger Dwight Gearwar



One Hundred Years from Now.
Clifton Young
Down at the Barbecue James Butler
I'm Glad my Wife's in Europe
James McDonald

The endmen handled themselves like regular actors especially "Kip" Young who received rounds of applause. "Jimmie" McDonald, West Quincy's favorite minstrel, scored a big success. His jokes and knocks were well received. He had a parody on Atlantic's noted politician Twohey, which took the house by storm. Solos were rendered by Lora Churchill and Hazel Butler. The grand finale introduced Walter Murray, well known in Quincy, who sang "We Stand for Peace While Others War." Miss Rosalie Dutemple was the pianist.

After the close of Part II A. L. Stinson gave a short address to the people telling how the club was started, its purposes, its needs and gave a description of what it will look like when completed. He urged all to join and help "get together" the people of Atlantic.

Part III consisted of an Irish scene. John Houlihan gave several good selections and Miss Nellie Ferguson, a Scotch dancer, went through her steps amid applause. Her exhibition with swords was worthy of a professional actor. The hit of the whole show was little Gwendolyn Hamlin, 6 years old and barely two feet tall. Her singing and dancing earns for her the name of the "Vitagraph Kid." The colleens, whose dancing act was very pretty, were: Elizabeth C. Curry Katheryn B. Burgess, Maddy Daley, Florence Keating, Mabel M. Dunn, Kathryn C. Kelly, Frances M. Adams.

A western scene followed in which Thomas Wilkinson sang the "Rose of the Mountain Trail." The cast consisted of Herbert Butler, Homer Hall, Phebe Buckley, Susie Moffat, Agnes Kenniburgh, Jordine Davison, Edith Pratt, Ralph Knapp and Glenn Arthur

The last scene was featured by the singing of James Butler who rendered "Shine on Winter Moon." The dancing was well done and all were attired in winter clothes, which made a pretty scene. The cast consisted of Hazel Btuler, Lucile Churchill, Emily Gnong, Lora Churchill, Eldeine Young and Ruth Buckley.

Those who were in the chorus were: Emily Gnong, Hazel Mutler, Agnes Kinniburgh, Jordine Davison, Mildred Hadlock, Collina Brown, Lora Churchill, Susie Moffat, Edith Pratt, Phebe Buckley, Herbert Butler, Thomas Wilkinson, Davenport Jackson, Edward Le Blanc, Gertrude Fratus, Mrs. Albert Hall, Arthur Hall, Henry Dolan, Glenn Arthur, Ralph Knapp, Eldeine Young, Isabel Taberner, Curtis Hallett, Alsin Mitchell and Louise Hitcher. Among those in the audience were Mayor and Mrs. Chester I. Campbell. The show will be repeated this evening.

The program was one worthy of mention. The front cover contained a plan of the new clubhouse and a whole page was devoted to the upbuilding of Atlantic.

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Miss C. Booth, Brooks Avenue.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite St.
WEST QUINCY—Edward F. Drohan.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—A. H. Dunham, and his newsboys.
NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

SPORTING COMMENT

The fair sex has taken a great fancy to bowling and feminine bowlers have made glorious records in this city. On Fridays the members of the Wollaston Woman's club hold a weekly matinee. On Friday evening the Quincy Girls bowling team rolls at the New Boston alleys with the East Bostons as opponents. The remarkable team single of 118, made by Mrs. Florence Moran remains unbroken.

Dr. W. G. Kendall has been elected President of the Boston Bicycle Club for the 28th consecutive term. The club has an annual wheel-around-the-Hub but the annual report failed to state the number of bicycles owned by the members.

The St. Marys team have taken such a lead in the West Quincy league some of its members are studying left hand work. The standing is:

St. Marys	19	11
Div. 22	11	9
Franco-American	12	12
Ave Maria, K. C.	5	15

Tom Morgan of the Fore River league will bear watching. His average is up in the first division and he is always improving. It would not be surprising to hear of him jumping some city record.

The basket ball game between Quincy and Thayer "Acad." billed for Feb. 3 has been cancelled and Woburn High substituted. Earl Bates, last season's high school star man, is with Thayer and the fans were eagerly awaiting his appearance.

Harry Carlson of Brockton is the fastest amateur 125-lb. champion the class ever saw. His superiority over the pick of New York was by a wide margin. His win in the finals was a deserving one and he beat Mack who has finished top man 10 consecutive times.

THE NEW SPORTING ANNUAL

The best little sporting reference book of the year is the "Police Gazette Sporting Annual" for 1915, published by the Richard K. Fox Publishing Company. It is a compendium of best performances in all branches of sports; ably compiled and edited by Sam C. Austin, the well-known sporting writer and critic. The athletic records are the records of the Amateur Athletic Union, and officially accepted by that organization: the rowing, yachting, racing, trotting, paring automobile, hockey, football, acroplane and swimming records, made all over the world, are officially correct. The baseball statistics were furnished by the National Baseball Commission, and include the details of the world's championship series.

The main feature of the book, however, is the pugilistic records, and includes the history of every boxer of prominence in the world. This splendid book is made doubly attractive by its high-class illustrations and photos of the champions. It is authentic and reliable, and stands today an authority on the subject upon which it treats. The price is ten cents; postage two cents extra.

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HOLD TENNIS CLUB MATCHES

C. Davis got 128 and high single in the Wollaston Tennis club matches at the Coliseum alleys Wednesday night. Hutton and Baker each got 120 and Hoxie had 293 for best total.

CAPT BAKER 2—CAPT ESTES 2

CAPT. BAKER.

Gardner	70	85	82	237
Oldham	76	84	78	238
Redlon	80	85	62	227
Hutton	88	80	120	288
C. Baker	88	93	100	281
	402	427	442	1271

CAPT. ESTES.

Ela	69	79	87	235
Simpson	81	80	71	232
C. Davis	74	78	128	280
L. Smith	95	73	74	242
Estes	85	84	89	258
	404	394	449	1247

CAPT MONROE 3—CAPT. JENNER 1

CAPT. MONROE.

R. Baker	91	81	75	247
Brown	101	90	94	285
W. Raymond	84	86	74	244
Pinkham	87	87	87	261
Monroe	89	93	98	280
	452	437	428	1317

CAPT. JENNER.

Murray	87	89	90	266
Carr	79	73	71	223
W. Baker	120	90	72	282
Barker	101	77	83	261
Jenner	93	94	85	272
	480	423	401	1304

CAPT. GEDDES 3—CAPT. GREEN 1

CAPT. GEDDES.

Albee	90	75	81	246
Emery	89	69	102	260
Seiders	94	92	109	295
Smith	86	75	73	234
Geddes	88	88	88	264
	447	399	453	1299

CAPT. GREEN.

McLean	83	75	109	267
A. Davis	91	75	69	235
Weld	99	86	83	268
Hiller	84	82	86	252
Green	80	89	99	268
	437	407	446	1290

Capt HOXIE 3—Capt LITCHFIELD 1

CAPT. HOXIE.

Brigham	79	85	80	244
Fleishner	72	91	92	255
Chase	83	93	76	252
Powers	87	103	77	267
Hoxie	90	99	104	293
	411	471	429	1311

CAPT. LITCHFIELD.

Holmes	72	88	68	228
Bates	81	81	81	243
Crossley	88	91	74	253
Nickerson	86	82	82	250
Litchfield	92	90	88	270
	419	432	393	1244

DELL WINS ROLLOFF

J. Dell with 316 won the rolloff at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday night. All his singles were better than a hundred. Bergfors was second. with 310, Peter Morton, third, 297 and G. Erickson fourth, 288. Dallelucca was given the booby prize.

IN WOLLASTON

Statements of Wollaston Citizens Are Always of Interest to Our Readers.

To many of our readers the streets of Wollaston are almost as familiar as those of our own town, and we are naturally interested to read of happenings there. The following report from a well-known and respected resident will be helpful to numbers of men and women here in Quincy.

P. J. Garrity, National Sailors' Home, Wollaston, Mass., says: "I was so badly troubled by kidney disease that I could hardly work. My back was very lame. It hurt me to stoop over or straighten. The pains never left me, even at night. I could find no position in bed that gave me any ease. I had to get up during the night as often as ten times to pass the kidney secretions. I could see that my health and strength were declining and was at a loss to know what to do, as the various remedies and different treatments I had tried had been useless. Doan's Kidney Pills were strongly recommended to me one day and I began using them. Before I had finished the fourth box, my old-time strength and health had returned."

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TEAMS SMASH NO RECORDS

QUINCY CHURCH LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pinfall
Rand	29	11	12869
Makaria	28	12	13173
Davis	26	14	13023
Pilgrim	16	24	12717
Clarke	16	24	12559
O. U. B.	6	34	11970

High individual string, Jones and Tytler 118.
High three string, Nicoll 318.
High team single, Makaria 520.
High team total Makaria 1506.

League records were not smashed at Wardwell's Wednesday evening but the leading teams clashed and but for a tumble in the last string the Makaria and Rand classes would be tied for first place. A poor showing in third string gave the Rands first place by one point. The Davis class beat the Pilgrims 4 to 0 and the O. U. B. and Clarke classes divided the points. The officials of the league will meet at the Makaria room next Monday to decide on league prizes.

DAVIS CLASS 4—PILGRIM 0.

DAVIS CLASS.

Wilson	91	97	82	270
Smith	89	73	93	255
Harling	86	84	76	246
Neil	95	85	83	263
Doff	88	97	102	287
	449	436	436	1321

PILGRIM CLASS.

Chisholm	74	81	76	231
Moe	67	70	77	214
Dummy	80	73	100	253
MacQueen	79	90	76	245
Lang	82	81	102	265
	382	395	431	1208

MAKARIA 3—RAND CLASS 1.

MAKARIA CLASS.

Nicoll	99	105	86	290
Jones	78	92	78	248
McFarlane	98	92	90	280
Prescott	92	75	77	244
Brookes	103	109	83	295
	470	473	414	1357

RAND CLASS.

Cahill	87	104	86	277
Cahill	83	82	92	257
Machay	87	78	99	264
Cahill	76	93	79	248
Rhodes	85	89	100	274
	418	446	456	1320

O. U. B. CLASS 2—CLARKE CLASS 2.

O. U. B. CLASS.

Dorley	76	88	90	254
Maver	67	86	75	228
Dorley	94	71	76	241
Burrell	69	90	66	225
Sprague	82	80	78	240
	388	415	385	1188

CLARKE CLASS.

Imray	68	67	72	207
Marini	89	71	86	246
Tinney	74	68	91	233
Imray	85	95	72	252
Craig	84	82	83	249
	400	383	404	1187

ON DANGEROUS LIST.

Three physicians operated on Thomas Doyle of Ballou street at the Quincy City Hospital Wednesday. Although he is on the dangerous list he is resting comfortably and is expected to recover.

Doyle suffered an acute attack of appendicitis Wednesday afternoon and his physician ordered him to the hospital without delay. The operation was performed directly after his arrival by Drs. Hunting, Reardon and Sargent.

EXAMINES FIRE APPARATUS.

Mayor Wants to Know What is Wrong With Atlantic Combination.

The Mayor has taken up the matter of the fire apparatus at Atlantic in earnest and today he sent several experts to the station to examine the apparatus thoroughly and find out just what the trouble was. The apparatus itself is all right and as far as can be learned thus far the trouble is largely with the engine. The mayor, however says that one trouble he found was that the tires are of hard rubber and that when the apparatus is in motion the engine is apt to be jarred out of adjustment.

SERVICES FRIDAY.

The funeral of Olga Lundquist, whose death at the City Hospital followed an operation, will be held Friday afternoon in the Swedish Lutheran church. Miss Lundquist was recording secretary for five years of Circle Daughters Viking, C. F. of A., and her death came as a shock to its members.

RAID EXECUTED IN DARKNESS

Germans Used Aeroplanes In Dropping Deadly Bombs

JOURNEY ACROSS NORTH SEA

Great Skill Shown by Airmen In Attack on English Coast Towns—At Least Four Persons Killed by Hostile Fleet—London Prepared to Repel Just Such an Invasion—Land Fighting Consists Largely of Artillery Duels—Heavy Attack by German Forces In West Is Predicted—Russians Report Repulse of Attacking Forces In the East

London, Jan. 21.—Growing conviction that aeroplanes, not the Zeppelin terrors, made the daring attack upon the east coast has done much to calm the minds of terror-stricken Londoners.

Despite the definite statement of several persons that they saw Zeppelins, officials of the cities visited by the raiders express their doubts. The belief that the bombs were dropped from aeroplanes and not from dirigibles is supported by the statements of the police at Yarmouth, who say the outlines of the invaders were plainly visible in the early evening sky. They are positive the raiders piloted aeroplanes.

All the raiding airships escaped. Dispatches from Hunstanton, near the raided area, deny the report that an airship was brought down there by the fire of warships off the coast. On the contrary, it is stated, an airship was sighted drifting leisurely seaward, apparently returning to the German aircraft base at Cuxhaven.

Unofficial reports from Amsterdam brought word that three airships, flying eastward, were sighted off the coast of Holland Wednesday. They are believed to have been returning from the attack.

The number of persons killed in the attack by the German airships has been definitely placed at four. Reports concerning the number of aircraft engaged range from three to six, with the latter figure generally accepted. Because the raid as executed in the darkness, reports are most conflicting.

The air raiders did not visit London. After throwing terror into the hearts of residents of east coast towns, the fleet apparently turned eastward shortly after midnight and sailed back across the North sea.

Squadron Divided

One report had it that on reaching the English coast, the squadron divided, part of the airships flying to the north to attack Yarmouth and other coast cities, while others flew southward to attack London. This report placed the number of airships in the raiding party at six.

The cities and towns known to have been bombarded are the following: Yarmouth, Kings Lynn, Sherringham, Snettisham, Gorleston, Grimston, Beeston, Dorsingham and the environs of Sandringham.

All of these were attacked within a few hours, and telephone wires were hot with warnings to interior cities of the approach of the raiders.

Preparations to repel just such an invasion had been made months ago in London. When the news reached London special forces of constables rushed to the northward in motor cars, hoping to sight the approaching airships in time to warn the city. Batteries of anti-aircraft guns were trained on the northern sky, and giant searchlights swept the horizon. Fears of a raid on London were not wholly dispelled until after dawn, when the Amsterdam dispatches reported the return of the airships.

In all probability, the airship squadron started from the German aerial base at Cuxhaven. Weather conditions were unusually favorable, and the giant airships so timed themselves as to sweep over the 300 intervening miles of North sea and arrive off the English coast just after darkness settled down.

On the Battlefields

The battles both in the east and the west now consist largely of artillery engagements with occasional attacks by the infantry. The French caim to have made further progress in the region of Pont-a-Mousson, to which military men attach so much importance.

It is predicted that the Germans will launch a heavy offensive, as they did with great success at Soissons, to put a stop to the French advance toward the roads leading to Metz.

The Germans have captured some more trenches in the Argonne, but, according to the French official report, these trenches were retaken.

The only other matter of importance disclosed by the official statements is an intimation in the Berlin communication that the Germans have taken a counter offensive in Alsace.

In Poland and western Galicia the Germans and Austrians continue isolated attacks against the Russian lines, which, according to the Russian report, have been repulsed with heavy losses to the attacking forces.

Nearing Roumanian Borders

The Russians are advancing slowly through the mountains separating Bukowina and Transylvania and are approaching Dorna Watra, a town of some importance near the Roumanian border.

As for the Turkish Caucasian army, it is believed it will not retire to Erzerum, but will be put in readiness for defense against the Russians when they decide to advance.

It is considered likely, however, that the Russians will be content for the present with the successes already gained in this region and turn their attention to the Turkish forces in Azerbaijan before invading Turkey.

THE DACIA CONTROVERSY

Great Britain Alone Knows Whether Vessel Will Be Held Up

The next move in the proposed sailing of the steamer Dacia, now lying off Port Arthur, Tex., with a cotton cargo, is distinctly up to Great Britain.

Whether that nation will carry out her implied threat to hold up the vessel and test her transfer from German to United States registry is known only to the British government.

In the meantime the United States government is prepared to use its entire legal machinery in establishing the right of the vessel to come under American registry and sail with cotton either to Rotterdam or Bremen. While government insurance may not be issued to her, she will, in all other respects, have the fullest sanction and protection of the United States administration.

CUTRIGHT "RECALLED"

Bryan's Statement Concerning the Vice Consul at Nottingham

John L. Cutright, American vice consul at Nottingham, Eng., was recalled, according to a statement by Secretary Bryan, because a letter written by Cutright and published in an Omaha paper "contained expressions of opinion in regard to the war."

A report from Nottingham said Cutright had left there for London after being informed by the mayor and other city officials that he would no longer be acceptable as vice consul.

Bryan's statement declares that the state department has no confirmation from Nottingham that Cutright had been informed that his presence there as an official was objectionable.

AUSTRALIA FEARS ATTACK

Seat of Government Moves From Melbourne to Sydney

A dispatch from Melbourne says the seat of the government of the Australian commonwealth has been moved from that city to Sydney. No reason is given.

This action by the Australian government indicates that the authorities of Melbourne fear an attack by German warships.

The high commissioner of Australia in London, Sir George Reid, says he is unable to throw any light on the move unless it be connected with the question of defense, Sydney being the main centre of the naval and military forces of the commonwealth.

White House Baby Will Be Francis

Washington, Jan. 21.—Francis Sayre will be the name of the new White House baby, in accordance with the wishes of President Wilson.

MR. AND MRS. LONSDALE.

English Reservist, a Prisoner, Sentenced to Die For Assault On a German Guard in Camp.



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England is stirred by the action of German authorities in condemning Private William Lonsdale to death. He, a volunteer in the British army in France, was taken prisoner by the Germans and while in the detention camp is alleged to have made an assault on the German guard. He has not yet been executed. Lonsdale has a wife and two children in Leeds, Eng.

ROLL IN FORE RIVER LEAGUE

The Shipfitters and Machine Gallery, first division teams of the Fore River league split the points in a postponed match at the Coliseum alleys Wednesday evening. Hynes got high single of 110 and Morgan took the total with 307.

M GALLERY.

Djerf	90	108	86	284
Morgan	106	105	96	307
Moran	90	79	78	247
Carlson	78	85	93	256
Tirrell	91	92	103	286
	455	469	456	1280

S DEPT.

Dobos	83	84	84	251
Mahoney	74	91	85	250
Hynes	93	96	110	299
Smith	68	84	104	256
Olindy	80	99	91	270
	398	454	474	1326

DECREASE IN AUTO PRICES

To the visitors who go to the Boston Automobile Show which is to be held in Mechanics Building, March 6 to 13, not merely for the general effect but to study the cars, the outstanding feature of the exhibition will be the great reduction in price accompanied by a corresponding gain in quality which marks the 1915 models. This feature is hardly less remarkable, indeed, than the expansion of the automobile industry itself. With its growth in mere numbers of autos turned out, has come an enormous growth in value, and this is particularly true of the present season.

Mechanically there is much to attract the interest of the auto enthusiast. The eight cylinder car, of which there will be at least four makes at the show, all employ a motor of the so-called V type in which two sets of four cylinders each form an open "V" above the crank case. "The eight" has had a trial in France, but this is the first season in which this type has appeared in American cars.

Another interesting mechanical innovation is a so-called magnetic car, which combines the motor and driving factors of the ordinary gasoline type with an electric clutch or transmission which does away with many of the usual working parts and gives, in addition, an almost infinite range of speed variations and ratios. Other things worth inspecting in the field of mechanics this year include the vacuum system of feeding gasoline to the carburetor, ignition by storage battery rather than magneto, and improvements in the electrical features of the cars such as self-starters and lighting systems.

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Sheriff's Sale

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss.
Quincy, December 3, A. D., 1914.

Seized on execution and will be sold at public auction on Saturday the 23rd day of January, A. D., 1915, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence No. 163 Franklin Street, in said Quincy, all the right, title and interest which Samuel M. Harmon, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the said 8th day of December, at five o'clock and thirty minutes P. M. the time the same was seized on execution, in and to the following described real estate, the record or legal title standing in the name of Lydia W. Harmon, to wit:—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of said Quincy called Wollaston, being a portion of the Lot No. 9 and the whole of Lot No. 10 in Block One of Section 2 as shown on a plan of said Sections drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 402, the said lots being bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly on Highland Avenue 150 feet; Southeasterly on lot 8 in said Block 175 feet; Southwesterly on land of the Wollaston Land Associates 150 feet; Northwesterly on lot 11 in said Block 175 feet. Hereby conveying all of said two lots except so much of said lot 9 as has been conveyed by S. Milton Harmon to A. C. Sprague and Elizabeth I. Nesbett.

GEORGE H. FIELD,
Deputy Sheriff.
3t Jan. 7-14-21

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

For breach of the condition of a certain mortgage deed given by Katherine G. Wagner to Emily H. Burdett dated April 27, 1909, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 1103 page 375, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday the sixth day of February 1915 at 3 o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described substantially as follows;

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, Massachusetts, known as Wollaston, being lot B, on a plan by H. F. Whitman, C. E. recorded Norfolk Deeds, Book 997 page 587, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Prospect Avenue eighty-seven (87) feet distant from South Central Avenue at the Northwesterly corner of Lot A. on said plan, thence running fifty-five (55) feet along said Prospect Avenue to Lot C. as shown on said plan; thence turning and running along said lot C. seventy-five (75) feet to the easterly corner of said lot C.; thence turning and running fifty-five (55) feet to the Northerly corner of said lot A.; thence turning and runing along said lot A. seventy-five (75) feet to the point of beginning, containing according to said plan 4125 square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Katherine G. Wagner by George H. S. Soule by deed recorded with said mortgage, and the premises will be sold subject to the restrictions referred to in said deed.

The premises will be sold subject to unpaid taxes, assessments or liens if any. A deposit of $300. will be required at the time and place of sale. Balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

James H. Burdett and Albert F. Burdett Executors of the will of Emily H. Burdett, Mortgagee.
J. H. Soliday, Atty.
Dedham, Mass.
3t Jan. 7-14-21

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen A. Markham late of Quincy in said County deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John D. Mackay of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 14-21-28

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I.

Emma Saxon tremulously pressed backward against the partition of her employer's private office and steadied her suddenly throbbing palms on the cool glass.

Beyond the partition, in the workroom of Miss Gardner's typewriting agency, the girls had closed their machines for the day. They chatted softly and gayly while they adjusted incredible hats over miraculous coiffures. From the lavatory drifted the faint, clean odor of perfumed soap.

"The name—did you say the name was Mrs. Franklin Trent?" faltered Emma.

"Yes, yes," Miss Gardner replied from her desk. "You must have noticed the name in the newspapers. This Mrs. Franklin Trent needs another social secretary for awhile. She will see you at 6. The house is on Fifth avenue, and here's the address and your stage fare."

Emma's slender fingers shook a little when she picked up the coin and the card, and Miss Gardner frowned impatiently.

"Now, for heaven's sake, Emma, don't get rattled!"

"But, if you please, Miss Gardner, I can't—I would rather not go."

"What do you think I pay you for?" snapped Miss Gardner. "You bet you'll go or else"—

"Very well, I'll be there at 6," murmured Emma Saxon.

"I guess I made no mistake in sending Saxon on this job," remarked Miss Gardner to her blotting pad. "If all you hear about Franklin Trent is true his wife wouldn't be keen about having any chatty young piece of dress goods around the house. Poor old Emma's over forty and the best hand in the shop at that."

Emma sidled into the elevator, packed at this hour with noisy clerks and giggling stenographers. She had worked in Miss Gardner's agency for half a year, but she had made no acquaintances elsewhere in the building. Her cold, tired face, with its pathetic traces of former beauty, somehow kept people from her.

Broadway was aglow and flashing. Emma glanced at an illuminated clock and knotted her coin thriftily in a handkerchief. The pavement was slushy with melted snow, and her shoes were worn, but 10 cents meant a breakfast, and she had time enough to walk.

Finally a cross town street led her to Mrs. Franklin Trent's magnificent new house on the avenue. Emma had never identified it before. The ornate front of the stone mansion, a jumble of costly carving, was an architectural joke, but Emma did not seem to be amused. Her lips shivered strangely as she climbed the broad steps.

For the house would have been her own if she in her father's orchard twenty years ago had whispered a "yes" instead of a "no" to young Frank Trent on the night when he left their Connecticut village to seek his fortune in the western copper mines.

II.

A liveried footman swung the heavy door and surveyed Emma Saxon briefly.

"If you please, I—I have an appointment here at 6," said she, and offered Miss Gardner's card.

"Other entrance," said the footman.

But a trim lady's maid now appeared from behind a pillar.

"One minute, Mr. Hibbs," she interposed, scanning the card. "Madam expects a—oh, yes! I will bring her to madam. It will be quicker so."

The maid crossed the lofty hall, and Emma followed, with shoulders bent, as if the luxury of the house oppressed them like a burden. Mr. Hibbs yawned, examining his finger nails.

At a door near the head of the staircase Emma's guide pressed the concealed knob of an electric annunciator. A second maid opened the door silently, placed the card on a silver tray and left Emma waiting behind a half drawn portiere of rosy silk.

Beyond the curtain was an octagonal room paneled in rose Du Barry brocade. The furniture was covered with Gobelin tapestry, and on a couch reclined a lady whose flowing gown had the color and sheen of morning cobwebs in a dewy garden. Another woman, soberly dressed in brown, sat at a marqueterie desk, but Emma looked only at the lady on the couch. Never had she looked at such a beautiful creature.

"Madam will receive you," said the maid.

"Is that Mrs. Trent—on the sofa?" gasped Emma.

"Of course," breathed the servant, with much disdain.

Emma advanced into the room. The lady raised her graceful, tawny haired head from the heap of pillows, and her voice was kind and musical.

"This is Miss Saxon?"

"My name is Saxon, ma'am. I am from the Gardner agency."

"Yes," said Mrs. Trent. "I shall need a secretary for a few weeks to assist Miss Vosper," and she indicated, with a jeweled hand, the woman at the desk.

"I have always given satisfaction, ma'am, as a stenographer and typewriter," ventured Emma.

Mrs. Trent's good humored smile was very winning.

"I am sure of that, but a pen writer is what I need," she rejoined quietly. "My correspondence, I fear, is too trivial to be typed. So may I trouble you for a sample of your handwriting? That is the whole point, you know."

"Certainly, ma'am," Emma said.

Miss Vosper arose, and Emma seated herself in the desk chair. An angle of the wall was between the desk and the couch. She heard Miss Vosper reading a concert program to Mrs. Trent.

Emma found a blank sheet of crested paper underneath a manuscript list of charitable hospitals on the desk. She selected one of the mother-of-pearl penholders, consulted the jade inkstand and wondered what she ought to write. Then she turned her perplexed glance, and it met the pictured face of Franklin Trent. She had not seen him for twenty years.

Middle age had marked him but slightly. Framed by a wide band of gold, the masterful, handsome face was that of the boy who had vainly implored Emma to love him. It almost seemed that he was imploring her now, so perfect was the portraiture and so vivid was her remembrance.

As she gazed at the photograph she became a girl again. She fancied that she was aware of the pure fragrance of apple blossoms, the sleepy twittering of nested birds, the timid luster of early stars. The lurking dread slowly vanished from her eyes. That queer shadow of apprehension which had darkened them for an hour was lifted. A resolute, eager light replaced it. She was like one lost in a dreary swamp, who suddenly finds a safe path homeward.

Miss Vosper coughed suggestively.

"I beg your pardon," Emma acknowledged, and she wrote the names of the months on the sheet of paper and submitted it to Mrs. Trent.

The lady examined it with regretful scrutiny. Emma's handwriting, in fact, was the commonplace script of an old fashioned copybook, devoid of distinction and character.

"I'm so sorry," decided Mrs. Trent gently, "but really I fear—I'm so sorry to disappoint you!"

"It's only an ordinary workaday hand, ma'am, and, if you'll excuse me, I'm not disappointed."

"Not disappointed?" murmured Mrs. Trent. She smiled thoughtfully at Emma, vaguely impressed by some elusive change in the bearing and voice of this gray, shabby woman.

Mrs. Trent sighed without knowing why and moved petulantly among the velvet pillows.

"Are you going back to the agency this evening, Miss Saxon?"

"No, ma'am. I am going—somewhere else."

"I shall take care that your employer doesn't criticise you because I sent you away. Miss Vosper shall attend to that in the morning. Good night."

"Thank you, ma'am, and goodby," said Emma, smiling inscrutably.

III.

The supercilious maid led Emma haughtily down rear stairs to the servants' entrance, but Emma was untouched by the slight or by the grim mockery of such a departure from the house which might have been hers. The determined smile was still upon her face. She walked erect now, with her shoulders squared. In the street she turned her back on the glare of the splendid avenue and set off at a brisk pace toward the east.

With lips parted expectantly and firm chin pointed upward Emma hurried on, like one speeding to a goal.

A blue cloaked and blue bonneted girl emerged from a saloon jingling an alms box of the Salvation Army. Emma tugged a coin from her knotted handkerchief and dropped her pittance in the box.

"God bless you for it!" muttered the girl.

Emma did not pause to hear the benediction. She turned the corner into a side street. It was a street of old brick houses converted into tenements. Beyond the distant end of it, under the lights of a towering bridge, was revealed the sullen current of the river.

The shadowy street would have been quiet had it not been for the countless children, but over sidewalk, curb and housetops they swarmed like frenzied bees. A desperate bandit of seven years triumphantly caught and held Emma's skirt as she passed. She bent down to loosen the chubby fist and found that for lack of breath she could hardly speak.

She waited for a minute among the children, with a hand on her leaping heart. Then she went into the tenement house and up the sagging and narrow stairs.

The humble room which Emma entered was poorly furnished, but very neat and clean. A man sat beside the lamp, reading a book. He looked up pleasantly—a tall, powerful man, although he had the bleached face of an invalid. One of his arms was in a sling.

"Why, Emmy," said he. "What is it?"

She stared at him with shining, brimming eyes. The breath caught again in her throat, and she could not speak.

"What's the matter?" he demanded, rising with quick anxiety. "I've such glorious news, Em! The doctor swears that I'll be back at work within a month! Thank heaven, you won't much longer have to—why, Emmy, lass, whatever has come to you?"

Emma clasped him in her embrace.

"Oh, my husband!" she cried brokenly. "I was afraid—afraid—but I have seen without envy what might have been, and it has been proved to me—proved that I could never have cared for any one but you. And, John, I love you so—I love you so!"

FOOD SUPPLIES AND SHELTER

Most Pressing Needs of Earthquake Sufferers in Italy

ROME HOSPITALS ARE FULL

Ten Thousand Injured Brought to Capital From Devastated Region—Sufferings of Survivors Aggravated by Heavy Snow and Severe Cold—Wolves Preying on Small Villages

Rome, Jan. 21.—The number of injured persons brought to Rome from the region visited by the earthquake has reached 10,000. Temporary hospitals have been established in schools and barracks.

King Victor Emmanuel, who has been traveling through the stricken region, visited Pescina and personally directed the work of rescue and the construction of temporary shelters for survivors.

Thomas N. Page, the American ambassador, who has visited the earthquake district, was asked for an impression of his visit. In reply he said he was struck by the desperate condition everywhere and the appalling magnitude of the destruction, covering as it did a whole territory once full of flourishing towns and villages.

While practically the entire population, he said, is living in the open air, with only a few people in temporary huts, he considers that the relief organization is now very efficient, as soldiers have reached every devastated place.

The first need now, the ambassador said, is not only daily food but an assurance of regular supplies and shelter throughout the district, as the houses, even when not destroyed, are so shaken that the people have abandoned them.

The sufferings of the surviving victims, particularly to the southeast of Avezzano, have been greatly aggravated by the sudden change in the weather, bitter cold and a heavy snowfall having succeeded the recent bright, dry weather.

The snow, which began to fall early Tuesday afternoon, penetrated the huts which shelter a few of the thousands of homeless. Fortunately, the relief work appears to be well organized, so that practically all of the larger places that have been devastated are receiving attention.

Between Pescina, San Benedetto and Gioja-de-Marsi great cracks and depressions are visible in the roads and fields.

Gioja suffered more severely than any other place destroyed by the earthquake. Only about one-fifth of the population was saved, 700 persons out of 3682. Four women were taken alive from the ruins Wednesday.

The destruction of all buildings in the town is even more complete than in Avezzano, for only a single wall in the place is standing above the height of the first floor.

Many women were at mass in Gioja when the church fell in, but only the priest escaped. Five hundred soldiers are guarding the property in the ruins, which is more valuable than at other places.

Snow continued to fall throughout yesterday, and in the Apennines reached a depth of several feet, adding to the suffering of the people, and in some instances causing death.

Wolves, driven by hunger, have left their dens on the tops of the mountains, especially Mt. Sirente, which is 7000 feet high, and attacked small villages.

Near Ajelli they tried to dig up the newly buried bodies of the dead. They were hunted by soldiers, and several of them killed. The others escaped.

HELD AS A SLAYER

Boston Man Is Charged With the Murder of Druggist Morrill

Boston, Jan. 21.—John H. Griffin of this city was accused in the Brookline court of the murder of Charles J. Merrill, manager of the Hitchcock drugstore, who was shot and killed in the store last Nov. 20. Griffin, who is 40 and married, pleaded not guilty and was held without bail for a hearing Saturday.

Michael W. Carboni, a detective, was held in $500 as a witness. The police said Carboni had volunteered evidence.

Girl Flogged by Night Riders

Louisville, Jan. 21.—Night riders visited the home of Miles Duvall at Litchfield during the absence of the family, seized his daughter Nellie, 19 years old, and flogged her severely. Three arrests were made.

Woman Suffrage Bill in Maine

Augusta, Me., Jan. 21.—A resolve proposing an amendment to the constitution to give political rights to women on equal terms with men was introduced in the legislature.

New Head of State Prison

Augusta, Me., Jan. 21.—Elmer H. Waterhouse of Portland was nominated warden of the state prison by Governor Curtis in place of Frank J. Ham of Augusta, who will retire.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons Wins Divorce

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Julia Fitzsimmons obtained a divorce from Robert Fitzsimmons, formerly world's champion heavyweight pugilist. She charged cruelty.

FOUND DEAD IN CHEST

Woman's Mysterious Death Being Investigated by Pittsburg Police

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—Huddled in a crouching posture, the body of Mrs. Minnie Hunter, 39 years old, who had been missing since Monday afternoon, was found by her husbad when he lifted the lid of a cedar chest in their home.

Hunter and his son had slept within a few feet of the chest. According to the report of Deputy Coroner Over, Mrs. Hunter's death was caused by suffocation. No marks of violence were on her body.

The chest is about four feet long, two feet wide and about three feet deep, and has a heavy lid. Mrs. Hunter's furs were found in it.

Dr. Donaldson said that, from all appearances, death was accidental. He added: "Mrs. Hunter had a rheumatic heart and I have frequently been called to treat her for this trouble. It appeared to me as though she had been stricken and fallen into the chest."

Despite the statement given out by Donaldson, the police are still working on the case, which they claim has peculiar angles.

CELEBRATION IS INSURED

Allegheny College Will Receive $5000 If Rain Mars Its Pageant

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—If there happens to be rain about 4 o'clock on the afternoon of next June 21, 22 and 23 on the campus of Allegheny college at Meadville, a check for $5000 will change hands as a result.

But if the sun goes down over the hill in a guaranteed saffron glow it will be quite different. For in that case the historical pageant which is to mark the 100th anniversary of the founding of the college will be assured the natural lighting effects which are absolutely necessary for its production.

The committee in charge has insured the climatic conditions for the days of the pageant with Lloyds, who will distribute the $5000 insurance among various insurance companies. The guarantee fund subscribed by fifty alumni will pe partly applied to cover the cost of the premiums.

DEPUTIES UNDER $2000 BAIL EACH

Batch Charged With Manslaughter In Strike Shooting

Rooseveit, N. J., Jan. 21.—With twenty-two deputy sheriffs named as defendants in a blanket warrant charging manslaughter, investigation are under way by the federal commission on industrial relations and the prosecutor of Middlesex county into the shooting here of nineteen striking employes of the American Agricultural Chemical company.

Desidori Alesandro died from gunshot wounds received during the clash with deputies guarding one of the company's fertilizer plants and several others of the strikers are in a serious condition.

Twenty-one of the deputies pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Judge Daley in New Brunswick and were released in bail of $2000 each, bonds being furnished by a surety company. They were sent back to guard the company's property. Counsel for the other deputy named in the warrant said his client would appear for pleading today.

BOY KILLS HIS BROTHER

Thirteen-Year-Old Is Locked Up in Boston Police Station

Boston, Jan. 21.—John H. Murphy, Jr., not yet 14, upset the platter of hamburg steak at the family supper table at his home at 6 Grant street, Dorchester, last night.

This made his older brother, William P. Murphy, 17, angry, and the boys got into a tussle, in the course of which John drew a jackknife and stabbed William under the heart. The big boy almost instantly died in the presence of his horrified mother and sisters.

John cried himself to sleep in the Dorchester police station, with the sympathetic officers doing all in their power to comfort the little fellow for "sticking the knife into William when he didn't mean to." He is held as "a delinquent child; to wit, stabbing his brother and causing his death."

Judge Carroll Promoted

Boston, Jan. 21.—Judge James B. Carroll of Springfield, who was given his place on the superior court bench only a few weeks ago, was promoted by Governor Walsh to the supreme court to succeed Justice Henry N. Sheldon, retired.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The annual catalog of Brown university reports the total general endowment as $4,446,243, a gain of $3,320,000 during the administration of President Faunce.

"King," a young and vigorous lion at the New York Hippodrome, was successfully operated on for two abscesses after a hard battle.

The noted economist, Eugene Rostand, father of Edmond Rostand, the poet, died at Paris. He was born in 1843.

James Hamson applied the match that burned the last mortgage on the Elks' home at Worcester, Mass.

HUSTLE SQUAD TO GET BUSY

Appoint Committee to Hurry New Washington School

A well attended meeting of the Parents' and Teachers' Association of the Washington School was held in the school building on Wednesday evening. An interesting program was followed by a business meeting. E. P. Barrows, president, in the chair.

The first number on the program was a group of folk dances by the Blue Birds, under the direction of Miss Ruth Bass, assisted by Miss Doris Peterson, Miss Marion Peterson, Miss Mabel Roache and Miss Jennie Gibb. The Blue Birds all pupils of the Washington school, are Isabelle Crane, Margaret Foster Ina Hendry, Margaret Holden, Ruth Hoyle, Lorretta Lane, Edith Lee, Amelia Leet, Agnes MacBrayne, Clara McKenzie, Annie Murdock Grace Oliver, Hildier Wesson.

This was followed by the speaker of the evening, F. B. Wadsworth agent of the State Board of Education, whose subject was "Team Play Between the School and the Home." Mr. Wadsworth is an exceptionally clear and convincing speaker and his remarks were very interesting and appropriate to the occasion.

After the reading of the secretary's report by Mrs. Thompson B. Crane, Mrs. Jethro Mellen, chairman of the Educational Committee of the Women's Club, announced that the Women's Club had decided to commemorate its tenth anniversary, which occurs on February 23, by providing a school nurse for a year.

At the business meeting, the matter of the new building was discussed. Mr. Pollard, principal of the school, told of the congestion—at present 550 pupils in 10 rooms. Conditions will be even more uncomfortable in a few weeks for at the time of the mid year promotions in February there will be, besides new pupils entering school, 72 pupils in the 6th grade. As these numbers are more than the present building can accommodate the transfer of perhaps 20 pupils to another district will be necessary. Mr. Pollard also spoke of the difficulty of doing justice to the children in their school work under such crowded conditions.

A motion was carried appointing a committee of five, with E. P. Barrows as chairman, to draw up resolutions to present to the city council and to the school committee so that the plans for the new building on the lot recently purchased may be presented and approved and the work got under way. This committee Mr. Barrows referred to as the "hustle" committee and said that the members should get busy at once and do all in their power to secure the new building at the earliest possible date.

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BETHANY MAY REBUILD CHAPEL

Matter Left to Committee at Annual Meeting Last Night

ENJOY ROAST BEEF SUPPER

The question of remodelling or rebuilding the chapel of Bethany church because of the extraordinary growth of the Bible school came up for discussion at the annual meeting of the church Wednesday evening. It was voted either to build a new chapel or to remodel the old one.

The Bethany Women's Union presented to the church $700 as a nucleus for the fund which will be needed.

The matter was then left to a committee which will report on Feb. 3, to which time the church meeting was adjourned. The committee consists of: Melville P. Hayward, E. W. Branch, John F. Hunt, Simeon Scammell and Mrs. Everett Crane.

The Annual meeting was preceded by a hot roast beef supper to which some 300 sat down.

The supper was provided by the Bethany Women's Union and was in charge of those members whose names begin with the middle letters of the alphabet. Mrs. Herbert Pratt was chairman.

The following young women of the church acted as waitresses under the direction of Miss Alice Parker: Florence Hart, Ada Williams, Grace Fisher, Helen Mitchell, Edith Avery, Harriet Griffiths, Annie Jones, Susan Tytler, Wilhelmina Laing, Esther Beckford, Miss Stockford, Edith McVitie, Ethel Beal, Signe Wilbas, Frances Murray, Grace Laing, Ellen Sandison, Florence Sabean, Hazel Sabean, Elizabeth Pratt.

The annual meeting opened at 7.30 P. M., Frank W. Crane, moderator. William F. Hunt was elected treasurer and John F. Hunt, clerk.

On the board of six deacons two are elected yearly. Dr. Cyrus T. Sherman was re-elected and Curtis Pierce was elected to the other vacancy.

John Roberts and Jonathan Swingle were elected to the finance committee.

Mrs. Geo. E. Badger and Mrs. Kate L. Keast were elected to the music committee.

Harry S. Bates was chosen to fill the vacancy on the Prudential committee.

The deaconesses remain the same except that Mrs. Swingle resigned and her place was taken by Mrs. Hart.

F. P. Haughton was elected auditor.

Melville P. Hayward was elected superintendent of the Sunday School.

The treasurer reported that after meeting the expenses of the year $553.12 remains in the treasury.

It was reported that the Bible school had grown to such a size that there was not room to properly accommodate it. The Bible school had 692 active members, or including the cradle roll and home department, 885 The average attendance since October was 500, the largest attendance being on a recent Sunday, when 569 were present.

Sixty four were received into the membership of the church the past year making the total membership 555.

The meeting then adjourned until Feb. 3.

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DEATHS

LUNDQUIST—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Olga E., daughter of Anna C. and the late John A. Lundquist, in her 23rd year.
Funeral services at Swedish Lutheran church Friday, Jan. 22 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 20-2t

MUNDIE—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Alexander Mundie in his 56th year.
Funeral services at late home 106 Independence avenue, Saturday, Jan. 23 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 20-3t

TORREY—In Weymouth, Jan. 20, Alexis Torrey aged 88 years.

BELCHER—In Randolph, Jan. 20, Henry A. Belcher aged 71 years.

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HIGH SCHOOL EASY VICTOR

Mansfield High Gets Shor End of 24 to 8 Score

The Quincy High school basket ball team found the Mansfield High school quintette easy victims in High school gym Wednesday afternoon, the final score being 24 to 8, and the class of 1916 beat the class of 1914, 16 to 12 in a most exciting game.

Although Quincy rolled up a good sized score over the visitors it was due mainly to the aggressive work of Hamlin who tossed six baskets and to Whet Browne who went in the last period in place of Walsford and threw three of the fastest and prettiest baskets ever caged in the gym.

Both of the teams lacked finish in execution and the visitors demonstrated more knowledge of the fundamental principles of the game Quincy played ragged ball in the first period, and so did the Mansfield boys. An improvement, strongly favoring Quincy in the number of points scored was very marked in the last two periods.

Walsford and Beaton's baskets were the result of well directed shots. Hamlin had no difficulty in eluding his opponent and fought his way under the basket each time he found the net.

Browne's three shots were of the hair raising variety. Two were laterals from opposite corners of the gym and were played with lightning speed. The third was thrown from the centre of a group of players after the ball, outside the foul circle.

The toss was a high arc which landed on the top side of the basket blank held to it on its way to the basket where it glanced onto the rim and through the netting.

The three scores seemed to inject a team spirit into Quincy and for the balance of the game they indulged in good basket ball.

Several of the players suffered minor injuries in the game, all the results of collisions or falls. Walsford tripped and struck on the back of his head and was stunned for the moment. He recovered only to get a split upper lip in the next play. Beaton managed to keep his still discolored eye from getting another bang The visitors were given time out several times, each case being the result of their men landing on their noses when falling to the floor.

Captain Willard Crocker who was operated upon to relieve his knee of injuries received in the Quincy-Revere Interscholastic league game watched the game from the side lines for a while. He is still obliged to use crutches but is making good progress.

The class teams game was of a most exciting nature and featured the debut of 82 pound Gus Wester of the East side at right forward. All of the players demonstrated a keen desire for team work, but Wester played the headiest game. Beyond a question he is the smallest framed and lightest weight man who ever donned a suit in the local gym but he made good in every respect. In the last period he twisted his ankle and was withdrawn and the fans believed that the slowing up of the team was due to that. He suffered no serious effects.

Thompson was the marathoner of the bunch. He never stopped covering his man or chasing the ball and although he threw but one basket he made his presence conspicuous by his fast work. Meda at centre made it more than interesting for his opponent and secured the prettiest basket of the junior game. The summaries:

QUINCY	MANSFIELD
Walsford,rf	lb, Vernon
Browne	
Hamlin, lf	rb, Huston
Crosscup, c	c, Horton
Davis, rb	lf, Kennedy
eBaton, lb	rf, Walker

Score Quincy 24—Mansfield 8. Goals from floor Hamlin 6, Browne 3, Walsford, Beaton, Walker, Horton.

Goals from fouls Davis 2, Horton 2, Kennedy, Walker. Referee Thompson Scorer Mansur. Timer Jepson. Time 15 and 2-10 m. pds.

CLASS '16	CLASS '14
McGrath, rf	lb, Treacy
	Thompson
Dennehy, lf	rb, Walker
	Williams
Erickson, c	c, Meda
Sanborn, rb	lf, Nelson
Barbour lb,	rf, Wester
	Peinber

Score Sophomores 16 Seniors 12. Goals from floor Barbour 3, Dennehy 2 Erickson 2, Nelson, Wester Meda, Thompson.

Goals from fouls Nelson 4. Referee French. Scorer Mansur. Timer Jepson. Time 2 15- m pds.

LIEUT. HANSON ASKS PENSION

Oldest Member of Police Department Wishes to be Relieved of Duties

MAYOR APPROVES REQUEST

Lieut. Mark E. Hanson, the oldest member in point of service as well as in age of the police department has filed a request with Mayor Campbell that he be retired on a pension, as provided for by law. The Mayor will forward the communication to the city council at its next meeting with the recommendation that Lieut. Hanson be retired as requested.

Lieut. Hanson is still on duty at police headquarters, doing clerical work which will keep him busy until the city council has acted on the matter. In the mean time Sergt. Ernest Bishop has been assigned to the day desk at the police station.

Lieut. Hanson has been actively engaged in police work in the city for many years. Under the town form of government he was a constable. When the permanent police department was established in 1893 he became a permanent officer and was assigned to night duty at Wollaston. Later he was transferred to duty at the station where he was in charge for a number of years serving from 6 P. M. until 6 A. M. During the first year of ex-Mayor Bryant's administration in 1902 he was made a day officer in charge of the police station, which position he has since held. In 1903 he was promoted to a sergeancy and in 1911 he was promoted to a lieutenancy.

Lieut Hanson was born in Hollis Me., in May 1837, but moved to Palmyra, Me., when very young. He later removed to Massachusetts settling in Roxbury where he resided at the outbreak of the civil war. He immediately enlisted in Co. 1, 22d. Massachusetts Regt. and went to the front with the regiment with which Lieut. Col. Nelson A. Miles made his first campaign. He took part in the battles of Gettysburg, Pottsylvania, Cold Harbor, Petersburg and other famous battles.

Returning home after the war he followed the trade of a carpenter and for many years had charge of the carpentry work of the late Henry H. Faxon. He is a member of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R. and has held several offices in that association at present being the post's commander. Lieut. Hanson resides at 963 Hancock street with his three daughters. He also has a son who resides in Providence, R. I.

BASEBALL SUIT IS ON

Federals' Attorney Arraigns Powers That Control National Game

Chicago, Jan. 21.—The powers that control organized baseball, or at least are said to control it, were described as oppressors of minor leagues and ball players by Keene Addington, chief of counsel for the Federal league, in his opening address in the anti-trust suit against the national commission, the American league and the National league.

Addington cited features of the national agreement, decisions of the national commission and general practises of baseball authorities to show that the game is governed by a group having almost absolute power, with authority to make laws, judge of infractions and impose penalties for infractions.

Addington had not finished his opening argument when court adjourned last night.

The Only Men Who Know.



"How do you know that fellow we met last night was a bachelor?"

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BABIES BORN IN THE WHITE HOUSE

President's Grandson First Boy Since Tyler's Time.

ONE NOTABLE CHRISTENING.

First Child Having Honor of Being Born In Historic Mansion Was James Madison Randolph, Son of Martha Jefferson Randolph, Daughter of President Jefferson.

The baby born to Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, daughter of President Wilson, is the first boy born in the White House since Tyler was president. The last one was a grandson of President Tyler. The only living persons, except the new White House baby, who were born in the historic mansion are the Princess Cantacuzene of Russia, who was Miss Julia Dent Grant, daughter of the late Major General Frederick Dent Grant, and Miss Esther Cleveland, second daughter of President Cleveland. Miss Cleveland was born in September, 1893.

Besides the Sayre baby ten other children, six girls and four boys, have been born in the White House, most of them being the grandsons or granddaughters of presidents.

The first child having the honor of being born in the historic mansion was James Madison Randolph, the son of Martha Jefferson Randolph, the daughter of President Jefferson. The baby came during a visit of Mrs. Randolph to the White House in the winter of 1805-6.

There were no births in the White House during the administrations of Presidents Madison and Monroe. During the term of John Quincy Adams a granddaughter, Mary Louise Adams, was born in February, 1828. While Andrew Jackson was president four children were born there, the sons and daughters of Major Andrew J. Donelson, General Jackson's protege and private secretary, and Mrs. Donelson, the president's niece. Mrs. Donelson was mistress of the White House following Mrs. Jackson's death.

Big Christening Ceremony.

Two of her children were boys and two were girls. Their christenings were occasions of great ceremony. President Jackson being godfather to two of them and Martin Van Buren and General Polk acting in similar capacities for the other two.

During the administrations of Presidents Van Buren and William Henry Harrison no children were born in the White House, but two came during Tyler's term of office. The first was Letitia Tyler, granddaughter of the president and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tyler. The second was Robert Jones, youngest son of Mrs. Mary Jones, daughter of the president, and Henry Lightfoot Jones. Robert Jones fought in General Lee's army during the civil war and was promoted for gallantry at the battle of Gettysburg.

The administrations of Presidents Polk, Taylor, Fillmore, Pierce, Lincoln and Johnson passed without births in the executive mansion. During the term of President Grant a daughter—Julia—was born to Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, the wife of a son of the president, on June 7, 1876. Esther Cleveland, the daughter of President and Mrs. Cleveland, was the only child of a president ever born in the White House.

Another daughter was born to President and Mrs. Cleveland during Mr. Cleveland's second term as president, but this event took place at Marion, Mass., on Buzzard's bay, where the family were occupying a cottage. The first child of President and Mrs. Cleveland was "Baby Ruth," who died when she was growing into womanhood. She was born in New York city between the two terms served by her father as president.

INFANT SHAPED AS MERMAID.

"White" Child Born of Colored Parents Puzzles Baltimore Scientists.

So strangely proportioned as to resemble strikingly the mythical mermaid, a child born in Salisbury, Md. is now being studied by scientists in the museum of the University hospital in Baltimore.

The freak, though of colored parentage, is as white as ivory, perfectly formed above the waist line, and has normal arms and chest, but from the diaphragm down the body tapers to a point, at which the feet protrude, forming a fanlike, finny substance. The bones of the legs, merged into a solid mass, are covered by rough, partly ossified skin. This scaly covering gives way to white, smooth skin at the waist line.

Dr. Henry Chandlee, X ray expert of the University hospital, has called in scientists, but all are at a loss to explain the monstrosity.

Armor For French Soldier.

Paris Miroir gives photographs of an armored warrior, reminiscent of the crusades, representing the latest French device for safely observing enemies from the nearest French trenches. The armor consists of a half inch chilled steel oblong shield to turn bullets, a headpiece pierced by two eyeholes and a breastplate, the total weight of which is more than sixty pounds. Leg protection is unnecessary, as the soldier's lower half is hidden by his own trench.

VAUDEVILLE SHOW SUCCESS

First Appearance on Stage of Gardner Club

A varied and well balanced vaudeville entertainment was enjoyed by an audience that filled the parish house of Christ church, Wednesday evening. The entertainment was given by the Gardner club and was its first annual show..

Wilson's orchestra played the overture which opened the program, accompanied the singers, and supplied the music for the dancing which followed the vaudeville.

The second number of the program was a pastime duo by Joseph Curry and A. Swanson, the latter causing much amusement in the costume of a woman. As he is well over six feet his soprano voice and ladylike ways were funny. But he made a good-looking girl.

Erastus Osgood entertained with orinigal monologues. His popularity was proven the minute he appeared by the applause, and the whispers that were heard "He's great," "I'm glad he's here," "I just want you to hear him." Mr. Osgood impersonated the various types of people one meets on a commuter's train with versatility and originality, and caused many hearty laughs. He ended with a clever monologue on saving the nickles, accompanying himself with his banjo.

Allen S. Gardner gave a pleasing and much appreciated impersonation of Harry Lauder. His Highland costume and rough cane added much to the reality of the imitation. His facial expression was especially good, a true touch of the only "Harry."

Sketches made in French chalk of Caruso, a boy and an old lady at the "movies," and the end of perfect day, made by Enoch Johnson were extremely good.

Everett M. Clark then gave a real treat in his rendering of "Perfect Day," "I Hear You Calling Me," and "Tip Top Tipperary Mary." Mr. Clark's tenor voice is mellow and true and he received such hearty applause that he had to respond.

The last number was a Dutch restaurant dialogue between Everett McLaughlin as the "long" Dutchman, and Dr. T. H. Veale as the "short" one. They brought forth many laughs.

The committee of arrangements for the entertainment were R. E. Young, Stanley Ross, Everett McLaughlin, Russell Westland and William Clements. The club officers are, R. E. Young, president: Stanley Ross, vice president; Chester Moyle, secretary; Everett McLaughlin, treasurer.

GRANITE NEWS

OUTLOOK BRIGHTENS.

The business outlook in the granite industry of this city seems to be brightening up. Although things have been dull for some months and although many of the cutters have either had to leave town or seek employment at some other line of work, the manufacturers have a lot of work ordered for spring delivery which will necessitate putting on men soon.

SHIPPING LIGHT.

Shipping has been dull all winter both at Quincy Adams and at West Quincy. Neither crane has been kept running more than a few hours a day but they will make up for it in a few weeks when they will be on the jump from whistle to whistle and then have to work overtime.

The storm last week which caused so much damage along the waterfront brought an order to Quincy. The Granite Railway Co. has shipped nine cars of grout to Winthrop to repair damage done there.

GIVE QUINCY FIRST PLACE.

The manufacturers of this city are forced to hold over westerly orders on their books all through the winter owing to the fact that no stone is quarried in Westerly during the cold weather. If the manufacturers would encourage their salesmen to give Quincy granite first preference in making a sale and show the customer its superiority over Westerly in endurance and appearance it would tend to make more business for our own quarries and give more men a chance to get employment. If salesmen would insist on Quincy Granite the workmen would not be idle in the winter and there would not be such a rush around Memorial Day.

Miss Doris Burnham, fifth and sixth grade teacher at the Washington school is ill at her home in Stoughton. Miss Burnham is suffering from a mastoid abcess and it is probable that an operation will not be necessary.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The entertainment committee of the High School Alumni association met at the home of Miss Dorothy Packard, Hancock street, on Wednesday evening. Plans are under way for at least three social events to take place before June.

District Aid Mrs. Mabelle H. Gooding of East Weymouth will install Mrs. Annie Grignon and the other officers of Rebecca Wiswell tent, Daughters of Veterans in Grand Army hall Friday evening. The members of the allied patriotic societies have been invited A social will follow the exercises.

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association of Quincy, at a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Catherine Walsh on Putnam street Wednesday evening arranged for a whist and dancing party in Electa hall on the evening of Feb. 1. Large committees were appointed of which Mrs. Catherine Walsh is chairman.

HOLD WHIST AFTERNOON.

An enjoyable whist afternoon was held Wednesday by the Women's Riverside club. In addition to the whist there was a sale of home made cake and candy. Mrs. Bradford Hayden was the chairman of the committee in charge of the whist and Mrs. Wall and Mrs. Hobart were in charge of the cake and candy sale. Souvenirs were given for the best whist scores.

SERVICES FOR MISS FIELD.

The funeral of Susannah Goddard Field who died Tuesday in her 91st year was held this afternoon from her late home on Franklin street. Services were conducted by Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson of the First Parish church. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Mrs. B. H. Stearns of 40 Green street has the sympathy of many friends in the death of her father, Leroy R. Stearns of Lawrence.

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FIVE KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Boiler Tube Bursts on Cruiser San Diego After Ending Trial Run

NINE OTHERS INJURED

Five men were killed and nine injured on the armored cruiser San Diego this morning when one of the tubes in a boiler exploded. The ship was off the Mexican coast and had just completed a 24 hour trial run when the explosion took place. The engine room was badly damaged.

The San Diego, until a short time ago was the California. The name was changed so a dreadnought could be christened after the Pacific coast state.

SECOND NIGHT BIGGER SUCCESS

Standish Club Repeats Minstrel Show

The second night of the Minstrel show of the Standish club of Atlantic held in Quincy School hall Thursday evening met with even greater success than the first night.

At eight o'clock Provost's orchestra opened the program. Part one then opened with a plantation scene in Old Kentucky. The scene represented a Southern holiday of the plantation hands. Old Black Joe, impersonated by Curtis Hallett, suggested a song and the boys all joined in singing old darkie songs and did the Lazy Coon Dance. Old Black Joe then requested the men to get dressed up to welcome some fair visitors who were coming and the curtain dropped on part One.

When the curtain went up on Part Two the chorus was in place. The young women were dressed in red coats and caps and white skirts while the men were dressed in white coats and caps and white trousers. The chorus sang a minstrel selection and the front row girls and end men entertained with dancing steps. Girls wore fancy red costumes trimmed with spangles while the costumes of the ends were of a deep purple lined and piped with yellow.

The entire company then joined in singing of a series of ragtime songs including: "Aba Daba," "Poor Pauline" "I'm Looking for a Shady Tree" "The High Cost of Loving" "What did Romeo say to Juliet" "Tonight's my last night Single" "When the Great Big Dipper did the Tango" and "If that's your Idea of a Wonderful

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Saturday increasing cloudiness. Probably snow in the afternoon.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.06
Sun sets	4.46
Length of day	9.40
Moon sets	12.33
High water, A. M.	5.00
High water, P. M.	5.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 34 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	32 degrees
Jan. 22, 1914,	26 degrees
Jan. 22, 1913,	40 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

TOKENS OF ESTEEM FOR REV. AYERS

Work Praised at Fifth Annual Meeting of Park and Downs Church

PAST YEAR SUCCESSFUL

Tokens and expressions of appreciation of the services of Rev. William B. Ayers during the five years he has been its pastor marked the annual meeting of the Park and Downs church held Thursday evening in the vestry.

During this period the church under the leadership of its pastor has had a wonderful growth in membership and his emerged from an antiquated wooden structure into a modern stone edifice of beauty and convenience.

Reports of the various officers and allied societies showed the numerical and financial standing to be more favorable than that of a year ago and all of the reports forecasted still greater success in the year to come.

The following officers were elected:

Deacons—Victor Harrie (2 years,) John Stewart, (1 year,) Amory H. Waite (1 year,) A. M. Dingwell, F. W. Knowlton, William J. Colby.

Standing Committee—William B. Holmes, Charles Weeks, William T. Williams, the deacons, pastor, treasurer, clerk and superintendent of the Sunday school.

Trustees—E. L. Blaisdell, chairman, J. A. Zwicker (3 years), W. H. Hazard (1 year,) W. C. Crane.

Clerk—Charles A. Richardson.

Sunday School Superintendent—Victor Harrie.

Assistant Superinteadent—A. S. Hasbrook.

Treasurer—Fred A. D. Maxwell.

Assistant Treasurer—J. H. Kilpatrick.

Music Committee—Emily Bjorkman Mrs. W. N. Hazard.

Auditor—Amory H. Waite

Collectors—Mrs. Fred A. D. Maxwell, Mrs. F. R. Bussler.

Ushers—R. C. Whitford, head usher Alonzo Bissett, Charles Letson, John Dingwell, John Breen, Michael Arenberg.

Calling Committee—Mrs. J. A. Boone, chairman, Mrs. F. C. Blake, Mrs. E. L. Blaisdell, Mrs. Belle G. Lyons, Mrs. Nellie C. Podbury, Mrs. C. E. Weeks, Mrs. Ruth A. Dunmore, Mrs. Florence Wallace.

Victor Harrie presided as moderator and the meeting opened with the roll call and reading of the minutes of last meeting. The report of Charles A. Richardson, the clerk, showed that the church had lost 13 and added 37 during the year, a net gain of 24. The present church membership is 240.

The report of Treasurer Maxwell showed the financial standing of the church to be much better than that of a year ago and with the prospect of a still higher standing in the year to come. A careful and complete report was received from A. H. Waite auditor.

As acting superintendent of the Sunday school Victor Harrie reported a membership of 340, a gain of 50 over the preceding year. The average attendance has been 216, with the highest at 257 and the lowest at 181.

Mrs. J. A. Boone reported that much had been accomplished in the primary department, which now has a membership of 107. A. M. Dingwell, treasurer, and William J. Colby, former superintendent of the Sunday school, both made brief reports.

All of the various officers received hearty votes of appreciation and a vote of condolence was passed for Mrs. Ayers, wife of the pastor, who is on the sick list. Charles A. Richardson reported for the music committee and Miss Daisy Brown for the Christian Endeavor society.

Mrs. C. A. Richardson reported for the Womens Missionary society. As this society was amalgamated with the Women's Guild on December 16th, the report read last night will be the

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AUTOIST LEAVES VICTIM ON ROAD

Injured Man Reports to Police That Driver Did Not Carry Him Home

NUMBER OF AUTO KNOWN

Carl Burns of 139 Kendrick avenue was struck by an auto on South street Thursday evening, on his way home from the Fore River shipyard and is today at his home suffering from the injuries received.

Friends reported the accident at police headquarters and said the driver of the machine stopped and carried him a short distance and then asked him to leave him on the side of the road. They said the machine was numbered 24111 and that they had the names of three witnesses to the affair they asked the police to have it investigated.

JAIL TERM FOR LARCENY OF $1

Catch Thief at Rehearsal of "Priscilla"

A young colored man who gave his name as Howard Clayton and his address as 40 Village street, Boston, was arrested at Music hall Thursday evening on a charge of larceny of a dollar bill, the property of Mrs. E. J. Badger. There was a rehearsal of the opera Priscilla at Music hall Thursday night and Mrs. Badger placed the bill on the window sill and turned away for a minute. It is alleged that Clayton, who had wandered into the hall, stole the money.

Clayton was arraigned in court this morning on the charge of larceny and was given three months in the house of correction.

This morning Capt. McKay started in to make some inquiries about the fellow and learned that he made a specialty of pulling off tricks like that at Music hall. It was learned that he had served two terms for similar work in Boston, also that he had time in Springfield and in New York.

According to the police Clayton watches the papers and follows up such affairs as rehearsals. When searched he had a clipping from a Boston paper about the opera Priscilla being given and knowing that a rehearsal was to be held came to Quincy Thursday night. When he appeared at the hall he told those in charge that he came out from the costumers to look out for them.

Those in charge at Music hall were a little suspicious of him and when the money was missed one went out and got in touch with Inspector Goodhue. The inspector took him to the gallery where the fellow admitted that he had taken the money.

This morning while in communication with Police headquarters requested to have the fellow held that the Boston police might look him over as it was thought he might be wanted by them. He was taken to Dedham jail this noon.

HOLD SERVICES.

The funeral of Volney F. Mitchell held at Memorial Congregational Church of Atlantic at 2 o'clock last Thursday was an excellent tribute to the worth of the man.

The Hobah lodge of Odd Fellows assisted Rev. T. W. Davison in the service, and there were large delegations from the N. Y., N. H., & H. R. R. shops, and also from the New England Order of Protection and other organizations to which the deceased belonged.

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FATHER AND SONS AT Y. M. C. A.

Large Number Sit Down to Tables and Enjoy Speaking on Boys Works

PLAN MOTHERS BANQUET

The big event of the season in the Boys work took place Wednesday evening when the third annual Father and Son Banquet was held in the association hall, or what is now used as the boys rooms.

The ticket of admission for the boys was their father and for those unfortunate enough not to have a father, one was provided, so an equal number of men and boys sat down to the splendid supper which was served promptly at six-thirty.

Previous to gathering in the hall a reception was held in the lobby on the first floor but at the beginning of the strain of a march played by the Wollaston Cadet orchestra, which furnished the music for the evening those assembled on the first floor proceeded to wend their way upward until they arrived in the hall.

The seating arrangement, although it was a hard problem, had been met by the committee and with but little delay the 170 men and boys were seated.

Grace was said by J. A. Sedgwick after which those present proceeded to do away with the good things which had been provided.

The menu consisted of cold stuffed pork, apple sauce, creamed potatoes green peas, cocoa, rolls, ice cream and cake. Following the supper the toastmaster of the evening was introduced by the Boys Work Secretary.

Frederick Tobbenboski presided as toastmaster and although this was his first experience along that line no one would have guessed it as he carried himself as if he was in the habit of doing it every day of the week.

Owing of another very important engagement the main speaker of the evening was called on first having as his topic, "A Boy's Father and a Father's Boys."

Rev. Clarence A. Young of Roxbury, was the first speaker and among other things which he said he emphasized the fact that a closer bond of fellowship should exsist between the fathers and boys. Fathers should show interest in the things which interest the boys such as base ball, football and other games.

Boys should have more respect for their fathers and not call them "The Old Man." Boys should have ideals for the future and should strive to reach their ideals early in life. A man is only as old as he feels and if all have the feeling of helpfulness although they may be old in age they can still remain young in years.

The association is the place where the boys are helped in the carrying out of their ideals and parents should realize this and send their boys where they can receive this training.

The president of the Association, Frank Burgess, spoke on the "Value of Physical Exercise in Every Day Life" and by the vigorous way in which he illustrated his remarks one could see that he practised what he preached. "One of the biggest things in life is good health and money spent in gaining it is well spent," said Mr. Burgess. "Parents at the present time do not pay enough attention to the health of their children. Fathers should set an example to their boys in this respect in order that the boy might get into the habit and gain the benefit derived while young."

J. A. Sedgwick, chairman of the Boys Work Committee spoke briefly,

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FUNERAL NOTICE.
Clan MacGregor, No. 5 O. S. C.
Members are hereby notified of the death of Brother Alexander Mundie, and are requested to meet in Clan MacGregor hall, Saturday, Jan. 23 at 1.30 P. M. to attend the funeral, which will be held from his late residence 106 Independence avenue.
WILLIAM CANTLAY, Chief.
ANGUS KERR, Secretary.
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SOCIETY OBSERVES 40TH ANNIVERSARY

John Gilman Past Commander in Chief of G. A. R., Principal Speaker

ST. MARY'S BANQUET

St. Mary's Catholic Total Abstinence society observed its 40th anniversary with a banquet in its hall on Willard street Thursday night at which the principal speaker was John Gilman, past national commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. He spoke in a reminiscent vein of war in its bitterest phases and the solemn burial of the dead. His thrilling and patriotic closing, declaring he was an American citizen and resented the attempt to disrupt the United States when a boy, even though it did cost him an



THOMAS F. O'BRIEN.
President

arm was so eloquent a tribute to the country it brought members and guests to their feet in cheers.

Mr. Gilman said "I was an ardent American. My father's stories of Irish coercion, were part of my boyhood. I looked upon the country as the only true country and I resented the attempt to disrupt it and I was bound to fight for the country which gave a refuge to my father and mother. That was my incentive.

"I was the only one of the family old enough to pay the debt to the nation which my family owed. I was 17. I have never forgotten America was the panacea of all ills to the Irish of those days. They saw the Goddess of liberty from the Emerald shores, where they could worship their own way, where fredom of conscience was theirs and all asked in return was obedience to her laws. Grandsons of



DR. JOHN A. ASH
Toastmaster

the immigrants, remember you all owe a debt to the country and if the time comes stand by it and pay as I did 50 years ago."

Mr. Gilman was the centre of a group of interesting speakers, which included Fr. Thomas R. McCoy and Fr. William J. Duffy of St. Mary's parish, President Thomas F. O'Brien and former presidents Daniel Duggan, Charles J. McGilvray, William R. Teasdale, the only surviving charter member of the organization, Joseph McGilvray and Lawrence Donovan. Dr. John H. Ash acted as toastmaster.

In presenting Mr. Gilman, Dr. Ash paid a fine tribute to the Civil War veterans. Mr. Gilman was cheered to the echo and given the rebel yell as he arose. For over an hour he told of his war experiences and said that

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MAYORS APPOINTMENTS SHROUDED IN MYSTERY

No Living Being Outside His Honor Knows Where Axe Will Fall

The names of the men whom the Mayor intends to appoint as his official family are still mysteries. Never before has there been a year when one or more of the appointments did not leak out. The Mayor declares that not a person outside of himself knows whom he intends to appoint. "In fact," said the Mayor, "I have not even mentioned the word 'appointment' to the present officials whom I intend to retain. On some of the offices I am still in doubt.

"I have in some cases received recommendations in favor of certain men, and in other cases I have received letters stating that these men were no good, so to speak. What I am doing is to make a personal investigation to satisfy myself in regard to the qualifications of the men.

"One thing is certain, whoever I appoint will be given to understand that if before the end of the year I come to the conclusion that he is not efficient and not the proper man for the position, he shall on request hand in his resignation. If he does not do so he will be removed. I do not intend to keep a man in office for a whole year whom I do not believe to be efficient."

In conclusion the Mayor said that in every case that he intended to make a personal investigation of all persons in his own way before announcing his appointments.

The new officials are supposed to take office on the first Monday in February. The next meeting of the city council does not take place until that date so that the appointments are made public tarough this source it will not be until several hours after they are supposed to take office. When asked if this would make any difference with their announcement the Mayor replied that while he was not obliged to send the list to the city council first, it was a matter of courtesy which he intended to follow.

"POLS" AND POLICE NOW GUESSING

The question now being asked in police circles is who will be promoted to the office of lieutenant to succeed Lieut. Hanson when he is retired. If Mayor Campbell follows out the general rule that has been in vogue in Quincy then the next highest ranking officer will be selected for the position.

The question that now arises is whether it is Inspector Goodhue who is the next in line or Sergt. Bishop. In the City of Boston it is understood that an Inspector and a Captain draw the same salary which would put them on a par. In Quincy, however, the salaries are arranged somewhat different. That is here the salary of the Captain and Lieutenant are the same, $1,200 a year and the salary of the Inspector and Sergeant $1,150 per year. An attemtp was made last year to raise the salary of the Captain $100 and of the Inspector $50 which it was claimed would make their salaries agree with the position held. The city council however turned down the effort to increase the salaries.

Inspector Goodhue has been doing plain clothes duty, his specialty being to look after the illegal liquor business. As such an office he has been a success and it would be hard to get a better man for that office. The general feeling is that Sergt. Bishop should be the man to be promoted to the vacancy. Sergt. Bishop did night duty in City Square for several years and was looked upon as a most efficient officer and when it became necessary to appoint a sergeant he was selected by Mayor Stone for the position and after passing the civil service examination for promotion he received his appointment on May 13, 1912. Since that time he has been in charge of the police station nights.

A little later the ordinance was changed, so as to provide for two sergeants, and the second sergeant in the person of Officer John T. Larkin was appointed in 1913 by Mayor Stone. Sergt. Larkin did day duty at Norfolk Downs until Chief Burrell changed the order of things at the police station making an eight hour shift. Then Sergt. Larkin was transferred to headquarters going on duty at midnight, relieving Sergt. Bishop who had been on duty since 4 o'clock in the afternoon. This arrangement gave Lieut. Hanson eight hours duty from 8 A. M. until 4 P. M. Sergt. Bishop from 4 P. M. until 12 midnight and Sergt. Larkin from midnight until 8 A. M.

It is quite natural that Sergt. Larkin should desire the promotion and already persons in his interest have called upon the mayor urging that he be selected.

MANY RECRUITS IN WEST CANADA

Frank Copeland Visiting Relatives In Quincy

Frank Copeland, 25, just in from Vancouver, B. C., as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. Copeland of Granite street in an interview Thursday said the recruiting of the most successful kind is going on in Western Canada. He said the young men particularly are responding to the call of Great Britain and that hundreds had left the Canadian province either as reservists or with the regular army.

Mr. Copeland said he experienced no difficulty in leaving the country, except that the custom officers were stricter than usual. He said business conditions have not been visibly affected by the conflict.

Mr. Copeland came to Quincy via Seattle, Washington. He will remain here until Monday when he leaves for New York to sail for Scotland for a three months' stay.

DISTRICT COURT.

Albert Johnson and Antone Shane were fined $10 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

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SIGNS ARE NEEDED.

Persons unfamiliar with the topography of the vicinity of the Quincy City Hospital frequently experience difficulty in locating the institution. A contributor living in the vicinity writes of frequently seeing persons wandering aimlessly over Presidents hill and being asked to point out the way to the hospital.

It would seem to be worth while for the city or some civic organization to place signs from the station over the hill at frequent intervals bearing an arrow and the words "to the Hospital."

The location of the hospital, so far as beauty of surroundings and healthfulness goes, is excellent, but is not easily accessible, especially to strangers. It is just beyond the 25 cent limit by carriage or auto from the railroad station and 50 cents to many seems prohibitive.

The shortest way for those who walk is up the steps on Saville street, across Goffe to Monroe road, left into Avon way, across Dixwell avenue, down the steps across Glendale road, past the Cranch school to Whitwell street and to the right up Whitwell to the Hospital.

Another way is to follow Monroe road to Dimmock street, to left on Dimmock across Glendale road to Euclid avenue, to left to Roselin avenue to Whitwell street, left to Hospital.

AMEND THE AMENDMENT.

The bill, now under consideration by the legislative committee on cities to amend the city charter is a good bill so far as it goes. It provides that in the event of the mayor's office becoming vacant the president of the city council shall succeed to the office automatically and in the event of the office of councilman becoming vacant it shall be filled by the remaining members of the city council. There would be a considerable financial saving to the city.

But the bill does not go far enough. It should provide that when the president of the council thus succeeds to the mayoralty he ceases to become a member of the council. The two branches of the city government are distinct and should be kept so. One man should not fill both offices, as did Acting Mayor Whiton. Mr. Whiton made a good mayor and a good president of the council. We have had few better in either office. But the principle is wrong and should be remedied.

CONSIDER THE WORM.

Harvard now has its learned worm. "One Eyed Pete" is the name of the prodigy. Prof. Yerkes, the proud owner, rigged up a device full of holes like a cheese. At one end of one large hole were two other paths, one of which led to a comfortable resting place. The other was charged with electricity. The worm three times took the wrong road, was properly shocked and retired. Now he avoids this aperture and always takes the right road. This worm exhibits more intelligence than some human beings. There are many persons who continue to take the wrong road, unimpressed by repulse after repulse. Experience teaches the wise man to take the road of least resistance if it will take him to his goal. Experience teaches the fool nothing, and he usually fails to reach his goal, if he has any.

IMPROVEMENT NEEDED.

The lengthy communication in Thursday's Ledger from James S. Whiting upon Quincy's water meter system deserves to be read and re-read. That the system has been unfair has been apparent for some time. Mayor Campbell clearly recognizes that there is room for improvement and he has started an investigation. It is a difficult task and may take some time. Let us hope that the result will be a remedying of conditions which nearly everyone admits need remedying.

It is to be hoped that Lieut. Hanson of the police department will be granted the pension which he asks. He has served the city long and faithfully, has filled his position to the best of his ability, and has earned the right to rest.

RELATES TERRORS OF THE ANTARCTIC

Sir Douglas Mawson Tells of Thrilling Escapes.

TWO COMPANIONS KILLED.

Explorer, Starving, Tempted to Eat One of Them — Unconscious For Hours, Wakes Up In Snowdrift. Lived Thirty-nine Days on Single Dog—Thought of Suicide.

How it feels to contemplate eating a human being and that human being a companion with whom one has been intimately associated in dangerous exploring work for months was told when Sir Douglas Mawson arrived in New York from Liverpool on the Orduna of the Cunard line. Sir Douglas plans to deliver a short series of lectures before the leading American geographical socities and then return to Australia preparatory to making another expedition into the antarctic.

Sir Douglas and two companions set out from their base in Amelie Land in 1912 to make an exploration of the geographical and archaeological features of the South American polar continent. Sir Douglas was accompanied by a British naval officer, Lieutenant B. S. Ninnes, and the Swiss ski champion, Dr. X. Merz. Sir Douglas alone survived.

"We turned homeward just at the best season of the year, but that blessed antarctic couldn't give us a single good day," said Sir Douglas. "Things began to look black.

"One day Merz went ahead exploring, and Ninnes and I had charge of the sleds. I was in the lead, and suddenly, almost before I knew it, I found myself traveling across one of the antarctic crevasses. We had crossed hundreds of them, and this one did not look particularly dangerous. But a crevasse is a place where the snow has formed a natural bridge over a great rent or hole in the ice surface, and they are always dangerous, so I called out to Ninnes, 'Crevasse; look out!' and kept on my way. I didn't hear anything behind, and I didn't look back for some time. When I did I saw nothing. Ninnes had disappeared.

Falls to Death.

"We made out afterward that while I had crossed the crevasse diagonally, Ninnes, on hearing my warning, had changed his course so as to go straight across. The crust of snow broke, and he went to his death.

"About Jan. 4 Merz began to refuse his food. It disgusted him, he said. He must have had a perforation of the intestine, for he died very suddenly on the morning of Jan. 8.

"I thought for two days about eating Merz. I was awfully short of food and about 100 miles away from the base. But finally I decided that if I did get back to civilization it would always leave a bad taste in my mouth, so I buried him and went on.

"I was dragging the sled with the cooking things and the remains of Ginger, the dog. A couple of days later my feet felt very sore. I hadn't looked at them in some time, so I crawled in under a ledge and lit a fire to see what was the matter. When I took off my shoes the soles of my feet came off with them in two large pieces. There was nothing else to do, so I slapped them back on again and bandaged them and went on my way in agony.

"It was just two years ago, Jan. 13, 1913, that I had my narrowest escape. I was walking along, dragging the sled, when I crashed through a crevasse. 'It's all over now,' I thought to myself. 'Why in heaven's name didn't I eat the last of that grub on the sled?' And just then I brought up with an awful wrench. The heavy sled stuck at the top of the crevasse. I hung there and spun around in midair like a spider in his web.

Thought of Ending It All.

"For awhile I thought of slipping the harness and ending it all, and then I thought that I wasn't meant to end there. I had so much good luck to get even that far that I decided to try to go to the finish. I climbed up the rope hand over hand laboriously till I got to the top and threw one leg up on the solid ice. At least it seemed solid, but when I threw my leg on it the crust broke again, and again I dropped and spun around and around on the end of my rope. But I climbed up again and got out.

"After I got to the top I must have been unconscious for some hours. There was a blinding snowstorm raging, and the next thing that I remember I woke up in a snowdrift, covered inches deep in snow.

"For thirty-one days I was all alone on the ice. I had no soles on my feet; all my hair had fallen out. For thirty-nine days I had lived on a single dog, and eight of those days there was another man living on the same dog. But at last I got to the hut at my base, just in time to see the Aurora leaving the harbor, and I had just intelligence enough left to know that there was no possibility that she would be back for twelve months. That was Feb. 9, 1913. The Aurora had sailed for Port Stanley, in the Falkland islands. But she had left a search party of six men, so that I was in good hands.

"In that year the seven of us ate over 7,000 penguin eggs, boiled, scrambled, poached and omelets. Omelets was our favorite way of cooking the eggs, for we had plenty of butter."

NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the First Baptist church Sunday school was held Wednesday evening at the home of the former superintendent, Freeman Marchant of Otis street. Reports were read from the departments of the school. The officers for the coming year are:

Assistant Superintendent—Burton Porter.
Secretary—Kenneth D. Johnson.
Treasurer—Leon Field.
Chorister—George Tocher.
Pianist—Jennie Jones.
Superintendent of Home Department—Mrs. W. B. Batchelder.
Secretary of Home Department—Mrs. Archie Blodgett.
Superintendent of Cradle Roll—Miss Gertrude Hopper.
Superintendent of Primary Department—Marion Johnson.
Auditor—Clifford H. Coffin.
Concert Committee—Belva Hamilton, George Tocher, Annie Johnstone, Marion Johnson and Gertrude Hopper.
Entertainment —Winnifred Geddes, Alice Beattie and William Johnstone.
Decorating—Chester Carder.

The boys of the Kemp class of the East Congregational Sunday school were royally entertained Wednesday evening by the Men's club at a "Big Brother" night held in the vestry. Entertainment was furnished by Prof. Harold of Boston, the famous magician and musician. During a social hour refreshments were served and the "Big Brothers" proved to be excellent entertainers.

The Thursday Evening club was very fortunate in securing Hon. Samuel L. Powell to speak Thursday evening at its meeting, which was opened to the public. His subject was: "Famous Men I have Met," and he proved to be a very interesting speaker.

TOKENS OF ESTEEM

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last to be heard from this society. During the ten years of its existence it has raised over $3500 for the church and has been very active in the missionary and social field. It is thought that with the new alliance a greater work can be accomplished with less duplication of effort.

Mrs. Robinson read the report of the Womens Guild. During the year much has been accomplished and the Guild now has a membership of 73. It lost by death two members: Mrs. Arthur F. Capen and Mrs. Clarence A. Fuller.

Mr. Ayers reported for the Men's Forum, established a few months ago and which has developed into a thriving organization. William Dickson reported for the Norwoll club. The Outlook club, a girl's organization was reported for by Mrs. C. A. Richardson.

A resolution prepared by the standing committee looking toward a more spiritual observance by the various allied societies was adopted as the policy of the church. A. V. Bissett, Thomas H. Irving and George L. Marr were appointed tellers for the election.

On behalf of the women of the church William J. Colby presented Pastor Ayers with a handsome flowering plant, expressing the appreciation not only of the fair sex but of every member of the church for the helpful offices of Mr. Ayers during his five years administration.

In response Mr. Ayers told of the happiness work among the members of the Park and Downs church had brought to him and said that the sunshine had far outweight the shadow. He asked only the privilege of serving the church and of being a friend to its members.

The question of changing the night of the weekly prayer meeting from Thursday to Friday was decisively downed. It was voted to change the hour of the Sunday morning service from 10.45 to 10.30, in order that the Sunday school might begin on time.

The meeting closed with the singing of "God be with you till we meet again" and a benediction by the pastor. Preceding the meeting a fine supper was served by the following committee: Mrs. Alonzo V. Bissett, Mrs. Clifton Wallace, Mrs. Fred Maxwell, Mrs. Ruth Dunmore, Mrs. Charles Weeks, Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. F. J. Brown. A large corps of the young ladies of the church acted as waitresses.

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FATHER AND SONS

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telling those present something of the different kinds of work which the Boys Division was trying to do, bringing out the fact that the Division's efforts were toward making the boys Christian gentlemen and that it tried to develop the boys on all sides of their characters. At the close of his talk he gave a warm invitation to the fathers present to drop in at any time to see the work going on.

A. F. Bromley, general secretary, spoke regarding the work being carried on among the older boys and emphasized the fact that the work was toward a development of more than one side of a man's nature, being educational and spiritual as well as physical.

The Boys' Work secretary, C. H. Humphrey, was introduced as the last speaker and spoke briefly on the subject of management of the work in the Boys' Divisions. He reported that the average attendance at the Saturday morning meetings held so far this year had been 65 and that the speakers and pictures shown frequently had been of great help to the boys. Speaking of the work in the Bible study classes he said that at present 83 boys were enrolled in the different classes and that much interest is being shown by the boys in this part of the work.

The athletic work does not lead as has been the idea for so long but it is hoped that more interest will be shown in this end of the work during the next few months.

Trips taken were mentioned to show that this end of the work had not been neglected.

At the close of the speaking those present adjourned to the gymnasium where a short exhibition was given of the work in that department.

Much credit is due Mrs. George Beal of Braintree, as chairman of the Boys Work Committee of the Ladies Auxiliary who with her large corps of assistants from the auxiliary helped the Boys' work secretary in planning and serving of the supper.

The next big event will be a similar affair held for the mothers of the boys the early part of March.

ALEXIS TORREY.

Alexis Torrey, for many years one of Weymouth's prominent shoe manufacturers died Wednesday at the home of his son, Frank H. Torrey, on Lovell street, North Weymouth. Mr. Torrey was born in Weymouth in 1827 and during the California rush in '49 he went there and remained two years. Returning to Weymouth he started to manufacture boots and shoes, which business he carried on until 1878 when he retired from active business. He is survived by a widow and one son. He was a member of Orphans Hope lodge A. F. and A. M.

INSPECT POLICE STATION.

The members of the Board of Health made a thorough inspection of police headquarters, today acting under instructions of Mayor Campbell It is probable that the report will recommend that the interior be painted.

The law requires the Board of Health to make an inspection of public buildings at least once a year and to recommend whatever changes they deem necessary.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

The annual meeting of the Sachem club will be held Saturday evening.

The next meeting of the Delta Sigma club will be on Monday evening.

A meeting of the school committee will be held Tuesday evening.

The Elks will hold their annual ball on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 3.

The Thayer Academy Senior dance will be held next Friday evening.

Phebe Buckley of Walnut street has been ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. L. D. Gurney of Walker street has been confined to her home with illness.

The Hospital Aid association will meet with Mrs. S. H. Sturtevant on Thursday.

A meeting of the Ward Four Improvement association will be held Thursday evening.

The annual business meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Society will be held Monday evening.

"The Real Thing" is the title of the play to be presented by the Quincy Catholic club at Alpha hall Tuesday evening.

The Franco-Americans will hold their annual whist party and dance in Hibernian hall, Wednesday evening.

Storer Wiggin, formerly of Wollaston is ill with scarlet fever at his home in Beverly.

The newly elected officers of Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., will be installed tonight.

Mr. E. B. Neal left Thursday for New York City for an extended business trip.

The annual ball of the Quincy Police Relief association will be held on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 4.

The G. A. R. Relief Association will hold a monster mass meeting Saturday evening in the city council chamber.

The annual Christmas party of the senior classes, teachers and officers of Christ church will be held this evening at the parish house.

The comic opera "Priscilla" will be presented at Music hall this evening under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's club.

The Quality club will hold its first grand dance this evening in Quincy Adams hall. Thorvald Johnson is head of the committee in charge.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Walther have returned from a short visit to Mrs. Walther's parents at Worcester while the parsonage is being renovated.

Miss Priscilla Robinson of Taylor street entertained Miss Anna Greene of Connecticut over the week end. Miss Greene is a student at the Normal Art school this year.

Mr. Charles Couch of the Couch Manufacturing Co. left Thursday for an extended business trip to Washington. He will spend a few days at Palm Beach and Atlantic City.

Miss Esther Broberg who has been kept to her home on Deldorf street with a sprained ankle has resumed her position in Johnson's Variety store.

George Call of Holbrook road who has been confined to the house by sickness for several days is to go to a private hospital for treatment and rest.

The Ladies' Social and Benevolent society of the Wollaston Baptist church are making much needed repairs in the parsonage. The rooms have been repapered, ceilings whitened and hard wood floors laid.

The entertainment of the Y. P. R. U. of the First Parish church, which was to have been given this evening, has been postponed one week so as not to conflict with the presentation of the opera "Priscilla" by the Wollaston Women's club at Music hall tonight.

The Womans Guild of Christ church held an all day meeting Thursday with Mrs. W. F. Torrey at Adams Shore, to knit for the Massachusetts branch of the Red Cross. The hostess served lunch at noon and in the afternoon there was a short musical program by members of the guild.

The ninth annual concert and ball of the Quincy Police Relief association will be held at Music hall, Thursday evening Feb. 4, and promises to be fully as largely attended as in other years and fully as enjoyable. There will be a promenade concert from 8 to 9 o'clock and dancing until 2 o'clock at which time special cars will leave for all sections of the city.

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GRANITE NEWS

A LOSS TO THE INDUSTRY.

The closing of the Field & Wild quarry will be a distinct loss to the granite industry. This quarry is one of the oldest in Quincy and many large memorials in all parts of the country were quarried there. It was first opened by Quinn Wild when everything was done by hand and all hoisting was done by oxen. When Mr. Wild died John Q. A. Field and Frank Wild, a son, carried on the business under the name Field & Wild. During the time Mr. Field had charge of the quarry several large monuments were cut, some of the pieces requiring extra derricks. The quality of the granite was of the best and its fine color was well known.

Mr. Field sold out the business to the Bay View Quarry Co. which has run it for the last few years and as the quarry has been getting deeper seams have come in that make it hard to get very large patterns. The quarry was closed last October and will probably never open again.

SHIPPING LIGHT.

Shipping has been dull all winter both at Quincy Adams and at West Quincy. Neither crane has been kept running more than a few hours a day but they will make up for it in a few weeks when they will be on the jump from whistle to whistle and then have to work overtime.

The storm last week which caused so much damage along the waterfront brought an order to Quincy. The Granite Railway Co. has shipped nine cars of grout to Winthrop to repair damage done there.

The death of Alexander Mundie will be a distinct loss to the Granite Manufacturers of this city. Mr. Mundie was a man of fairness and his work was of the highest class. He employed only the best of labor and was well liked by his employees. It is expected that his sons will carry on the business.

GIVE QUINCY FIRST PLACE.

The manufacturers of this city are forced to hold over westerly orders on their books all through the winter owing to the fact that no stone is quarried in Westerly during the cold weather. If the manufacturers would encourage their salesmen to give Quincy granite first preference in making a sale and show the customer its superiority over Westerly in endurance and appearance it would tend to make more business for our own quarries and give more men a chance to get employment. If salesmen would insist on Quincy Granite the workmen would not be idle in the winter and there would not be such a rush around Memorial Day.

OUTLOOK BRIGHTENS.

The business outlook in the granite industry of this city seems to be brightening up. Although things have been dull for some months and although many of the cutters have either had to leave town or seek employment at some other line of work, the manufacturers have a lot of work ordered for spring delivery which will necessitate putting on men soon.

The Sampo Granite Co. will hold a directors meeting on Monday evening at which time a new foreman will be chosen to take the place of Konstant Tikkanen who has gone into business with Neil A. Mcdonald under the name of the Willard Granite and Polishing Co.

OLD COLONY GROCERS.

Senator L. F. R. Langelier was one of the guests Wednesday evening at the 23rd annual banquet of the Old Colony Grocers and Provision Dealers association at the Quincy House, Boston. The business session was held in the afternoon at which time the following officers were elected: W. Sims of Braintree, president; E. J. Pitcher of South Weymouth, first vice president; W. F. Alden of Whitman second vice president; Henry W. Mansfield of South Braintree, clerk; O. A. Bridgham of South Braintree, treasurer; H. P. Hobart of South Braintree, C. L. Keon of North Abington, C. A. Belcher of Holbrook, Nahum Reed of Whitman and Edwin Loud of Hingham, executive committee.

LITTLE GIRL INJURED.

Miss Ethel Fay Falls and Breaks Her Nose.

Miss Ethel Fay, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Fay, Franklin street broke her nose Wednesday morning at recess in the school yard. The little girl was running and tripped, falling heavily on her face.

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REBEKAHS HOLD INSTALLATION

Miss Furnald Treasurer For 17th Year

The George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., commenced its 17th year with installation of officers on Thursday evening. The annual report showed 201 members and that the lodge was in flourishing condition and that 33 had been initiated in 1914.

The installation was under the direction of District Deputy Grand Master Mrs. Estelle C. Adams and suite of Dorchester. The suite included Mrs. May H. Gaynor, grand warden, Mrs. Gertrude Reidell, grand recording secretary, Mrs. Fanny Gordon, grand financial secretary, Mrs. Rose Dukeshire, grand treasurer, Mrs. Ancie M. Adrian, grand guardian, Mrs. Etta Gibson, grand herald, Mrs. Libbey G. Wilde, deputy grand chaplain.

The program opened with a turkey supper at 6.30 under the direction of Mrs. Charles Barron and an able corps of assistants. The brothers of the lodge acted as servers. Potted plants adorned the supper tables and the desks of the officers. There were 165 present.

Mrs. Mary J. Mills of Olive Branch of Cambridge, past president of the Rebekah Assembly was present and there were delegations from Amana lodge of South Braintree, America of Dorchester, Mystic of Charlestown, Reliance of Wollaston, Azar of Milton and others.

Mrs. Estelle Adams, installing officer, in behalf of the grand lodge, presented Mrs. Sadie M. Wood who has served two years as noble grand, with a gold past noble grand jewel. Noble Grand Sadie M. Walker, in behalf of the George L. Gill lodge, presented Mrs. Adams with a jet necklace, Vice Grand Mrs. Grace Walsh in behalf of the lodge presented Grand Marshall Mrs. Alice Rand with six cut glass ice tea glasses, and Past Noble Grand Mrs. Sadie M. Wood, in behalf of the degree team, presented to Mrs. May H. Gaynor, past degree mistress for two years, with a cut glass vase.

Remarks were made by the visitors and officers, and included a short speech by Mrs. Mary J. Mills who said in her 41 years of membership she had never heard a better report read.

Mrs. Georgietta M. Thayer, who retired from the secretaryship after 10 years service to the regret of members, in giving her report said "I am not at all sure that the successful year was not partly due at least to the fact that at the first meeting the Stars and Stripes were placed in the socket in front of the noble Grand's chair through the instrumentality of one of our most active workers, Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, who organized the lodge 17 years ago and who has been installed as treasurer for the 17th term.

The officers installed were:

Noble Grand—Mrs. Sadie N. Walker
Vice Grand—Mrs. Grace Welch.
Secretary—Mrs. Sadie Stevens.
Financial Secretary—Miss S. Abbie Feltis.
Treasurer—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.
Chaplain—Mrs. Marie Hall.
Right Support Noble Grand—Mrs. Addie T. Dewhurst.
Left Support Noble Grand—Miss Edith Spargo.
Right Support Vice Grand—Mrs. Maud Richardson.
Left Support to Vice Grand—Mrs. Emily Sylvester.
Warden—Miss Ethel Jones.
Conductress—Miss Edna Burke.
Inside Guard—Mrs. Annie Pushee.
Outside Guard—Herbert Baker.
Pianist—Mrs. Lillian E. Baker.
Trustees—Mrs. Kate A. Prout, Mrs. Melissa McCormick, Arthur W. Stetson.

Michael Guardiano, who has been a patient at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, returned home Thursday. A tack lodged in Mr. Guardiano's eye while at work at his bench in the shoe shop.

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SECOND NIGHT

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Time." To these songs the front row girls and end men did some fancy dancing steps.

The interlocutor Frank M. Spicer then asked the company to be seated. The ends, who started the fun were Dwight V. Gearwar, Clarence M. Pendleton, James Butler, Clifton Young and Robert Kinniburgh of Atlanta and James McDonald of Quincy.

After a few jokes from the ends Mr. Spicer announced an end song "Celebratin' Day in Tennessee" by Clarence Pendleton. The front row girls and ends gave one tambourine chorus after which Mr. Pendleton came to the front of the stage and sang in a very pleasing way. The entire company joined in the chorus.

After more jokes Mr. Spicer announced another end song by Robert Kinniburgh. As before the tambourine girls and chorus assisted Mr. Kinniburgh, whose easy manner brought a storm of applause. The ends here gave a tambourine specialty which was without doubt the best novelty act of the evening.

Dwight V. Gearwar then sang "I Want to Linger" in a most delightful manner, which brought forth a prolonged applause. Miss Lora Church also sang "Down Among the Sheltering Palms." Mr. John Houlihan answered her from the back of the hall which made the act very effective.

Kip Young then sang "A Hundred Years from Now" and James Butler sang "Down at the Barbecue." Both of these famous Atlantic ends delighted the audience as usual.

Miss Hazel Butler rendered "The Isle D'Amour" followed by the final end song by James McDonald. Needless to say Mr. McDonald's first appearance in Atlantic was as welcome as his former appearances in Quincy have been. He sang "I'm Glad My Wife's In Europe" and was recalled to the front of the stage several times.

The interlocutor here announced the grand finale by Walter Murray and the entire company. Mr. Murray who wore a soldier's uniform sang "We Stand for Peace, While Other War." The curtain then closed upon Part Two.

Part Three consisted of a sketch "Glimpse of Old Erin" by Boston artists under Hugo Hamlin's direction. Miss Gwendolyn Hamlin the little Vitograph Kid and Miss Nellie Ferguson the Dainty dancer carried the leading parts assisted by the Misses Elizabeth C. Curry, Kathryn B. Burgess, Maude Daley, Florence Keating, Mabel M. Dunn, Kathryn C. Kelly and Frances M. Adams.

Following this sketch were two song and dance specialty acts. The first was a Western scene in which Thomas Wilkinson sang, "Rose of the Mountain Trail," asisted in the dance by the Misses E. Winnifred Pratt, Jordine Davison, Phoebe Buckley, Susie Moffat, Agnes Kinniburgh and the Messrs. Ralph Knapp, Glenn Arthur, Herbert Butler and Homer Hil. They were all dressed in Western costume.

In the second specialty James Butler sang "Shine on Winter Moon" assisted in the dance by the Misses Hazel Butler, Lora Churchill, Emily Guong, Eldeine Young and Ruth Buckley. All were dressed in winter costume.

The success of the minstrel show was largely due to the excellent training of Andrew J. Dinegan, professional coach.

The committee in charge was composed of Harry B. Wilson, Alvin Mitchell, Russell T. Greene, Clifton Young, Clarence Pendelton, Arthur Hall, James Butler and John Peacock.

PLAN VALENTINE PARTY.

The committee in charge of the Valentine party to be given by the Arbutus Girls held a meeting Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mary E. Finn of Wesson avenue. Miss Finn was elected chairman and Mary Doyle secretary. The committee is working unceasingly to make this, the first social of the club, one long to be remembered. The affair will be held in Colonial hall, Thurday evening, February 11.

OBSERVES 18th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. G. B. DuCette entertained friends at her home at 15 Eddy street E. Milton, Wednesday evening on the occasion of the 18th birthday of her niece, Miss Olive Kathleen DuCette. The house was prettily decorated and during the evening a delightful luncheon was served. Music dancing and playing of games was the program.

AFTER AUTO VIOLATORS.

Capt. Daniel R. McKay, acting chief of the police department, instructed the officers at roll call Thursday evening to take the name and address of every man operating an auto under last year's registration. Violators will be summoned to court.

AMUSEMENTS

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

"Common Clay" is on its third week at Castle Square. A few slight changes, made during the course of last week, have strengthened and smoothened the production and there is every sign that what many enthusiasts declare will prove to be the biggest American play for years, has settled down for an unprecedented run at Mr. Craig's theatre. Thrills, surprises and that indefinable quality described as "the punch" must be held responsible for "Common Clay's" leap into prominence and popularity. There can have been few situations ever conceived which supply to quite the same degree the sudden assault upon the emotions as the revelations made by shabby, timid little Mrs. Neal of the real history of the girl on the witness stand, whose past life is being laid bare line by line. Miss Mary Young's fine performance of Ellen Dale gains in power and insight. John Craig as suave worldly Judge Filson, Mr. William Carleton as buoyant Hugh Fullerton, Mr. Dudley Hawley as the weakling Coakley, and Mr. Al Roberts as attorney Yates all do good and realistic work.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Miss Marie Tempest, the celebrated and popular English comedienne, now making a special tour of the United States en route to the Panama Exposition, will visit Boston next week, appearing for one week only at the Majestic Theatre. The demands of other cities have been so numerous for an engagement of Miss Tempest, that in order to embrace all other cities in her tour, it has been possible for her to visit Boston for only one week. This will necessitate the presentation during that week of the three plays in her repertoire, in which she recently delighted New York audiences for many weeks. These three plays will be "Mary Goes First," by Henry Arthur Jones, presented for the first time in Boston; "At the Barn," an English comedy also new to Boston, and a revival of her greatest and most famous success "The Marriage of Kitty." These plays give the eminent artiste splendid opportunities for the display of those well known talents for serious comedy and artistic acting which have made the name of Marie Tempest almost a household word.

"Mary Goes First" is a comedy of middle class English life, dealing with a dispute in a small village over a question of social prestige. Miss Tempest assumes the role of Mary Vichello, the undisputed social leader of her set, who suddenly finds herself put in the background by the daughter of a grocer, whose husband has secured a knighthood by the payment of money. How "Mary Goes First" and puts the upstart back where she belongs, makes up a delightful comedy written in the best Henry Arthur Jones vein. Miss Tempest is supported by her English company.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

William Gillette, Blanche Bates, and Marie Doro are making their farewell appearances together in the brilliant revival of Sardou's "Diplomacy" at the Hollis Street Theatre, where enthusiastic audiences have tested the capacity of the playhouse at every performance. "Diplomacy" with this distinguished trio of stars constitutes one of the memorable events of the dramatic year. William Gillette, who is one of the really great actors on the American stage today, is seen to superb advantage in the role of the wily diplomat, Henri Beauclerc. There are many actors of whom the theatregoer thinks with interest and mild appreciation; but it is only of a few that he thinks with enthusiasm. Gillette is one of the few, and always the mention of his name awakens a thrill of pleasurable emotion. The creator of "Sherlock Holmes" and the brilliant author of those great American plays "Held by the Enemy" and "Secret Service" will forever occupy a niche in the gallery of theatrical celebrities. The opportunity to see Gillette in his latest successful portraiture should not be missed by all lovers of fine acting.

Blanche Bates who is unquestionably one of the most accomplished actresses of the present day, has won fresh laurels by her consummate portrayal of the "Countess Zicka." Her expression of wounded love and vindictive hatred will long be remembered for its passionate power and touching sincerity. Marie Doro who has duplicated her London triumphs in "Diplomacy" by her success on this side of the water, never looked more radiantly beautiful and never acted with greater tenderness and power. Her portrayal of the heroine "Dora" enchants the eye and touches the heart of every spectator.

The gowns worn by Miss Bates and Miss Doro in "Diplomacy" represent the latest creations of the modiste's art and typify the latest note of Parisian elegance. The final performance of Sardou's comedy with its triple alliance of distinguished stars is positively scheduled for Jan. 30.

SHUBERT THEATRE.

Full of fun and novelty, "The Peasant Girl" has proved a winner at the Shubert Theatre, Boston, from the start of its engagement, and promises to have the jolliest run of the season. With Emma Trentini and Clifton Crawford as the stars it was certain to shine musically in the field of comedy. But the critics have united in praising the score, the costumes, the individuals of the cast, and the production as a whole. Like most continental operettas, "The Peasant Girl" deals with the love adventures of a gay young nobleman, and his efforts to escape marriage with the girl to whom he has been betrothed, for financial reasons. How she disguises herself as his housekeeper and wins his love in that guise is the theme of the play.

Such lavishness in staging has seldom been attempted before and many new effects have been secured particularly in the costumes which are said to have excited the admiration of the leading modistes in cities where "The Peasant Girl" has appeared. But after all it is the dashing music and the inexhaustible comedy of the piece which have made it the hit of the season. Unfortunately the engagement is limited as the Messrs. Shubert have promised to produce the piece on Broadway the first of February. Indeed it is related that some of the members of "The Peasant Girl" chorus are already homesick for New York, for they belong to the musical comedy smart set which declines to leave Broadway for more than a week or two. Some credit can be given, then, to the comment that the chorus is one of the star features of the performance.

CORT THEATRE.

This is the last week of "Peg O' My Heart" at the Cort theatre, after twenty weeks of capacity business. "What's Going On" a new musical farce "made in America" by American authors and with an American plot comes Monday evening, Jan. 25. John Cort who owns and controls 120 theatres and is one of the foremost American managers, will present the play. Among the principals are Walter Lawrence, Frances Cameron, William Burress, Roy Atwell, Dorothy Webb, Maude Beatty, Carrie Graham Burress, P. O'Malley Jennings, and a chorus that can sing and dance. The efforts of a German proprietor of a hotel in the Catskill mountains to arrange a match between an impecunious but titled English composer and an itinerant modiste he believes to be a wealthy society leader form the theme of farce into which has been woven an interesting love story. A composer, Sir Roger O'Malley, and a friend, who is a poet, have gone considerably in arrears for board and lodging when Madam Pom Pom, of grace and beauty and with imperious airs, arrives with her model maid, Elaine. Herr Landlord sees in this timely arrival an admirable solution to his financial difficulty by marrying his titled debtor to Madam. In his efforts to accomplish this fact without letting the two know his scheme he succeeds in accomplishing only a series of complications that keep him and his guests in hot water that add gaiety to those on the other side of the footlights.

B. F. KEITHS THEATRE.

Cecil Lean, the famous musical comedy star, direct from a long tour to the Pacific Coast and return, will come to B. F. Keith's theatre the week of January 25th, assisted by beautiful Cleo Mayfield and his company of artists in a most unique and novel singing and comedy specialty. The Four Marx Brothers, a really wonderful and most versatile group of comedians, will present their unique playlet, "Home Again." This is a big farce comedy in two scenes, employing fifteen people, which is described as thirty-eight minutes of continuous laughter. The piano playing harp playing and dancing of the Four Marx Brothers, let alone their comedy creating powers, are described as in a class by themselves. Other big star features will include Sophie Barnard, the original "Red Widow" of Cohan & Harris' productions of that name, in a singing act; The Leightons, monarchs of minstrelsy, in "A One Night Stand;" Bird Millman, and her company, the Eva Tanguay of the wire, with death defying feats; Lou Anger, the mutual soldier; the big farce comedy, "Eloping," and Vanderhoff and Louie, the lightning express painters.

BOSTON THEATRE.

The return of the big Boston theatre to the legitimate amusement field is one of the pleasant theatrical events of the past week in the Hub. And that the public of New England as well as Boston approved of the move was shown by the audiences which taxed the seating capacity of this historic amusement temple to witness Klaw and Erlanger's new production of "Ben-Hur." This spectacular drama is not the sort of a stage attraction which depends upon its brilliant past to hold a foremost position among the successes of the present. In its new and resplendent garb as shown at the Boston theatre it stands today, greater, grander and more glorious than ever, a veritable miracle of stagecraft and irresistible in its sway over lovers of the best in theatricals. Not one or two, but a succession of unusual episodes, holds the spectators enthralled during the performance; the matchless chariot race with twenty thoroughbred horses and the cheering multitude, still defying the ingenuity of stage mechanics to equal or surpass it. There is little doubt that the limited season of "Ben-Hur" at the Boston theatre will rank prominently with the biggest successes of that playhouse. The weekly operating expenses of the big theatre and this production, employing the services of over four hundred people, figures $10,000, but the fact that the Boston theatre has a seating capacity of more than 3000, enables the management to meet the popular demand with popular prices.

WILBUR THEATRE.

In this world of care and worry it is little wonder that a play like "A Pair of Sixes" should have scored the biggest success known in Boston in many seasons. For "A Pair of Sixes" is just the sort of play that dispels the blues, makes one forget the troubles of the day, and drowns all care in a sea of joyous laughter. When the play came to the Wilbur theatre a few weeks ago, heralded as "The Funniest Farce in the World," many playgoers had their doubts, notwithstanding the record established by the piece in an eight months run in New York and six months Chicago. For the Boston public, like the fabled Missourians, must be shown. "A Pair of Sixes" showed Boston what real fun and laughter is, and packed houses have been roaring, screaming and splitting their sides at the Wilbur ever since. "A Pair of Sixes" is a real American farce, full of American humor, both of the home and the world of business. It is just as clean as it is funny, and the sort of play one can take his mother or daughter to and feel that there is not a single blush hidden among the thousands of laughs. In fact, "A Pair of Sixes" is one of only six plays in New York last season to find a place on the Catholic White List—a list reserved for plays that are not only pure in theme, but entertaining in quality.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

That the Plymouth theatre, Boston, will continue to offer its patrons the very best in theatricals is evidenced in the announcement that next Monday "Too Many Cooks," a comedy that kept New Yorkers laughing for one solid year, will begin a limited engagement. The production is offered by William A. Brady, Ltd., and needless to say is given an elaborate setting and surrounded by an unusually clever company headed by Frank Craven. As a matter of fact Mr. Craven is the author of this novel play and appears in, his original character. The others in the cast are notable stage favorites that comprise the original company that presented the play for one year at the 39th street theatre, New York. "Too Many Cooks" is a comedy of suburban life that will have a genuine and wholesome appeal to New England playgoers. For the freshness of its idea and the sustained crispness and humor of its dialogue, it stands second to no other comedy. It is the brightest, truest and most deliciously human comedy that has been produced in a decade. The story of the play is written around Albert Bennett and his fiance, Alice Cook. The cooks in the play refer to the latter's family. After the announcement of the engagement Albert has started building a modest little six room house within commuting distance on a sum of money that he has judiciously saved. Alice has invited her relations to come out and have a look at the foundations. When they come, however, Albert is amazed to discover twelve of them, not counting brother Louis's twins and that most of them were unpromising relatives and that each one had something to suggest as to an improvement for the house or a proper change in Albert's way of doing things. It is this that starts things going that nearly upsets all his well laid plans.

TREMONT THEATRE.

The great photo play, Les Miserables is back at Tremont Temple, Boston, for a short return engagement which will positively close Jan. 30. Of all the photo plays that have been produced perhaps there is none which has such a wealth of human interests running through it as does this masterpiece of Victor Hugo's in motion pictures. One seems to forget the pictures as such and live with Jean Valjean, Bishop Myriel and little Cossette. Another series of splendid entertainments going on in the Temple is Herbert W. Gleason's illustrated lectures on the Pacific coast Wednesday evening and Saturday afternoons. Anyone contemplating going to the Panama Exposition may get splendid ideas of desirable excursions radiating from San Francisco, from Mr. Gleason's lectures. Every Saturday morning at 10.30 there are motion pictures for boys and girls. Parents and teachers may send the children unattended if they wish, as college girls are in attendance to take personal charge of these little folks. Miss Florence Lincoln, author of "The End of the Bridge," has the work in charge and censors all the pictures before they are put on, thus insuring them to be proper for any child to see.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

At Colonial Theatre Hazel Dawn is making her first appearance in Boston as a star in "The Debutante," a new musical comedy written especially for her by Harry B. Smith, who provided the book; Robert B. Smith, who furnished the lyrics, and Victor Herbert, who composed the music. Ever since Hazel Dawn scored a success in the title role of "The Pink Lady" a few seasons ago it has been predicted that she would soon make a bid for stellar honors, and this prophecy is now being fulfilled. "The Debutante" is divided into two acts, the scene of the first being laid in England near the sea coast, and the second occurring in Paris at a reception given in the salon of one Paul Masson, a supposedly famous sculptor. In the role of Elaine a pleasant, ingenious American girl, the new star has a character directly opposite to the one she played in "The Pink Lady." Yet it is one that is said to fit her perfectly. In the play Elaine is making her first appearance in English society and is the guest at a garden party in which the officers and sailors of a British warship come to pay their respects. Elaine is betrothed to an American youth, the son of her guardian, whose love has grown cold owing to an affair which he is having with a reigning footlight favorite and, in order to teach him a lesson, she permits the love-making of an impecunious French nobleman. In the second act when all the characters are transported to Paris, she attends the sculptor's reception, appearing in masquerade costume, and it is then that her sweetheart's jealousy is particularly aroused. It is at this gathering that, for the entertainment of those present, Elaine is induced to play the violin, and those who remember the exquisite way in which she handled the bow in "The Pink Lady" will be pleased to know that she is again to perform on her favorite instrument.

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SOCIETY OBSERVES

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singularly enough, 40 years ago, he became a total abstainer. He said it is well worth while to come here and receive a graceful introduction from such a presiding officer. "In looking in your faces I note the look of youth and health, not a dissipated look in this place. How good it is to be able to sit here and say I am a total abstainer.

"I who have passed through the fiery furnace know what it is. You do not know but there are men in your midst who do. It is for you to rescue them from the burning. It will be good for your soul and be the means of saving theirs."

Mr. Gilman then spoke of his service with the 12th Regt. Mass. Vol., the fighting of the Army of the Potomac, the loss of his arm at Gettysburg and his love for country. At its close James McLaughlin stepped quickly to the piano and started the "Star Spangled Banner," and all took up the song.

Fr. McCoy said: "Hoary haired veteran of the Civil War, your reminiscenses stirred me with patriotism as never before. My boys of St. Mary's it is a great pleasure to come here on this occasion and look back 40 years on a record of noble achievements. The founders of this society built well and as you are assembled you may well honor their memory. They were not satisfied with temperance. They went to the degree of total abstinence and they have left an influence which can never be effaced. We have seen the result of their noble work a sober, industrious, God fearing, God loving community. The founders have given you the greatest asset of human life, total abstinence. You know the God who created man, gave him a distinctive mark of his special favor and that is "reason," by the proper use of which man can accomplish wonders. It is the abuse of liquor and that alone which robs man of his God given intellect. You have the guarantee that as long as you remain faithful to your solemn pledge you will ever retain reason.

"Having that reason, guard it with a sacred pledge. It behooves you to use it to the best advantage. As I listened to the inspiring address of the great national figure, Mr. Gilman, when he said there was no trace of dissipataion on the looks of those present, I would he had added 'that having started well in life make the most of it and use your reason to its best advantage.' All, with few exceptions, are in the springtime of life, the sowing time and as ye sow, so shall ye reap. This is the word of God. Sow for eternity. You know the falseness of the principles of the world. You know the principle of the world is do what you wish provided you are not caught. If you do, you are sowing a bad seed and the harvest you reap will be sorrow and sin. There is no private or public code of morality. It is all one.

"I appreciate the possibility of youth, and having started by protecting your reason, guide your life by the unchangeable principles of God. We of the Irish race have been gifted by God with talents to make us the superior of any race on earth. Let us use those gifts well.

"Young men, be serious and take up the proper view of life. Improve your condition by determining exactly as far as human calculation can go, what God has intended us for. It is for a purpose in the world. Determine what God has destined for us and then exercise energy and talent to attain that end. It will mean sacrifice and labor and will require heroic courage to sow well, but as true as God, if you do your share success will crown your efforts and you will reap an abundant harvest in God's own time.

"If in the midst of life what a blessing it will be for you to enjoy the reward of a conscience that tells you you have done your duty. Keep God's law and not the world's law."



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He then paid another tribute to Mr. Gilman and in closing, said, "you may not be a veteran and may not carry an arm in sling and the honor he does, but you will ever be honored as a child of God and a man who made of life a success."

Fr. Duffy discussed Catholic citizenship and the part played in the wars of the United States, and the others spoke briefly on the society. Mr McGilvray's reference to John L. White, founder of the society, and the late Hon. William T. Shea, a charter member was a silent toast to their memory. All sang America at the close.

Between the speaking there were songs by Joseph Caravaglio and William LaSalle. The committee consisted of Lawrence Donovan, John Sheahan, Edward Joyce, Leo A. Garrity, John A. Brunet, Thomas Flaherty Thomas Buckley and John Flaherty.

MILTON

Team 9, which has been holding first place in the bowling tournament, for the last five weeks at Cunningham gym fell down this week to second place, tied with team 7 and now team 3 is at the top. The standing of the teams is as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Total P.F.
3	26	14	13106
7	25	15	12156
9	25	15	12061
10	22	18	12901
4	22	18	12303
6	20	20	12640
8	19	21	12824
2	17	23	12408
5	13	27	12074
1	11	29	11280

The high individual averages are: Wood 96; Jobling 93.8; E. Cummings 93.7; J. F. Reid, Jr., 92.4; Duggan 92.2 C. Smith 91.5; Sim 90.7; J. Cummings 90.2; D. Reid, J. Corkery and Bishop 90. D. Reid still holds the highest three string with 336 and his brother "Jack" now holds the high single with 125.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

E. H. Kessler of Holyoke will be the speaker at the Boys' meeting Saturday morning. Mr. Kessler besides being a good speaker is a fine singer and a large number of boys should be out to hear him at nine o'clock.

The athletic teams in the Junior division have been started again with different men and captains than those making up the teams before the first of the year. The teams are named as follows: Dartmouth, James Meda, Captain; Yale, William Torrey, Captain; Harvard, Newton Dodge, Captain; Carlisle, Gusta Wester, Captain.

Both basket ball teams will line up against the Gladiators 1st and 2nd teams in the Gym Saturday at 8 P. M.

Thursday evening a meeting was called of the committee which is working on the Annual Y. M. C. A. play. It is hard to decide on a suitable play but as soon as one is selected work will commence and it is hoped to make this as successful as the minstrel show of last year.

A meeting of great importance is to be held in the Association hall on the afternoon and evening of January 29 when the ministers Sunday school superintendents and other men interested in religious work will come together to discuss plans toward the improving of the work here in Quincy especially among men and boys. A good speaker has been secured to lead the conference and much good should result from this gathering.

The Employed Boys' Gym club, a newly organized club in the Boys' Division, will hold its second meeting on Sunday afternoon at the building at three o'clock at which time plans will be made for holding a supper on Wednesday evening.

The different Bible Classes in the Boys' Division will meet as usual during the coming week and they would be glad to welcome any boy in Quincy to any meeting.

AUXILIARY 10 INSTALLS.

The officers and trustees of Div. 5 A. O. H., were the guests at the installation of officers of Auxiliary 10 in Franklin hall Thursday evening. Miss Mary E Costello is the new president and the annual report showed an increase in membership and good financial condition.

Mrs. Margaret Farrell of Randolph, former county treasurer, installing officer, was assisted by Mrs. Mary Mahoney of Braintree. Refreshments were served at the close of the exercises.

ENTERTAINMENT AND WHIST

The George L. Gill Associates entertained at whist in Odd Fellows hall Thursday afternoon. The winners were Mrs. Roselia Wardwell, Mrs. M. O'Neil, Mrs. Phelan, Miss E. Meyer, Mrs. W. F. Curtis, Mrs. Thomas Berman, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. Mary Jones.

SAMOSET GIRLS MEET.

The Samoset Girls club met Thursday evening at the home of Miss Julia Corcoran on Grove street and made tentative plans for their annual banquet to be held in Boston in the near future. A social hour followed the meeting and an impromptu entertainment was given. Refreshments were served.

BAIL FOR THAW IS ALL READY

May Not Have to Occupy Cell In New York

STANCHFIELD AS COUNSEL

Will Act With Knox In Defending Fugitive In Conspiracy Case—Court Proceedings at Concord Will Be Brief—Jerome Will Personally Conduct Prisoner to Scene of Trial

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 22.—Harry K. Thaw expects to be taking a comfortable stroll along "Dear Old Broadway" next Sunday afternoon, free to go wherever he desires in New York state without a guard or other hindrance. He expects to secure bail within a few minutes after he is placed in the Tombs to answer the charge of conspiracy for which he has beeen indicted.

In fact, he may not be placed in a cell, for arrangements have been perfected to have bail provided for any amount up to $100,000, although bail on a conspiracy charge has rarely been more than $10,000.

Thaw has already engaged John B. Stanchfield of New York to take active charge of his conspiracy case in the general sessions court there, in conjunction with Philander C. Knox.

Sheriff Drew announced that he had received instructions to have Thaw in the courtroom at Concord on Saturday before Judge Aldrich. The proceedings will occupy but a few moments, Aldrich withdrawing his writ of habeas corpus and turning Thaw over to the state officials, who will in turn immediately place him in charge of the New York authorities.

William T. Jerome is not expected to come to Manchester, but to go direct to Concord in company with Deputy Attorney General Kennedy, Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county and Detective Lanyon of New York.

Thaw will be taken tomorrow by train to Concord and it is very probable that he will be en route from there to New York by noon, the entire journey to be made by train.

Plans of Jerome

New York, Jan. 22.—Harry K. Thaw will sleep in Tombs prison next Sunday night, not far from the cell which he occupied when first arrested for the murder of Stanford White in June, 1906. Such is the plan of William T. Jerome, who announced that he had decided to go to New Hampshire personally to bring Thaw back.

Jerome said he would leave this city tonight for Washington, and from Washington would go to New Hampshire, returning here Sunday with Thaw. He did not say why he expected to go to Washington.

Before making this announcement Jerome had a long talk with District Attorney Perkins, in which was discussed the indictment charging Thaw with conspiracy in the alleged plot which resulted in his escape from the Matteawan asylum in August, 1913. Jerome said he would try to have Thaw's case called for trial next week.

ANSWER TO FEDERALS

Baseball Players Free a Year After Expiration of Contracts

Chicago, Jan. 22.—The question of the federal court's jurisdiction and the renewed declaration that the National and American leagues have so modified their contracts that a player becomes a free agent the year after the expiration of his agreed term of service, were features at the anti-trust suit against the most powerful bodies of organized baseball.

Judge Landis brought up the question of jurisdiction again and George W. Pepper of counsel for organized baseball quoted authorities to show that there must be a federal question involved to secure a hearing before a federal court. Landis did not decide the question.

DID NOT MEAN TO KILL

Young Murphy, Who Stabbed His Brother, Free In $2000 Bail

Boston, Jan. 22.—Thirteen-year-old John H. Murphy, Jr., who stabbed his 17-year-old brother, William, to death at their home with a jackknife during a quarrel over spilled gravy, was held in $2000 bonds for his appearance at the juvenile session next Tuesday. Bail was furnished.

The specific complaint alleges manslaughter, brought in under a charge of delinquency, which is necessary because of the boy's age. The boy is heart-broken over the affair. He says he had no intention of killing his brother.

Eight Months For Kidnapper

Boston, Jan. 22.—For kidnapping 21-year-old Rosaria Mavilla and attempting to take her to Providence, where he planned to marry her, although she was not willing, Francesco De Salvo was sentenced to eight months in the house of correction.

Woman Suffrage Bill In Maine

Augusta, Me., Jan. 21.—A resolve proposing an amendment to the constitution to give political rights to women on equal terms with men was introduced in the legislature.

GRANTED USE OF SQUANTUM CHURCH

The Swedish residents of Squantum met the building committee of the First Church of Squantum in the church vestry Wednesday evening and after a harmonious session it was unanimously voted that the Swedish residents be given the right to use the church for a Sunday school conducted in the Swedish language. It was also arranged that $140, which was collected by the Swedish residents towards a church building in Squantum, be turned over to the Squantum church committee.

Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor of the First Church was chairman of the meeting. Rev. A. G. Sporrong, pastor of the Quincy Swedish church, offered prayer. Nearly 30 Swedish residents of Squantum were in attendance.

Rev. Mr. Davison said that there had never been any question among the committee or the church members as to the Swedish residents being welcome to conduct a Sunday school in their own language if they so desired.

Rev. Mr. Sporrong told of the desire to conduct a Sunday school in the Swedish language and of the work that had been done for several years in the community by a few Swedish residents. He expressed his willingness that the $140, collected in Squantum be turned over to the Squantum church.

C. E. Carlson, superintendent of the Sunday school conducted in the English language, said that he was in favor of a Sunday School conducted in the Swedish language if it was the desire of Swedish residents. He even went so far as to say he would be glad to conduct a class in this school in the Swedish language.

He said he hoped that harmony would prevail. He saw no reason for disunity. While he personally favored the Swedish people becoming Americanized and adopting the English language, he still maintained that if the Swedish residents wanted a Swedish Sunday school they should be allowed to have one. Mr. Johnson, treasurer of the Squantum Sunday school, spoke in the same vein.

Mr. Leander, superintendent of the Swedish Sunday school, emphasized the need of a school in the Swedish language. John Holmes, James H. Sumner, Thomas Currie, all members of the Squantum church committee, spoke in favor of the Swedish residents having a Sunday school in their native tongue, if they so desired.

Rev. Mr. Sporrong stated that a check for $140, the amount of money collected in Squantum, would be forwarded at once to Mr. Sumner, treasurer of the Squantum church.

Coffee and Swedish cake was served by a committee of ladies and a social time enjoyed.

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May Have Been Retaliatory Measure For Raid on English Coast Towns—Allies Possess Important Heights In Flanders After Position Has Been Taken and Retaken Three Times by Each Side—French Aviators Destroy German Ammunition Depot—But Meagre Information From Battle Lines In Poland

London, Jan. 22.—The great Krupp steel works at Essen, Ger., where the great German guns are manufactured, was the target for bombs dropped by aeroplanes of the allies.

A report from Holland gives the news that several aeroplanes flew over Essen, which is in Rhenish Prussia and not far from the French frontier, and dropped several explosive missiles. They did not strike near the Krupp plant, but several houses in the village were demolished.

Whether this was a retaliatory measure for the German raid on Yarmouth and other Norfolk coast towns, or whether the move was planned before the German attack, cannot, of course, be told.

A German official statement, however, practically claims that the German raid was more or less a reprisal, since British flying machines and ships in broad daylight have attacked such open towns as Frieburg, Dares-Salam and Swakomund.

The news of the raid on Essen came to the London Daily Mail from Rotterdam, where The Courant had received a private telegram from Arnhem, on the right bank of the lower Rhine.

"I learn from Masstricht," says The Courant's correspondent, "that the Germans fear reprisals for the Zeppelin raid on English towns, and have ordered the lights extinguished in German towns, especially at Cologne, where extraordinary precautions have been taken against air raids, and where there is a Zeppelin shed."

Holland, in the meantime, has questioned Germany about the airship raid on Yarmouth, asking for an explanation of the report that the German airships, on their way to the British coast, passed over Dutch territory.

Flanders Deadlock Continues

Although the deadlock continues on the entrenched lines in Flanders, there has been the most vigorous of fighting for the last two days at Notre Dame de Lorette. Judging by the Paris and Berlin official reports, the positions at this point, a few miles northwest of Arras, have been taken and retaken three times by the allies and the Germans.

The position is on a high pleateau, and is of great strategic importance. Tuesday night the allies stormed it, and were repulsed, but, continuing the attack, turned defeat into victory.

Then the Germans apparently shelled the allies out of the trenches, but during Thursday the Germans were in turn driven out. Both the Berlin and Paris communiques speak of a victory and a defeat at this point, but the latest official statements from both war offices confirm the fact that the allies are in possession of the heights.

There has been heavy fighting in the Champagne country east of Rheims. The Paris reports claim that the Germans were driven from two wooded positions north of the farm of Beausejour and were defeated in counter attacks.

Ammunition Station Destroyed

A very important success was gained by French aviators who located a German ammunition depot in the neighborhood of Prosnes and destroyed it with bombs. Simultaneously the Germans were driven from some field forts and trenches.

In the Argonne region the Germans attacked near St. Hubert, their infantry charging after their artillery had pounded the French positions. The charge was met by artillery and infantry fire, which the Germans were unable to withstand.

Around St. Mihiel the French made considerable progress in the tedious business of tightening the loop designed to cut off the German positions on the Meuse, advancing 150 yards in the forest of Apremont. Twenty yards of newly occupied trenches were lost, however, north of Pont-a-Mousson.

In Alsace the French army of invasion has penetrated to the town of Hartmands Weiler, 15½ miles from the Rhine. This town, which commands two highways, is northwest of Mulhausen. In spite of the winter's severities, the invasion is being pressed determinedly, and the French are slowly but surely digging their way into Mulhausen and Altkirch.

Situation In the East

From the few scraps of information that come from the battle lines in Poland, it appears that a German force has worked around to the rear of the Russian army operating between Mlawa and Plonsk, and that if the Germans are in sufficient force they may cut off the entire Russian army of the north from its base at Novogeorgievski.

On the other hand, the Russian position is only slightly less favorable than that of the Germans, under certain conditions. Both are potentially perilous, for a slight failure on the part of any unit to accomplish what is expected of it might spell disaster to either side.

The opposing armies are so placed that rapidity of movement will have much to do with determining the result of the operations now under way. For the present it appears that the Germans have the advantage, but the events of the next few days will be required to determine what will actually be accomplished.

Should the Germans win a decisive victory on the Polish-Prussian border, the way to Novogeorgievsk and Warsaw would probably be open to them. On the other hand, a Russian success would seriously threaten the German force in central Poland and might necessitate a withdrawal from the positions on the Bzura and Rawka rivers.

In Bukowina the Russians forward movement is not going along very rapidly. Only small gains are reported and there has evidently been no important movement into either Hungary or Transylvania.

NOT ZEPPELIN SQUADRON

Englishmen Believe Raid on Coast Was Made by Aeroplanes

Despite the German official statement that "airships" made up the raiding party, most Londoners refuse to believe that a squadron of Zeppelins actually crossed the North sea and shelled the east coast cities.

It is admitted that possibly one of the dirigibles of the Zeppelin or Parseval type convoyed a flotilla of aeroplanes to the English coast.

Aero experts do not understand why, if Zeppelins were in the raiding party, more damage was not done. They point out that one of the monster dirigibles, capable of carrying a heavy store of death-dealing explosives and of remaining in the air for a great length of time, certainly would have cruised in the direction of London once it sighted English shores.

Hotel and restaurant keepers in the towns made objects of sky attack enjoy unprecedented prosperity. Crowds flock into Norfolk county, particularly to Yarmouth, to gaze at the bomb-damaged buildings and to talk with residents who asserted they had seen the outlines of the invading craft against the sky. Unexploded bombs and bits of bombs displayed in store windows attract big crowds.

CONVENT REFUGEE'S TACT

Escapes Being Shot by Telling Guards She Is Irish

"Don't shoot, I'm Irish," served as a password to safety for a young woman, student fleeing from a convent near Ypres when the fighting was raging there a few days ago. An account of the incident reached London in a soldier's letter:

"One night after we had moved toward Ypres we heard a light footfall close to our outpost. The man in front challenged quickly and raised his rifle to his shoulder with the intention of firing if he did not get a satisfactory answer.

"'Don't shoot, I'm Irish,' came the reply and then a pretty young woman, dressed as a man, stepped out of the darkness.

"We are always suspicious nowadays, no matter what the person looks like, and for a time we would not take this woman at her own valuation. We allowed her to approach, but covered her with rifles all the time. She soon satisfied us that she had made her way from the Irish convent at Ypres. She was sent home to England the next day."

FRANCE WANTED PEACE

At Least That Is the Story That Comes by Way of Germany

The Cologne Gazette publishes the following sensational disclosures, regarding the German advance in France:

"In September France had sincere wishes for peace and she instructed an eminent neutral diplomat to introduce preliminary proposals to this end.

"This diplomat had previously occupied an official position in London and he was under English influence. He betrayed the secret to the British ambassador in Paris, causing an enormous sensation in London.

"Lord Kitchener was sent to France. He threatened a bombardment of the French coast and forced from the French government the well-known treaty not to conclude peace except England consented."

BRITAIN WILL SEIZE DACIA

But Steamer's Cargo of Cotton Will Be Purchased or Forwarded

The British government announced through its embassy at Washington that if the former Hamburg-American liner Dacia proceed to sea she would be captured and taken to a prize court. Her cargo of cotton will be purchased by the British government or forwarded to Rotterdam without further expense to the shippers, according as the owners may prefer.

The state department communicated this information informally to the owners of the Dacia and was notified in reply that the vessel was loading at Galveston and would put to sea, notwithstanding the British government's position. It was said that the owners had resolved to test the issue in a prize court.

Incidentally, the war risk bureau of the American government issued a policy insuring the cotton cargo at 4 percent, but declined to insure the vessel itself.

PRESS REPRESENTS AMERICA'S VOICE

Weeks Has Something to Say of Wilson's Indianapolis Speech

Washington, Jan. 22.—"The great voice of America is the press," said Senator Weeks of Massachusetts, referring to the Indianapolis speech of President Wilson in his speech in opposition to the administration ship purchase bill.

The senator then stated that he would show a practical unanimity of the press in opposition to the bill, and he challenged Senator Fletcher of Florida, in charge of the bill, to produce witnesses of like intelligence in character in support of the measure.

Turning to the Indianapolis speech, Weeks declared the people of the country, judging from press reports, could not understand how the president "could have so far lapsed from his previous poise and good taste as to go to the other extreme by indulging in not only questionable taste, but the unfounded statements with which his whole address was filled.

"Could there be a more violent wrench to popular government," he asked, "than to have the head of the nation speaking to the whole country, asserting that those who disagreed with him are misled, ignorant, self-assertive and misrepresentative? No president in our recent history has had such support on strictly administrative matters from opposition senators as the present incumbent of the White House."

ON EVE OF PROBE

Head of Salem Health Department Kills Self by Shooting

Salem, Mass., Jan. 22.—Thomas J. Lally, 64, head of the Salem department of health, former alderman and councilman and an active factor in Salem politics for many years, took his life in a room at the Hotel Hamilton, Lynn, by shooting.

Lally's suicide came on the eve of an investigation into his conduct as the head of the Salem health department, around which there has been considerable turmoil for weeks and during which time several complaints have been registered.

UNDER $60,000 BAIL

Canadian Soldiers Who Shot American Are Released From Jail

Welland, Ont., Jan. 22.—Corporal Archie Kayo and Privates Kinsman and MacIntosh of the Forty-Fourth Canadian infantry, charged with manslaughter in connection with the shooting of Walter Smith, the American duck hunter, at Fort Erie Dec. 28, were released from Welland jail on $60,000 bail.

The men at once joined their company at Bridgeburg.

Must Answer Murder Charge

Boston, Jan. 21.—George Spiridaki, who is charged with the murder by shooting of Emmanuel Papadakas, 20, proprietor of the Norway cafe, was held without bail for hearing Jan. 27.

Protection For Newlyweds

Indianapolis, Jan. 22.—The state senate passed a bill providing that all persons seeking a marriage license must first obtain a health certificate.

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ENTERTAINMENT.

The Ladies Aid society of the Hall Place M. E. church gave an entertainment Wednesday evening which was pronounced at its close one of the best ever given at the church.

The program included two sketches, "Widow Church and her eight daughters" and the "Bachelor's Choice." Both were given by the same cast. In addition there were readings by Mrs. William McCormick and vocal solos by Miss Olive Grant with Merton Turner as piano accompanist.

Those who took part were Mrs. George Hawes, Mrs. John Wenzel, Mrs. William McCormick, Mrs. P. S. Neldon, Mrs. Daniel H. McNiel, Mrs. Clara Trask, Mrs. Robert Newcomb, Mrs. Alex Stewart, Mrs. James McCormick, Mrs. Fred Badger, Mrs. Charles Joss, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Clarence Trask and Merton Turner.

LEWIS HARKINS.

The body of Lewis Harkins, the 21 year old son of Mrs. Charles Pratt of 12 Fenno street was brought to Quincy Thursday by his brother Leonard Harkins. His death occurred in Philadelphia Monday. He was well known here living in Wollaston up to three years ago.

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By virtue of and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Arthur E. Holland to Benjamin Johnson dated March 11, 1913 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1242, page 396, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday the ninth day of February, 1915, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage and bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Oxenbridge Road in Taylor Terrace in that part of Quincy in the county of Norfolk called Wollaston, being lot Sixty-one (61) on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan book 50, plan 2392, the said lot being bounded Easterly on Oxenbridge Road, forty-five and 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 60 on said plan, eight-five and 28-100 feet; Westerly on Lot 64 on said plan, forty-five feet, and Southerly on Lot 62 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet, containing 3691 square feet of land, more or less.

Also Lot 62 on said plan, bounded and described as follows:

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Secret Dispatches

How They Were Obtained For President Lincoln's Inspection

By Captain F. A. MITCHEL

In acknowledging myself to have been a professional secret service man I must admit that I lose much of the sympathy of those who love the romance of war. But war is not romance; it is what General Sherman described it. The soldier is paid for standing up to be shot. The paid spy is as necessary to an army as the soldier. Indeed, he may be of more benefit to a commander than an army.

During the big north and south struggle Allan Pinkerton established a secret service bureau in Washington. I was living there at the time, the oldest of a family of five children, orphans, who were dependent on me for support. I was nineteen; the next in order of birth was a girl of fifteen; the next a boy of thirteen, and so on down to the youngest, a boy of six. My father died several years before the war broke out and left my mother to do the best she could in feeding and clothing us. I, being the oldest, soon became her main reliance, and when in 1862 she died I fell heir to the problem of providing for the family necessities.

I had lived till I was twelve years old in Richmond, and my natural dialect was southern. My sympathies were neither with the south nor the north. It occurred to me that I was in a position to earn money by going south and bringing back information for the federal government. I knew of Allan Pinkerton's secret service bureau, and one day I went in there and had a talk with him. He was at the time furnishing spies for President Lincoln and listened attentively to all I said. When I had finished he suggested that I would likely have more success playing the part of a girl than a man.

His reason for this was that I had a feminine face at that time, no beard and spoke with a soft voice that would be called contralto in a woman. He questioned me a good while to assure himself that I could be relied on to serve the Union side, and, although I confessed to him that I had no preference for either cause, I won his confidence simply by promising to stand by the interests of the federal government.

He sent me to President Lincoln, with whom I had a private interview. The time was the summer of 1862, when the Federal armies in the west had little or nothing to oppose them, and had competent leaders then been in command the war could have been ended within a very short period. Mr. Lincoln wished me to go to Richmond to investigate the feeling at the capital of those in power, to learn whether it was an advantageous time to offer terms for peace. If I came back with the desired information I was to receive a very large sum of money. A sum sufficient to take care of my brothers and sisters during my absence was given me, and I was promised a pension for them in case I was taken and hanged.

My sister Margie, though four years younger than I, was nearly my height and weight, and, having accepted Mr. Pinkerton's suggestion to dress as a girl, I used her clothes. With Mr. Lincoln's pass made out for Miss Alice Hunter, I had no difficulty in getting out of the Federal lines. I was admitted into the Confederate lines readily because it was much easier to pass into Confederate territory than to emerge from it. When I reached Richmond I sought a boarding house, where I settled myself to remain long enough to accomplish my mission.

This was early in July, when the vacation period for schools had come, and I gave out that I had been studying in New York when the war broke out and preferred to remain another year in order to finish my course at a northern school. But I was very chary about making definite statements. Mr. Pinkerton had told me that Confederate spies were constantly passing between Washington and Richmond and their number was legion. Realizing that I would be in more danger from them than any one else, I was suspicious of all persons whose connections and occupations were not accounted for.

I talked with a good many persons about the gloomy aspect of Confederate affairs in the west, but found few, if any, who were in favor of giving up the struggle. I made various attempts to interview persons of influence, but was not very successful. One person in power whom I succeeded in getting near I found unwilling to give me his real opinion. But I made up my mind that, even if the leaders were willing to listen to terms for peace, the people were not, except on the acknowledgment of the independence of the Confederate states. However, I learned through the wife of a member of the Confederate cabinet that the government was with the people in this respect and looked for General Lee to make good in the east what other Confederate generals had lost in the west.

All the time I spent in Richmond I was very exclusive, though my story of having been at school in the north, which I told to avoid accounting for where I really had recently been, drew forth numerous questions as to the feeling in the northern states. I told them that there the feeling was divided, there being many southern sympathizers.

Having made up my mind that there was no hope of the southern people accepting any terms that the Federal government would offer, I left my boarding house, giving out that I was going to my home, a plantation on the James river, intending to go there with a view to striking Fortress Monroe, in possession of the United States forces. From there I could easily proceed north by sea in a government transport.

I succeeded in finding a steamboat carrying freight that was going down the river from Richmond as far as the boat could proceed without encountering any Federal force. I took passage on her, finding a few other passengers. It was on this boat that I received my first and only scare. Up to this time no one I had met seemed to have the slightest suspicion of my sex. Being suspected was not the cause of my trouble on the boat, but that I was too attractive to a man.

On the guard as we left Richmond, standing near me, was a young fellow, a typical southerner, who from his glances I judged was quite struck with my appearance. When I went into the cabin he followed me and in order to scrape an acquaintance offered me some books to read. Thinking that it might be more dangerous to repulse him than to accept his attentions, I accepted a novel and in order to get rid of further devotion pretended to be absorbed in it. This did not serve, for, though he was considerate, deferential and all that, he insisted in taking advantage of every opportunity to converse with me. Finally I concluded to favor him and permitted him to do so. Since he seemed to be smitten with me, there was surely no reason to fear that he would suspect me of being a man and my true errand. At last, remarking that the air in the cabin was stifling, he insisted on my going out on the guard with him.

We sat together, passing along the yellow stream, with its banks nearly as bare as when the settlement of Jamestown found the peninsula a wilderness. My companion at first said he was opposed to secession, but on my asserting that any man who did not stand by the south was a traitor to his country he veered around and admitted that he was in the Confederate service. To draw him out I pretended not to believe his last statement, and he confessed that he was a lieutenant in a Virginia regiment.

"Then why are you not in uniform?" I asked, with feigned suspicion of the truth of his statement.

This was too much for him. He confessed that he was going to Fortress Monroe on secret service. He was the bearer of dispatches to prominent southern sympathizers in the north and intended sailing on any vessel he could find to take him there.

This confirmed Mr. Pinkerton's story that the routes between the north and south were full of Confederate spies. I was seized with the fear that one of them had suspected me and had made my acquaintance with a view to trapping me. I nerved myself to an effort and gave every evidence of my appreciation of one who was about to risk so much for the Confederate cause.

It was hard for me to believe that one bent on such an errand would thus give himself away to a stranger, yet, on the other hand, he was still in Confederate territory talking to one who professed to be wrapped up in the success of the south. At any rate, I should soon know whether he was deceived by me or was playing a game to trap me.

I thought it best to leave the boat at a landing some distance above the end of her route. I bade my friend good-by with my best wishes for his success and, going ashore, hired a man to drive me in his buggy toward the point I wished to reach. In one way or another I got as far as a Federal outpost and asked to be taken to the commander.

I had kept sewed up in my clothing an order, signed "A. Lincoln," to aid in the Federal service to give me aid and comfort and showed it to the general commanding. I was at once provided with man's clothing, and an ordnance officer furnished me with a revolver. I wished this weapon in case I should meet my admirer with whom I had traveled. I did not wish to give him away, but I wanted to get the dispatches he carried, so I could give them to President Lincoln. I had not been at the fort two hours before I saw the young man passing across the parade. I approached and accosted him. He did not recognize me at once, but as soon as it broke in upon his brain that he had given himself away to a man thinking him to be a girl he turned ghastly pale.

"Don't fear anything for yourself," I said. "I have just come off the same boat with you in more respects than one. I have been in the Confederacy on secret service. I know what it would have meant had my mission been discovered. I would have got the rope. Give me the documents you carry and I will keep your secret."

He looked relieved, though his sense of honor deterred him from giving me what would compromise others. But what could he do in the center of a United States fortress? He gave me the dispatches, and I helped him to get back into Confederate territory.

In due time I made my report to President Lincoln, and he told me that the dispatches I had captured were of far more importance than the information he had sent me for. His possession of them thwarted an important plan in the interest of the Confederacy.

I made several other trips for Mr. Lincoln. On the last, having escaped capture by a hair's breath, I concluded not to risk going again. But I had the capital to set me up in business.

ENTITLED TO SHARE PROFITS

Workers Cannot Save Money at Their Present Wages

GUGGENHEIM GIVES VIEWS

Capitalist Favors Taxing Fortunes After Death of Owners—Runs Open Shops Because Demanded by Personal Liberty—Believes High Cost of Living the Cause of Unrest

New York, Jan. 22.—Taxation of large fortunes, upon the death of their owners, to aid the poor; the establishment of government agencies to find work for the unemployed, and provision for the comfort of aged workers, were advocated by Daniel Guggenheim, president of the American Smelting and Refining company, in testimony at the inquiry by the federal commission on industrial relations into the great philanthropic foundations and the causes of industrial unrest.

Guggenheim said that, as a capitalist, he favored these measures, despite the fact that they constitute some of the cardinal ideas of Socialism. He also advocated "industrial democracy" wherein the worker received a portion of the profit derived from his labor.

Industrial unrest was caused to a great extent, the witness believed, by the increased cost of living. In his opinion, the philanthropic organizations did not effect much relief from poverty, as the average worker was reluctant to accept charity and preferred employment.

There were bad trusts and bad capitalists as well as bad unions, Guggenheim said. The American Smelting and Refining company operates open shops, he testified, because it would not allow unions to run the business. The management, however, would treat with unions, or with the men collectively the same as with individual workers.

Another reason why the American Smelting and Refining company operates open shops, Guggenheim continued, is because it does not believe it has a right to control a worker's actions any more than it had to say what he shall eat and when he shall go to bed. Personal liberty demanded open shops, Guggenheim thought.

Guggenheim named many corporations in which he and his brothers are directors. The witness did not know how many men are employed by any of the companies with which he is connected. He kept himself advised as to labor conditions among his employes, he said, and for that purpose frequently visited the various plants.

The executive committees of the various companies, he said, were constantly visiting plants and mines, to keep themselves informed as to conditions. Guggenheim said that in the mining business the directors and not the stockholders were absolutely responsible for labor and other conditions.

The witness said the American Smelting and Refining company had installed many devices not only to improve labor conditions but to raise the standard of efficiency. He discussed at length the various ways in which the company had tried to better working conditions.

Guggenheim said he believed industrial discontent was on the increase and had been for some years, "and it will continue to increase unless some remedial measures are taken," he continued. "The trouble is we haven't had enough legislation. We are away behind Europe. We need more business legislation."

Guggenheim said he "did not want to advertise" the philanthropic organizations with which he was connected. "I've done all that I can. I don't think any of us give enough. I'll tell you, though, that I am interested in many hospitals, homes and aid societies.

"It is the duty of the state and national governments to find work for the unemployed and provide free attention in hospitals for persons who need it," Guggenheim said. "Many people don't want charity. They want work. The state should find it for them. The state should tax great fortunes when rich men die, and thereby receive money to take care of the people until they can get along."

Workers should be taught to save, he said. They cannot now because they don't get enough money to permit it. They should, he said, receive a part of the profits of the industries in which they were employed.

Bliss Made Bishop of Vermont

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 22.—Dr. George Y. Bliss, rector of St. Paul's church of this city, was elected bishop coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Vermont, as successor to the late William F. Weeks.

May Wheat at $1.45⅜

Chicago, Jan. 22.—May wheat touched a new high mark for the year when it sold at $1.45⅜ on few offerings and reports of heavy export sales.

Uncle Sam's Big Family

Washington, Jan. 21.—The United States will have a population of 100,000,000 April 2, according to an estimate by the bureau of census.

MEASURES FOR RELIEF

Italy to Have Fund to Aid Sufferers From Earthquake

Rome, Jan. 22.—The Italian parliament is about to submit several decrees, having for their purpose the alleviation of conditions in the earthquake district, for the signature of the king. The decrees are as follows:

First, authorizing the expenditure of $6,000,000 to aid the victims of the earthquake; second, suspending the collection of taxes in the affected area; third, establishing a moratorium for five months for bills of exchange and commercial paper in the province of Aquilla and the district of Sora; fourth, guaranteeing the payment of salaries of schoolteachers.

It is expected that within a fortnight the most serious conditions will have been greatly improved. Shacks for the housing of the homeless will be erected as rapidly as possible; buildings not destroyed will be repaired; roads will be cleared and reopened for traffic, and agricultural and business life in the stricken communities will be restored to normal.

ROGERS IS ARRESTED

Father of Children Slain by Mrs. Walters Is In the Toils

New York, Jan. 22.—Lorlys E. Rogers, the New York lawyer whose matrimonial and love affairs have been under investigation by District Attorney Martin of the Bronx since Dec. 29, when Mrs. Ida Walters, mother of his two children, gave the children poison and took a quantity herself, was arrested on a bench warrant issued at the instance of the district attorney.

Rogers was arrested under a grand jury indictment charging him with an offense covered by the penal code.

Rogers' first wife, who divorced him more than five years ago, was a witness before the grand jury.

Mrs. Ida Walters is still at the hospital. Although unable to save the lives of the babies, physicians at the hospital succeeded in saving the mother's life. She has not fully recovered.

SALEM VISITED BY ANOTHER BIG FIRE

Other Cities Aid In Subduing Blaze Which Costs $200,000

Salem, Mass., Jan. 22.—Fire-stricken Salem, struggling to rise from the ashes of the $12,000,000 conflagration that nearly wiped it out last June, was visited by another fire, which threatened the entire retail business district.

The Leavitt block, one of the largest buildings in the city, in which are located the Essex House and several large retail stores, is practically destroyed with a loss of nearly $200,000, and the local department, assisted by firemen from five neighboring cities, fought to keep the blaze from spreading.

In addition to the Essex House, the flames swept through the grocery store of Cobb, Bates & Yerxa, Dan A. Donahue's clothing store and the stationery store of R. S. Baur. The fire started in the basement of the Cobb, Bates & Yerxa store.

ARMY BILL DEBATE ENDS

Gardner and Kahn Insist That Our Defenses Are Inadequate

Washington, Jan. 22.—After an all-day discussion of the national defense, the house last night completed general debate on the $101,000,000 army appropriation bill.

Reading of the measure for amendment begun today with both majority and minority leaders urging that action on this and other appropriation bills be expedited, in order to avoid a special session of congress.

A speech by Representative Hay, chairman of the military committee, deprecated war talk and declared that it was not necessary to add a single man to the standing army of the United States

Representatives Gardner and Kahn vigorously insisted that the present defenses of our country were inadequate, though they agreed with Hay that there was no immediate prospect of the United States being involved in war.

Death of Once-Famous Brewer

Dublin, Jan. 22.—Lord Ardilaun (Arthur E. Guinness), who was famous for his charitable and philanthropic works and who at one time was the head of the great Guinness brewery, is dead. He was born in 1840.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Edward McHugh, 79, senior member of the Boston police department in point of age, died after a short illness.

Daniel F. Carr, 83, a retired sea captain, was found dead sitting in a chair at Gloucester, Mass.

Submission of the woman suffrage question to Alabama voters next year was proposed in a house bill.

The building occupied by the high and grammar school grades at Brunswick, Me., burned with a loss of $35,000 besides the equipment.

Michael J. O'Connell, 34, of Brockton, Mass., died as a result of a leap from the fourth-story window of a hotel at Manchester, N. H.

A Puzzling Decision.



The Lover—Well! Guess I'll toss u, whether Mabel gits her 'gagement rin or I put meself around five ice cream sodies.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

LAND COURT.

To Charles M. Bugel, Maurice E Kilpatrick and William Arthur of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; George I. Adams of Lancaster, in the County of Worcester, and said Commonwealth; William S. Daniels of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Fred W. Wood and Henry Thornton of said Boston, and I. Warren Flagg of Acton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth, Trustees of the Park Land Company; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Charles W. Ward and David E. Saunders, Administrators of the estate of Nathan W. Osborne, late of Salem, in said County of Essex, deceased, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—

Westerly by Faxon Road one hundred and fourteen and 14-100 (114.14) feet; Northerly on Hollis Avenue, formerly Charles Street, eighty-three and 35-100 (83,35) feet; Easterly by land of William Arthur one hundred and nine and 80-100 (109.80) feet; and Southerly by land of Fred W. Wood, I. Warren Flagg and Henry Thornton, Trustees of the Park Land Company, eighty-four and 89-100 (84.89) feet. Containing nine thousand four hundred and ten (9410) square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

(Seal)

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of William Edward Hayden late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lillian E. Hayden of Quincy in said County without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D., 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James M. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

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Established 1901 in Quincy
Hundreds of Satisfied Customers
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June 5-tf

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Jan. 5-tf

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In answering advertisements in this column please read carefully and follow instructions. We know nothing of the advertiser except as stated in the advertisement.

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TO LET—5 rooms all improvements Watson Terrace. Rent reasonable. Apply to M. A. Campbell, 56 Liberty Square, Tel. Quincy 1088-W. 21-6t

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TO LET—At 98 Revere road at reduced rent, two large square rooms nicely furnished, separate if desired $2.50 per week. Two nice housekeeping rooms reduced from $4.50 to $3.50. Tel. 1506W. Quincy. 16-6t

TO LET—An 8 room cottage and barn in North Weymouth near cars and salt water. Also flat of 5 rooms, some improvements, hen house and good yard. Key next door. Apply 66 Norton street, North Weymouth. 18-6t

TO LET—Attractive upper apartment of 6 rooms and "den" in two-family house; everything separate; all modern improvements; electricity and gas. A. D. Cossaboom, 95 Merry Mount Road. 18-6t

TO LET—Upper flat of 6 rooms and bath. Large piazza, screened in. All latest improvements. House just finished. W. Lehtola, 97 Goddard street near Quincy Adams station. 16-tf

TO LET—Four room tenement all improvements, range and gas attached, house new. Apply James Moorhead, 28 Curtis street, Quincy or Tel. 599-1. Jan. 15-tf

TO LET—Merrymount road. Single house 6 rooms. Hot water heat. All improvements. Also 2 family house 5 rooms each. All improvements. Apply No. 87 A. W. Parker. Tel. 258-1. 23-1mo.

FOR RENT—2 houses, one $20 a month, all improvements, and one $12. Apply to G. G. Ellsworth, 117 Adams street, Braintree. Ob 1w L tf

TO LET—Cosy tenements near shipyard in East Braintree, 4 rooms and bath $15, 5 rooms and toilet $15. For rent to small families of nice people. Apply 336 Granite street, Quincy. 1-tf

TO LET—New lower flat of five rooms and bath, furnace heat and cemented cellar situated on Taft street. Apply 79 Elm street. 21-tf

TO LET—On Russell Park house of seven rooms and bath and large attic, cemented cellar, furnace, gas and coal range, electric lights all modern. Reasonable rent on a lease to right people. Apply to Miss Prescott at Ledger-Patriot Office, Quincy. 4-tf lpo

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House of 6 rooms, Hot Water Heat, Bath Room, large garden plot, and on good street in Wollaston. Price $2,800, reduced from $3,300. Straight Loan of $2,000.
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WANTED—Victrola or Columbia Grafonola. Pay cash. 104 Boylston street, Boston. 22-3t

WANTED—Two young ladies for canvassing. Must be of neat appearance. Good proposition for hustlers. Call 5 to 8 P. M. Mr. Blood 72 Crescent street. 21-3t

WANTED—A furnished or unfurnished room for light housekeeping for mother and daughter. Please state price and particulars. Address M. D. Ledger office. 20-3t

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FOR SALE—The premises occupied by the late Dr. McLennan, 28 Federal avenue, South Quincy. For price and terms apply to Mrs. McLennan at above address. 21-3t

FOR SALE—7 room cozy cottage all modern improvements, hot water heat. 4000 square feet land near car and depot. For full particulars, apply to J. Coyle, 160 Marlboro street, Wollaston. 19-6t

FOR SALE—About 2000 loads of loam at Washington Park. Apply to J. H. Spaulding, 67 Elm street, Braintree. Tel. 21467. L-O Aug. 12-tf

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IF YOU WISH to sell, rent, buy; or place insurance on property; try B. A. Brown who will pay strict attention to your wants; 1372 Hancock Street, Room 8. Tel. 2247-W. 31-1mo.

FURNITURE and Piano moving, boat hauling and jobbing. Myatt, 40 Baxter street. Tel. 1307-M. Quincy Res. 22-tf

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City Square Office, Hancock Bld.
Small front office.
Office, Hancock Chambers—1 flight up—16x18 ft.—very low rent.
City Square Store House or Shop —ground floor—rear Greenleaf Block.
City Square Club Room or Hall —28x45—20 feet high—2 flights up—Hancock Chambers.

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(Best location in City.)
Transient Rooms—Comfortably furnished and with care—$1 a day.
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HALLS
Our new $300 Victrola with latest dance records is available.
Music Hall—Music Hall Block—capacity 912—highest possible rating by the State, "Excellent" in every particular.
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HEARING UPON FORE RIVER BILL

United States May Appropriate $200,000 For Improvement

State House, Jan. 22—The bill to provide for a State appropriation of $75,000 for the improvement of the Weymouth Fore River was given a hearing today by the legislative committee on Harbors and Public lands.

Dock Commissioner Frank F. Crane pointed out to the committee the importance of the improvement to Quincy and vicinity. He said that the total commerce on the river amounted to $20,000,000 annually. He said this morning he received a telegram from Senator Weeks stating that the United States Engineers have reported in favor of a $300,000 project which will provide a 300 foot channel, 24 feet deep, all the way to Quincy. The United States government, it is understood, will appropriate $200,000, the state $75,000 if the bill heard this morning is favorably acted upon and Mr. Crane read a letter from the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation stating they had donated $15,000 toward the project and trat Quincy had already applied to the legislature for permission to appropriate $10,000.

Mayor Campbell and City Solicitor H. W. Pinkham favored the proposition. Lombard Williams of the directors of the Port of Boston said his board realized the importance of the project to the entire community. The Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange represented by George F. Washburn, was recorded in favor of the proposition. He said the project was of state importance and would be heartily supported by the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange. Capt. John J. Crowley of the Boston Maritime Association also favored the bill. Senator Langelier and Representative Edward J. Sandberg are both members of the committee that will pass upon the bill. There was no opposition.

POLICE SEEK MAN.

A squad of police were dispatched to the territory surrounding Belmont avenue Wollaston Thursday by Sergt. Bishop in response to a telephone call that a man was acting in an indecent manner.

When the police arrived they learned he had run over Third Hill in the direction of Adams street. They searched but were unsuccessful. Only a meagre description was furnished by the woman who phoned.

BUYS SONDER SPRIG.

Charles Francis Adams 2d has purchased J. L. Saltonstall's sonder Sprig and will enter her in the Quincy cup series. She was built in 1912 and has won her place on the team chosen to represent America in the next international contest with Germany should one take place. Mr. Saltonstall reserves his rights in the yacht in case those races are held.

BRIEFS

Mrs. L. D. T. Gurney of Walker street has recovered from her recent illness.

Girard, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Casey of Miller street, is confined to his home by a severe cold.

The Owottona Social club will meet Monday evening at the home of Miss Celia Connors of Garfield street.

The Quality Club of Quincy hill hold its first grand dance this evening in Quincy Adams hall.

Atlantic people were glad to see Mayor and Mrs. Chester I. Campbell at the Minstrel Show on Wednesday evening.

The Christian Endeavor of the Atlantic Memorial church will hold a social in the church vestry on Monday evening.

Patrick Fahey of Bunker Hill Lane who has been confined to his home the past two months was out doors Thursday for the first time.

Lugene J. Hayford of East Squantum street has been at home the last few days, suffering with an attack of lumbago.

The Chickatawbut Social club will meet tonight at the home of Jerome Reinhalter of Bunker Hall Lane. A social will follow the regular business meeting.

William F. Sidelinger of 184 Washington street was unanimously re-elected treasurer at the Annual meeting of Bethany Congregational church Wednesday evening.

The central station auto chemical responded on a telephone call shortly before 9 o'clock today to extinguish a bonfire on Washington street., near the Y. M. C. A. building.

Owing to the absence from the city of the owner of buildings occupied by some of the dealers in paints oils etc., the time to comply with the law of the Fire Hazard rule has been extended.

Mrs. Frank Spicer of Faxon road entertained the Criterion club at her home on Thursday afternoon. Whist was enjoyed during most of the afternoon and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Emma Blagden chairman of the ways and means committee of Aux. No. 3, 1914, invited the committee Thursday afternoon to Kincaide theatre and then to Emanuel's ice cream parlor.

INJURED AT FORE RIVER.

Julius Nielson not Seriously Hurt However

Julius Nielson of Dyer street, Dorchester, was crushed under a door of a core oven at the Fore River shipyard Wednesday and is at the Quincy City Hospital with concussion of the brain His condition is not serious.

Nielson, a foundry employee, was struck on the head and shoulders by the falling door. He was picked up in a semi-conscious condition and will be kept at the hospital a few days for observation.

MAYOR TO GET WATER EXPERT

It sems likely the oft discussed water question is to be settled this year. It is understood at city hall that the mayor is about to engage an expert from out of town, who is coming to Quincy to make a thorough investigation of the system and recommend what rates should be established.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

R. E. Foy & Co.
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Chas. C. Hearn.
Old Colony Laundry.
J. W. Pratt.
Grossman's Cothes Shop.
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DEATHS

MUNDIE—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Alexander Mundie in his 56th year. Funeral services at late home 106 Independence avenue, Saturday, Jan. 23 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 20-3t

Established 1870 Telephone
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PRISONER HAD FRIGHTENED GIRLS

Early Thursday evening Inspector Goodhue took into custody an Italian who gave his name as Adolph Augustino of 29 Penn street on a statutory charge. The arrest of Augustino followed complaints that have been coming to the police from several sections of the city about men who are frightening women and young girls.

Augustino was arraigned in court today and the case was continued until Saturday in order that the police may have an opportunity for futher investigation.

RUSH WORK ON DREADNOUGHT

The dreadnought Nevada, unde construction at the Fore River shipyard will be delivered on or abou July 1. Work is being rushed, firs and second batteries are practically mounted, and trials will be held with in a short time. The navy will be considerably strengthened through it. addition.

The number of men approximately now employed at the shipyard is 330 It is not thought that it will be necessary to increase the force to complete the contracts on hand which include seven submarines for the United States government, 10 submarines for a foreign government and two torpedo boat destroyers for the United States.

LOSE KICK AND DROP FOUR POINTS

Capt. John Hildebrand's Elks team which made a fine stab last week, lost its kick again this week and dropped four points in the Elks' league matches at the Wardweil alleys Thursday night. The Maloney's beat the Larkin's 3 to 1.

Capt. Hanson 4—Capt. Hildebrand 0

CAPT. HANSON.				
B. Williams	78	71	88	247
E. J. Desmond	72	83	79	234
J. J. Neagle	83	101	74	259
C. H. Hanson	85	130	122	337
J. W. Sweeney	100	96	84	280
	418	481	447	1346
CAPT. HILDERBRAND.				
Hildebrand	72	84	75	231
George	69	80	84	233
E. V. Sweeney	96	76	80	252
B. Brown	87	102	90	277
J. R. S. Ross	81	110	106	287
	405	452	435	1292

Capt. Maloney 3—Capt. Larkin 1.

CAPT. MALONEY				
Keating	104	106	90	300
Deasey	105	114	77	296
Dr. Sweeney	89	93	85	267
Dr. Murphy	93	82	94	269
Reveney	75	75	75	225
	466	470	421	1357
CAPT. LARKIN.				
Coyle	88	86	77	251
Waite	95	89	95	279
Hoy	102	96	95	293
Sam	73	88	88	249
Joyce	91	90	83	264
	449	449	438	1336

NOT HIS FAULT.

Albert H. Brown, manager of the news agency of Brown & Co. in city square claims that it is not his fault that Sunday papers are sold in Quincy for six cents but the fault of the newspapers who refuse to sell them to him at a price which will enable him to get a profit when delivered for five cents.

He also claims that the price of Sunday Boston papers in Portland Me., is not five but six cents.

QUINCY DOGS WIN.

Stress was first and Nimrod Jupiter was second in the awards in the fox hound open class at the Lynn dog show Thursday. Both are owned by Ambrose Elcock of West Quincy.

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INSTALLED FOR SIXTH TERM

Miss Mary Little was installed Thursday evening for her sixth term as President of Div. 23 Ladies Auxiliary Ancient Order of Hibernians The installation was held in Hibernian hall. Mrs. Hanley of South Weymouth, vice-president of the county board, was the installing officer. She was assisted by Miss Mary Moran of East Weymouth, also a member of the county board, and Mrs. John Sullivan, vice president of Div. 5.

The invited guests were Councilman James O'Dowd, president of Div. 22, John Donahue president of Div. 5, and Edward Finn president of Div. 4. Miss Nonie Reardon and Edward Finn rendered several pleasing selections. Miss Olive Berry presided at the piano Refreshments were served by a committee of young ladies of the society.

The officers installed were:
President—Miss Mary Little.
Vice president—Miss Ellen Connell.
Treasurer—Mrs. Theresa Hennessey.
Recording Sec.—Miss Mary O'Dowd.
Financial Sec.—Miss Louise Mahoney.
Sentinel—Miss Elizabeth McGowan.
Sergeant at Arms—Miss Rose Canavan.
Chairman of Sick Com.—Mrs. Margaret Ogle.
Pianist—Miss Olive Berry.
Doctor.—Dr. John H. Ash.

TO AID QUAKE SUFFERERS

The Italians of the city have called a mass meeting for Sunday afternoon in Malnatis hall to complete plans for a concert to raise funds for the Italian earthquake sufferers. The concert will probably be held in Music hall in the immediate future.

Many of the Italians in Quincy were born within the limits of the earthquake strip and a great majority of those living on Brackett and Canal street come from Sumona and Avezzano, just outside of Rome, where the shock was the most severe.

Pinboys employed in the bowling alleys, stone cutters and granite carvers, all are interested in the meeting and accommodations are being made to handle the large number who will attend.

ATTEND TELEPHONE BANQUET.

A large delegation of the employees of the plant department of the local telephone exchange attended the annual banquet of the Boston Plant Chapter Telephone and Telegraph society of New England held Thursday evening at Copley hall, Boston.

The principal speaker of the evening was E. K. Hall, vice-president of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, who took as his subject: "Some Mistaken Impressions About Our Company." He explained fully the recent offer of the company to sell stock to its employees.

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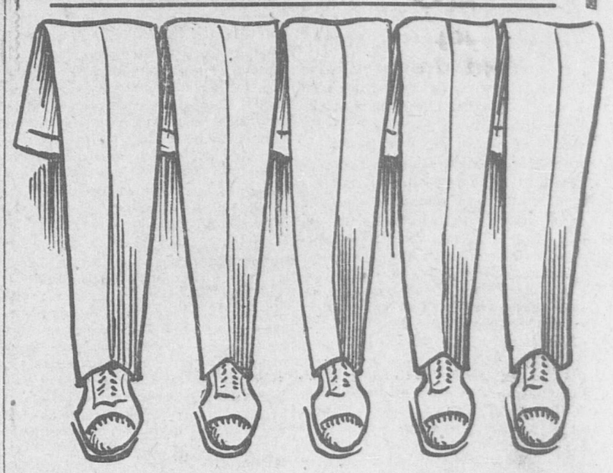
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SWEDISH REVIVAL MEETINGS.

There was a large attendance and a hearty response Thursday night to the appeals made by the pastors of the three Swedish churches uniting in evangelistic meetings this week at the Swedish St. Paul's M. E. church

Rev. Paul Hallin had charge of the service and Rev. A. G. Sporrong delivered a stirring sermon on the "Finality of Time."

There was singing by the large mixed chorus and the Men's choir from the Congregational church. Tonight will be the last meeting in the Methodist church, as the meetings will be continued next week in the Swedish Congregational church.

Rev. Frank E. Broman District Supt. of Boston district will speak tonight. The Methodist Men's quartet will sing.

HENRY A. BELCHER.

Henry A. Belcher, a well known resident of Randolph and a former member of the firm of R. H. White & Co. died Wednesday aged 71 years. Mr. Belcher was born in Randolph.

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WHY DID JUNE RUN AWAY?
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ROAST BEEF Lower
LAMB, PORK and CHICKEN

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UNDER CUT ROASTS were 25c. Now 22c
5 RIB CUTS were 25c Now 21c

STEAKS
Best Rump was 45c. Now 40c
Best Top of Round was 35c. Now 32c
Porterhouse was 38c. Now 32c
Sirloin was 32c. Now 27c
Top of Sirloin 25c

FRUIT DEPARTMENT
Navel Oranges were 35c. Now 29c
Florida Oranges were 27c. Now 21c
LEMONS—Large, Juicy 21c

VEGETABLES
Best Potatoes were 20c pk. Now 16c LIMIT 2 PECKS
BOSTON MARKET CELERY 20c
CALIFORNIA CELERY 15c
HUBBARD SQUASH 3 1-2c lb
LETTUCE—Heavy 8c head
LETTUCE—Light 5c head
BRUSSELS SPROUTS 20c
RIPE TOMATOES 2 lbs. 25c

LAMB
LEG AND LOIN was 20c Now 17 1-2
SHORT LEGS were 23c. Now 20c
FORES LAMB were 15c Now 12-12c
KIDNEY LAMB CHOPS were 35c. Now 30c
RIB LAMB CHOPS were 30c. Now 25c

CHICKEN
Fresh Killed Chickens were 27c. Now 23c
Fowl were 25c. Now 21c

PIG PORK
ROAST PIG PORK, was 18c by the strip NOW 14 1-2c

SUGAR 4c lb.
With 1 lb. of our BEST TEA or 1 lb. of our CHASE & SANBORN'S COFFEE. Limit—5 lbs. to a customer with each lb. of Tea or Coffee.

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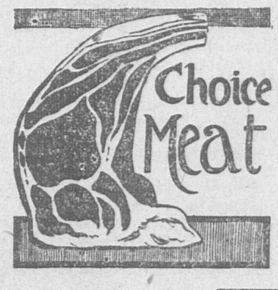
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Fresh Pork, roast	15c lb
Fresh Shoulders	14c lb
Smoked Shoulders. Star Brand	14c lb
Fresh Killed Fowl	19c lb
Squires Small Sausages	18c lb
California Pea Beans, Special value	$1.00 pk
Best Carolina Rice	3 lbs 25c 10 lbs 75c
Dunhams Cocoanut	3 pkg 25c

Priscilla Prepared Products

Doughnut Flour, Cake Flour, Tea Biscuit Flour, Gingerbread Flour	4—15c pkg for 25c
Karo Syrup	3 cans 25c
Large Navel Oranges	27c doz
Choice Lemons	20c doz
Fancy Grape Fruit	6 for 25c

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WOMEN'S CLUB PRESENT OPERA

John Alden Speaks For Himself to Priscilla of Plymouth Towne

An appreciative audience filled Music hall Friday evening when the comic opera "Priscilla" was presented under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's club. The scene of the opera was laid in Ye Goode Olde Towne of Plymouth in the time of Miles Standish, Gov. Bradford and John Alden. The story is partly historical but largely whimsical, carrying one back to the days when the winsome maidens wore homespun gowns with white caps and aprons, and the youths knee breeches.

The cast was composed of well know Wollaston people whose efforts were rewarded by frequent applause, for the audience was quick to recognize their exceptionally good work. John Alden, impersonated by Carl Hopkins, was the hero, a most bashful youth, very much in love with Priscilla, the fair Plymouth maiden. The heroine, was impersonated by Miss Ruth Louise Hardy. John finally musters up sufficient courage to propose to Priscilla, who is ready to give her love to him for the asking, but something always happens to thwart him just at the crucial moment.

Miles Standish, the warrior, rough and gruff, is also in love with her, which fact he admits to Hatebad Higgins. He also tells Priscilla that he is in love but lacks the courage to inform her that she is the object of his affections. However she is so full of love and sympathy herself, that she takes pity on Miles and smilingly advises him to propose to his lady love by proxy, an idea which immediately strikes Miles as a good one.

When he proposes his scheme to Alden, whom he has selected as his proxy, the latter almost faints, but thinking that he has no chance to win Priscilla consents to be a "Martyr to a friend in need."

Higgins, is an enterprising salesman with a clever scheme to supply Plymouth colonists with heirlooms to hand down to posterity and he loses no opportunity to ply his trade, especially upon Miles, who gets much incensed, and roughly orders him off Higgins departs vowing vengeance.

Hatebad's first appearance creates much laughter as he is almost hidden beneath two large signs, reading "Ye Ancestrial Relick and Authenticated Heirloom Company, limited."

The second act finds Priscilla seated at her spinning wheel lamenting Alden's diffidence, when the Plymouth maidens enter hastily and inform her of a secret they have learned, for they have just seen Alden on his knees rehearsing the love speech to be made in Miles behalf. Priscilla is of course indignant at being wooed in such a manner and declares she will most emphatically decline.

Hatebad, still burning for revenge, gets the idea that Resignation, a mature maiden, is the one with whom Miles is in love, and to be revenged, determines to cut him out. He finds Resignation very responsive, and the song "At Last She Got a Declaration" calls for much applause. Hatebad then departs gloating over his revenge.

Alden enters and finds Priscilla at the spinning wheel and although he would postpone his disagreeable task Priscilla detains him, and after much hesitation he at last pleads for his friend Standish. Priscilla turns the tables and her song "Why Don't You Speak for Yourself John" brings him to his senses and he pleads his own cause, and is of course accepted. As the compact is sealed with a kiss Miles enters and is furious at the situation. He orders Alden's arrest for breach of contract and the successful lover is seized by the Standish guards. Priscilla pleads for her lover, declaring that her heart will break and she will die if he is taken away.

Miles at last relents and give his blessing. The Indian Squanto enters with papers from which it is learned that Alden is a millionaire and he turns to Priscilla urging her not to give him up because he is now rich, which of course she does not.

Miles then turns to Barbara for consolation, who quickly jumps at the opportunity and the opera closes with everybody happy.

Many of the speaking and singing parts were in rhyme and were quaintly rendered. Among the solo parts might be mentioned: "I Accept the Nomination for Your Accommodation" and "A Man Can be Happy and Single Too," by Gov. Bradford; "If to Court a Pretty Maid You Are Afraid, Why Don't You get a Friend to do it for You" by Priscilla; "Wise People Make Hay While the Sun Doth Shine" and "Though I May Blush, I Will Say Yes" by Barbara; "We Never do so Now" and "The Worm Will Sometimes Turn" by Hatebad.

Priscilla, was a most winsome maiden and Alden and Standish could not be blamed for falling in love with her. Resignation, with her rosy cheeks, made many warm friends among the audience by her captivating ways, and although she was supposed to be a maiden of mature years, she was not unwilling to leand her ear to the pleadings of a lover.

Gladys Flieger, as Barbara was especially fine. While it did not appear on the surface during the progress of the opera that she was not heart whole, when Miles turned to her for solace her true inner feelings were apparent. Faith and Prudence had no speaking or solo parts but they gave must excellent support to the soloists and choruses.

Miles Standish, supported by his savage looking Standish Guards, proved when the time came that he could forgive Alden for taking his sweetheart away, and merited the reward Barbara gave to him when she placed her heart in his keeping.

John Alden had a good voice in his solo parts which was never more apparent than in the love scene with Priscilla. Gov. Bradford, was gruff looking but beneath his fierce looking black beard there was evidently a kindly face, Hatebad was exception-

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Sunday fair and colder. Monday fair.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.06
Sun sets	4.48
Length of day	9.42
Moon sets	1.37
High water, A. M.	5.45
High water, P. M.	6.15
Days increase	0 hrs. 36 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	32 degrees
Jan. 22, 1914,	34 degrees
Jan. 23, 1913,	39 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

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WHY DID JUNE RUN AWAY?
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TWO THUGS WORE FALSE WHISKERS

Joseph Landry Reports a Thrilling Experience on Willard Street

SAVED BY LIGHT

Two suspicious looking men both having black moustaches that appeared to be false, held up Joseph Landry of Bates avenue Wednesday evening when he was returning to his home after visiting a friend on West street. Mr. Landry states he was walking down Willard street and after passing by an empty tenement he was surprised to hear someone order him to stop. He turned around and both men were running for him, coming apparently from behind the empty house. Mr. Landry who was formerly an usher at Kincaide theatre must have used some of the speed he used in the theatre on rush nights as the men did not catch him, and turned back.

Landry thought no more of the matter until Thursday morning when he heard that another young man was stopped the same evening on Willard street by two men of the same description, who asked him for a quarter. The young man, who is well built and weighs in the neighborhood of 250, refused them and rather than take a chance with him they passed along. Willard street at this point is very lonely and dark.

ODD FELLOWS INSTALLATION

The newly elected officers of Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., were installed Friday evening in the presence of a large gathering of Patriarchs not only from Manet encampment but from encampments in the immediate vicinity.

The installing officer was District Deputy Grand Patriarch, E. B. Prouty of Rockland, who was accompanied by the following suite; H. O. Turner, H. P.; A. F. Briggs, S. W; Arthur Whiting, J. W; Howard Crocker, Scribe; George A. Greene, Treasurer; L. E. Davenport, I. G; and C. Fred West, O. G.

Following the installation there were speeches by the grand officers and at the close of the business of the evening refreshments were served. The officers installed were as follows:

Chief Patriarch—James E. Richardson.
High Priest—Ethan A. Rich.
Senior Warden—Robert W. Woot.
Recording Secretary—Sam Woon. Jr
Financial Secretary—George C. Ela
Treasurer—Frank L. Carleton.
Junior Warden—Howard W. Thayer
Guide—J. Herbert Baker.
First Watch—Andrew Johnson.
Second Watch—Henry W. Hatfield.
Third Watch—Albert Wood.
Fourth Watch—Clarence Hayden.
First Guard of Tent—Leo Block.
Second Guard of Tent—George M. Williams.
Inside Sentinel—Alexander C. Marnock.
Outside Guard—Edward L. Goodridge.
Trustees—Frank W. Flowers and Andrew Johnson.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE.

People interested in children will wish to attend the evening service at Bethany church Sunday to hear the lecture and enter into the singing. The future of Church and State rests with the children and their interests are vital to all lovers of America. Men will invite their friends. Subject of lecture "Commercializing Childhood."

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of the Hall Place M. E. church will be held in the vestry Monday evening at quarter of eight.



MRS. MAUD WOOD PARK OF BOSTON, EX-SECRETARY OF THE BOSTON EQUAL SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION AND A NOTED SUFFRAGE SPEAKER, WHO IS TO LECTURE TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT ALPHA HALL UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB, SUBJECT "THE WOMAN MOVEMENT THE WORLD AROUND."

FEATHERED FOWL FIGHT FIRE

Cowering Crowd See Smoke Whirling Out of Window

BILLINGS BIRDS

Excitement reigned on Quincy street Friday afternoon because it was reported that a number of huge birds were seen emerging from the house of Mrs. Mary Whoriski. A little boy reported to an agitated crowd that he had seen these birds, in appearance strange beyond belief, enter the house at 133 1-2 Quincy street, and then emerge followed by a cloud of smoke.

Many persons not otherwise occupied proceeded timorously to the house where they witnessed the amazing spectacle of huge birds fighting a fire, or rather fighting smoke, for to the crowd outside the house little was visible save dense clouds of smoke.

It later appeared that there had been a fire in one of the rooms of the house but that the blaze was confined to a feather bed. When the fire fighters entered the room they entered a chamber of flying feathers which settled upon them in a most artistic manner. Taking into account the feathers which the men birds took away on their persons the loss will not exceed $25.

DISTRICT COURT.

James W. Ash, 13, of Weymouth and Frank Flanders, 14, of Cohasset were sent to the Walpole school for being habitual truants.

John Our of Weymouth was arraigned for non support and ordered to pay $2 a week toward the support of his family.

HENRY SMITH.

The funeral of Henry Smith, brother of Mrs. W. Fay of Wollaston was held in Dorchester this afternoon. Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church officiated at the services. The body aws taken to Ipswich for burial.

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WOULD ABOLISH WOODEN ROOFS

Report to Fire Hazard Commission Urges Use of Metal Roofs

TO PRESENT TO COUNCIL

At a recent conference of representatives of the different cities and towns of the Metropolitan district with the Fire Hazard commission the matter of combustible roof coverings was discussed at length and the special committee appointed to look into the matter have reported to Commissioner O'Keefe, recommending that the cities and towns of the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District should be by ordinance put in force the following regulation:

"The roof of every building hereafter erected or re-covered in whole or in part, and the top of every dormer window thereon, shall be covered and roofed with brick, tile, slate, tin, copper, or iron, or such other incombustible or fire-retarding roofing, as the commissioner by his certificate in writing may authorize; but this section shall not be construed to prohibit the patching or minor repairs of shingled roofs."

Chief Billings has received a copy. The matter will probably be brought to the attention of the city council at an early date.

LEWIS HARKINS.

The funeral of Lewis Harkins, who died suddenly in Philadelphia, was held Friday afternoon from the home of his mother, Mrs. Charles Pratt at 12 Fenno street. Services were held in St. John's church by Fr. John J. Casey and burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. The deceased lived here until four years ago and was a brother of Leonard Harkins.

HOTEL MAY CHANGE HANDS.

There is a report, according to the Hull Beacon, that the Hotel Pemberton of that town is soon to be taken over by the steamboat company, which will cater to excursionists.

MINISTERS COMMENT UPON BILLY SUNDAY

Some Approve of His Methods and Some Disapprove

Billy Sunday, the evangelist, who recently delivered a most severe censure on Boston's morals and also attacked the Federal league on the ground that it was trying to disrupt base ball has announced he would not pay Boston a visit. It is known that Mr. Sunday had the feeling that the welcome to him in Boston might not be wholly cordial.

Among those instrumental in the effort to get him to Boston was Rev. James Todd, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Rev. Mr. Todd anticipated a decided opposition to Sunday and with that end in view has said it would be necessary to build a large tabernacle so he could conduct his evangelist meetings.

Quincy's ministers take pronounced views on the methods of Sunday.

REV. ISAIAH W. SNEATH.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath of the Wollaston Congregational Church believes Sunday is doing a good work and that while he has certain peculiarities and uses certain kinds of language which would not appeal to the ordinary Christian man, it is meeting a condition that is necessary to be met in our time. "It is very significant," said Rev. Mr. Sneath, "that 6000 already have shaken his hand in Philadelphia and that last Sunday 1300 acknowledged their purpose to lead a Christian life, 90 out of every 100 being men It is my conviction that men are seeking for the spiritual life and that Sunday is one of the unique forces raised to open the way, so that while there may be features in connection with himself and work which are worthy of criticism, yet I believe he is God-sent for the work he is doing."

REV. ADELBERT L. HUDSON.

Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson of the First Parish church said, "I don't think his methods are either an adequate or a fair interpretation of religion. He may possibly do some good among the ignorant or so-called vicious classes but he is apt to do a great deal more harm by misrepresenting, misinterpreting the real intent and motive of religion and consequently to alienate many thoughtful people who are at this time ready to consider a fair, reasonable interpretation of religion as the basis of human conduct.

"I think this is a time in which thinking people are unusually susceptible to religious interests and I am afraid the effect of Billy Sunday's methods will be to disgust rather than to attract many people who could be won over to the active support of religion. That class are likely to be disgusted and if the methods are endorsed and approved by the Christian churches generally they accept those methods as their own. There is the danger or harm from the cort of propaganda he is carrying on. I don't undertake to speak with regard to his personal motives but I think his methods are a danger to religion."

REV. GEORGE M. BAILEY.

Rev. George M. Bailey of the Wollaston M. E. church said he never had personal contact with Sunday. "My position," he said, "is based on the reports which come to us from time to time. Although his methods appear strange and startling to conservative New England it seems as if the approval of God is upon him and his work. I have heard those who have been through campaigns with him, one prominent man in particular, say that to be in the work and to know the man and his spirit was enough in itself to enable one to approve of him and of his work. That man said Sunday was a devoted man and tremendously in earnest. We all recognize, of course, the strange way as being out of the ordinary, but he seems to get results. Dr. George M. Morris of the West, formerly a professor at the Boston University Theological school, most heartily approves of his work. It is only through such channels I know of him."

REV. BENJ. A. WILLMOTT.

Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church said: "I have never heard Mr. Sunday, so do not feel competent to form an intelligent judgment. My impression is that I should not enjoy his methods or feel free to adopt them. But it takes all kinds of people to make society and all kinds of men and methods to save society. What I think of Mr. Sunday is of small importance, since my ideas are narrowed by personal preference, formed by early training, education and environment. But it is of immense importance that my idea of the kingdom of God should be broad enough to make me thankful for other men and other methods than mine. I should also be thankful for any man who can make real to the world the gospel of Christ and cause evil men to love and follow after righteousness

I am convinced that Mr. Sunday is doing a great, good work. In some minds an infelicity of speech is more deadly than sin. This feeling I do not share. It would be narrow to emphasize the crudeness of his speech and methods at the expense of the great good he is doing. I deplore the former and rejoice greatly in the latter.

"People are not crushing one another to death to gain admission to hear my message but I am glad to know of a man who can reach men that no church is large enough to accommodate them. I cannot express great sorrow that Mr. Sunday is not coming to Boston, but if he ever comes I shall do my utmost to make his message a blessing to men. The important thing we wish is for men to know and realize their relation to God and Jesus Christ and their true relation to their fellow man and we shall be happy to hear of that being done by any man or by any honest method."

REV. WM. B. AYERS.

Rev. William B. Ayers of the Park and Downs Congregational church said: "Some people object to his language but there are people who object to anything with a germ of life in it. A thing may be uncouth, even rude, but I believe that any agency however preposterous it may seem that proves itself to be a power for good is not to be dispensed with nor scoffinfily thrust aside. If the Master lived today there are many pulpits into which he would not be in-

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"THE GOOD OLD DAYS."

We have no patience with those who sigh continually for "the good old days," and see nothing worthy in the age in which they live. Leaving out of account The Great War, which is admittedly a horrible anachronism, we have the feeling that the present is not so bad after all. "The Good Old Days." Bosh. One does not have to go further than Quincy a hundred years ago to find baths infrequent and an insane woman chained like a dog to a kennel outside the house of a respected citizen, her husband. Around the days of chivalry novelists and poets have blown a cloud of romance. Nonsense. In the days of the Crusaders in Merry England no woman's life or virtue were safe outside her castle walls. "The Good Old Days" are with us now if we would but look for them."

UNWORTHY OF HIM.

William Travers Jerome will not add to his reputation if he carries out his reported intention of personally escorting Harry K. Thaw from New Hampshire to New York. It begins to look as if there might be something in Thaw's feeling that Jerome's feeling toward him was one of personal enmity. This should not be. As attorney in charge of the prosecution of the case of the state of New York against the notorious fugitive from Matteawan Mr. Jerome should maintain the dignified attitude of an officer of the court and should not permit himself to be influenced by personal feelings.

A SENSIBLE MOVE.

Mayor Campbell has shown good sense in determining to call upon the services of an expert to investigate the water system of the city. As Mr. Whiting indicated in his letter Thursday our water rate system is neither fair nor profitable. It is a tangled mess such as only an expert can unravel. If he can unravel it the small cost to the city will pay for itself many times over.

FIND THAT MAN.

The police should leave no stone unturned in their attempt to ascertain the identity of the man whose automobile struck Carl Burns Thursday evening, carried the injured man a short distance, and then left him on the side of the road.

Whether or not the fault was Burn's or the driver's the latter acted the part of a coward and a rascal. Such a man is not fitted to operate an automobile on the public highway.

A WORTHY CAUSE.

It is to be hoped that the attempt of the Italians of this city to raise funds for their unfortunate brethren in Italy, sufferers from the recent earthquake, may meet with success.

The appeal should not be limited to Italians. A great calamity such as Italy has suffered cries aloud to the world for aid and the world should give heed.

Like that of most big fires the first estimate of Salem's loss dwindles upon later and more accurate returns. the loss is now set at $150,000. What ever it is the sympathy of all persons will go out to the unfortunate city which has had to suffer this latest calamity. It would seem as if poor old Salem had now suffered about all any city could endure.

A NEW DEPARTMENT.

On Friday the Ledger began a department which it hopes to make a regular weekly feature, news of the granite business. This is only a forerunner of a number of features of which announcement will shortly be made.

The Hogans are certainly a determined family. Repulsed at the first assault they remain steadfast in their resolution to die "Homan" or "Holman" or by any appelation save the one they now bear.

Now who will be the successor of Lieut. Hanson at police headquarters? The department has a number of men competent to fill the position.

TO HOLD WAGES DOWN

Morrison's View of Big Corporations' Interest In Immigration

Washington, Jan. 23.—In the face of a warning from President Wilson against questioning motives of opponents of the immigration bill, Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor suggested broadly in the White House public hearing that the influences against the bill are big corporations.

Those corporations, he suggested, induce immigration in order that they may get cheap labor. Talk of need of aliens to work United States farms, he hinted, is a bait to obtain employes for the United States Steel corporation, the big packing houses and other interests.

"These great corporations," he said, "want two men for every job. That means they will be able to get one of the two at a very low wage, for hunger and distress will compel a man to accept a wage below the American standard.

"We are opposed to exploitation of immigrants to swell the dividends of the United States Steel corporation and the steamship companies."

BROKER'S OFFICE LOOTED

Thieves Who Leave No Clue Escape With $10,000 In Securities

Boston, Jan. 23.—The looting of an office in the Oliver building, 141 Milk street, og $10,000 in securities, most of them readily transferable into cash, was the daring and successful robbery that confronts the police. No clue to the burglars has been found. The pillaged office was that of Broker Fred J. Burrell on the third floor, and the thieves fairly tore the place to pieces in their hunt for the precious papers.

The drawer of a flat top mahogany desk, containing Burrell's strong box, was forced open and the contents thrown about the room, as were the contents of the closet, and the thieves forced every drawer in two other desks.

WIFE SLAYER GETS BUT BRIEF RESPITE

Execution of Californian Is Stayed Forty-One Minutes

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—L. A. Larsen, a wife murderer, gained forty-one minutes of life when his execution, set for 10 o'clock at San Quentin prison, was delayed until 10:41, while the state supreme court here passed upon an application for a writ of habeas corpus, telegraphed from Los Angeles.

The telegram lay unopened on the desk of Chief Justice Angellotti until ten minutes before the time set for the hanging. When he had read it, there was barely time to get the warden of San Quentin on the telephone and instruct him to await further word.

The court then passed on the application, which was based on a minor technically, and promptly denied it, notifying the prison warden to proceed with the execution.

NO ONE TO BLAME

Report on Fatal Flareback Aboard Submarine Tender Fulton

Boston, Jan. 23.—Flarebacks on oil-burning boilers such as caused an explosion on the new submarine tender Fulton at the Charlestown navy yard and resulted in the death of one man and injury to four are likely to occur any time under existing conditions, according to a report sent to Secretary Daniels of the navy by the board which investigated the accident.

The board reported that the flareback was caused by faulty mechanism. No blame was attached to anyone.

M'CALL'S HAT IN RING

Will Again Be Candidate For Governor of Massachusetts

Boston, Jan. 23.—Former Congressman Samuel W. McCall announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor last night.

While it was generally assumed that McCall would again be a candidate, his announcement at this time was unexpected. He formally entered the race on the advice of his supporters, who considered it good policy to make an early start because of the other candidates who are expected to enter the field later.

Firebug Sent to Prison

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 23.—Charles S. Hastings, 48, pleaded guilty in the superior court to a charge of setting fire to the shop of Nathan D. Parker in A hol. He was sentenced to from six to eight years in prison.

Author Wounded In Battle

Paris, Jan. 23.—Francis de Croisset, the playwright, author of a number of famous plays, who is a sub-lieutenant in the French army, was wounded during the fighting along the Yser in Flanders.

Bliss Made Bishop of Vermont

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 22.—Dr. George Y. Bliss, rector of St. Paul's church of this city, was elected bishop coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Vermont, as successor to the late William F. Weeks.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Sunday Rev. Albert Crabtree of the Church of the Redeemer South Boston will officiate at the 10.30 morning service at St. Chrysostom's in exchange with the rector Rev. Frederick H Steenstra.

An informal reception is to be held in St. Chrysostom's new parish house next Thursday evening. The entertainment will be in charge of Mrs. Howard D. Fowler, and Mrs. Herbert H. Albee will be chairman of the refreshment committee.

The Walther Men's Class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist Church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussions, prelude—"Should Billy Sunday Come to Boston?" Scripture Lesson subject:—"Gideon and His Three Hundred." All men invited to this large and growing class.

It was voted by the music committee of the Quincy Women's Club to allow children under fourteen years of age to witness the dress rehearsal of the opera "Mikado," on the afternoon of Feb. 10 at Music hall. It will be an excellent opportunity for children to see at small expense a splendid performance of an ever popular opera.

The regular work of the Quincy Branch Alliance was held in the parlor of the First Parish church Wednesday afternoon at half past two The Branch had as guests, delegates from the Alliance branches of Dover and West Roxbury. The speaker of the afternoon was Miss Anna M. Bancroft, president of the National Alliance, who spoke upon "Alliance Work."

Those who enjoy cards are looking forward to an enjoyable afternoon next Friday at the clubhouse of the Quincy Women's Club when a subscription party is to be held under the auspices of the education committee for the benefit of the school nurse fund. There are to be tables for whist, bridge and auction bridge so that every one may join in the play.

Rehearsals for the opera "Mikado," to be given on the evening of Feb 10, at Music hall, under the auspices of the music committee of the Quincy Women's Club, are reaching a high state of perfection, under the efficient coaching of Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt and Frederic Kennedy. The leading parts will be taken by professionals. The chorus is large and well trained, the music most melodious, and a fine production is anticipated.

St. Chrysostom's Guild is to hold a fair Feb. 11 in the new parish house. The chairmen of the different tables are: linen, Miss Elizabeth Cook; baby, Mrs. Horace W. Richmond; aprons Mrs. Arthur Stanley and the Misses Clean; household Mrs Percy L. Davidson; children's amusement Mrs Elizabeth Shultz; dolls Mrs H. Kneeland Ellis Jr; candy Mrs Herbert L. Packard; ice cream Mrs Henry J. Landry and Mrs. J. Willard Hallett; supper Mrs. Herbert H. Albee and Mrs. Daniel C. Miller; tickets and posters Mrs. David L. Jewell.

CHICKATAWBUT CLUB MEETS.

The regular weekly meeting of the Chickatawbut Social club was held Friday evening at the home of Jerome Reinhalter the president of the club. The entertainment committee reported that it was planning to run a social in the near future. After the usual routine of business a social hour followed. Miss Marguerite Reinhalter furnished music and Henry McDonald of East Milton sang several selections Refreshments were served. The club is anxious to increase its membership so that they will be able to hold public socials at a later date.

POOL TOURNAMENT.

Today is the last day to enter the West Quincy Pool Tournament. Several teams have entered and it looks as though the tournament will be ready to open on Monday evening. The winners will try to secure a series with the winners of the Quincy Social Club League. Some of the best known sharks entered are: "Babe" Badger, "Ed" and "Joe" Desmond, "Joe" Brunet, George Hebert, "Jack" Jolly, "Scrappy" De Coste, "Tommy" Rogers and "Jimmy" Quinn.

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MARKED DECREASE IN PESTS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 23.—A marked decrease in the numbers of both the gypsy and brown-tail moths is declared by the Bureau of Entomology of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to have taken place in the period covered by the report which has recently been published of its work for the year ending June 30, 1914. This has been largely brought about by the wilt disease and the parasites and other natural enemies of these pests, which have been introduced to fight them.

In New England extensive scouting work around the borders of the infested region has resulted in the discovery of the existence of the gypsy moth in 81 new towns in Maine, 8 in New Hampshire, 7 in Massachusetts, 17 in Rhode Island, and 17 in Connecticut.

The brown-tail moth situation is said to be even better. The severe winter has aided the brown-tail moth fungus disease and the imported parasites in bringing about an enormous decrease in the numbers of this pest In the northern part of the infested region in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont, the decrease is especially noticeable. On the other hand some brown-tail moth nests have been found on the eastern end of Long Island.

The inspection of all forest products and nursery stock moved from infested regions to other parts of the United States is declared to have prevented the establishment of many colonies in widely separated localities in 17,076 shipments which have been inspected, 4,253 specimens of the gypsy moth and 1,404 specimens of the brown-tail moth have been destroyed. It is claimed that if this work had been begun years before, the small colonies in New York, Ohio, and the Berkshire region in Massachusetts would not have become established.

In addition to the quarantine work scientific experiments and investigations have been carried on with the object of securing more exact information about the food habits of these moths in order to discover new ways of exterminating them.

CENSUS DELAYED.

Director Wm. J. Harris of the Census Bureau regrets the necessity of calling attention to the fact that a large number of manufacturers have neglected to make the reports required for the census of 1914. This not only delays the publication of the census, but adds greatly to the cost of the work. The law directs that a census of manufactures shall be taken every fifth year, and the Director has done everything possible to facilitate the work. The blanks on which to make the reports were mailed to all manufacturers with the request that the returns be forwarded to the Census Bureau by January 15, 1915. The co-operation of chambers of commerce, boards of trade, and other organizations interested in our industrial development has been solicited but, notwithstanding their very general response and assistance, comparatively few reports have been received, and a large number of those that have reached the office are very defective.

It is feared that the importance of these statistics showing the condition of all industries during the year 1914 is not appreciated. Unless all manufacturers make proper returns the relative standing of one industry with another and of one city with another will be seriously affected. The City of Quincy should not lose the position to which it is entitled industrially, and it is the duty of every citizen to see that full and complete returns are made of all our industries.

The Board of Trade recognized the importance of having the city properly represented in this census, and have recommended that all manufacturers give the requests for census reports prompt and careful consideration. It is hoped that each manufacturer will appreciate his individual responsibility, and send in his completed schedules at once.

CRITICALLY ILL.

Mrs. Edna French, wife of William R. French commander of Col. Abner B. Packard camp, Sons of Veterans, is critically ill at her home on Independence avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. French were married last July and are a most popular young couple of this city. Mrs. French is one of the youngest and most active members of Rebecca Wiswell tent, Daughters of Veterans, of which her mother, Mrs. Annie B. Grignon, is president.

ETTOR UNER ARREST.

Joseph J. Ettor, the I. W. W. leader, who spoke in Quincy, is under arrest in St. Clairsville, Ohio, on a charge of treason. He furnished $5,000 bail, and was bound over for a grand jury.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Editor, The Ledger:

In a recent number of the Ledger I read with interest a discussion in the city council regarding renewals of anticipation of taxes notes. I enclose an extract from municipal Bulletin No. 3, issued by the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics, which has charge of town notes; the law in regard to city anticipation of taxes loans would seem to be the same. I submit the above extract, as being possibly interesting to the public, and not necessarily having any direct bearing upon the recent discussion in the Council.

Yours truly,
James L. Edwards.

The extract follows:

Some town treasurers in the past have so construed a vote authorizing them to borrow a given amount as permission to borrow on several notes aggregating a sum in excess of the amount fixed in the vote, provided the amount of notes outstanding did not, at any one time, exceed the total amount authorized; that is to say, under authority to borrow $50,000, a treasurer has assumed that he might borrow $30,000 and, upon payment of the same, might borrow another $30,000 the two borrowings aggregating $60,000, or $10,000 in excess of the amount specified in the vote, and so on indefinitely.

Sometimes also when a note falls due an extension of time is granted by means of a "renewal" note, so called, which is given for the whole amount of the note or a part thereof, but while such a transaction may not increase the outstanding obligation of the town, it is nevertheless an additional borrowing for which a new note should be given, and such new note must be complete upon its face and submitted for certification. The amount of the new note, when added to the amount of the original, should not exceed the whole amount originally authorized. Towns which have heretofore construed the law as authorizing them to borrow separate amounts or to "renew" notes indefinitely, so long as the amount outstanding at any one time did not exceed the total amount authorized, are advised to discontinue such practice. The Attorney General of the Commonwealth has ruled upon this question as follows:—

I am of the opinion that the amount of the debt which the town has by vote duly authorized to be incurred may not in any case be exceeded, and that the authority of the town officers in the premises is exhausted when they have once contracted a debt to the extent of the sum set forth in such vote. It follows, therefore, that notes may not be legally issued for debts incurred in anticipation of taxes in any one year when such debts exceed in the aggregate the total amount which the town has authorized to be so borrowed.

LATE BUT SUCCESSFUL.

Christmas Party at Christ Church Much Enjoyed.

The annual Christmas party for members of the senior department and teachers and officers of the Sunday school of Christ church was held Friday evening at the parish house with a large attendance.

Although a little late in the season for a Christmas party the affair was much enjoyed, due in a great measure to the efforts of Mrs. Walter E. Burke, ably assisted by Delcevare King who had charge of the games, the playing of which occupied the early part of the evening.

Following the games refreshments were served by Supt. Arthur Newton assisted by the teachers and the evening closed with general dancing until midnight. A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Burke and Mr. King for their successful efforts in making the affair such a success.

Y. M. C. A. PLAY.

The committee in charge of the annual Y. M. C. A. play has decided upon a three act comedy entitled "A" Family Affair," to be given in Music hall, April 6. The play is under the direction of Erastus Osgood and the cast will be made up of well known local talent including Miss Georgianna Michael, Messrs Charles Bishop, William Walker and Edward Dow.

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TO SPEAK IN QUINCY.

Interesting Meeting to be Held Tuesday by Women's Club.

Mrs. Maud Wood Park, secretary of the Boston Equal Suffrage Association, who speaks before the Quincy Women's Club in Alpha hall Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 on "The Woman Movement the World Around," is a native of Boston. She prepared for college at St. Agnes School at Albany. From 1895 to 1898 she attended Radcliffe college, graduating with highest honors. Her interest in equal suffrage goes back to college days. With Mrs. Inez Haynes Gilmore, Radcliffe '98, she organized the College Equal Suffrage League which has now fifty branches and is a powerful factor in the battle for suffrage.

After the death of her husband, Mrs. Park spent two years in travel and study in the far East, and since her return has given a series of talks about Oriental women.

For a number of years Mrs. Park has been interested in settlement work, as well as in suffrage.

She is regarded as one of the ablest women speakers in New England. She is a fluent convincing talker, and is anything but a militant in the ordinary accepted sense of the word.

Mrs. Park is a member of the executive board of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association and is vice-president of the College Equal Suffrage League.

Julius Fuller of Hall place who has been visiting friends in Maine for several months, has returned to West Quincy.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Y. P. C. U. And Sunday School Elect Officers.

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church has elected these officers for the new year:

President—Freeman Hyland.
Vice President—Miss Marion Wright
Secretary—Willard Hyland.
Treasurer—Miss Bernice Stoddard.
Social Committee—Miss Harriet Lombard.
Devotional Committee—Miss Edith Hyland.
Lookout Committee—Miss Mildred Stoddard.

The Sunday school has elected these officers:

Superintendent—Freeman Hyland.
Assistant. Supt.—Miss Annie Hobart.
Secretary—Miss Edith Hyland.
Treasurer—Miss Alfaretta Hanson.

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In SOCIETY



Miss Josephine Thompson of Main street entertained friends at her home Friday evening in honor of her guest Miss Louise Deane of Assonett. Four tables of whist were in play. Miss Grignon had the highest score. Vocal solos were rendered by Misses Hussey, Reardon, Talbot and Deane, accompanied by Mr. Thompson. Refreshments were served.

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Mrs. Carl R. Sheppard gave a neighborhood auction bridge party Friday afternoon at her new home on Edgemere road. There were three tables in play.

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Pupils of Miss Ella Ames Horton assisted by Miss Annie B. Beale, violinist, gave a most excellent program at Miss Horton's studio, Huntington Chambers, Boston, Saturday. The first number on the program was a Schubert Sonata for violin and piano, with Miss Horton at the piano. Each pupil played with the finish and clearness of tone that are characteristic of Miss Horton's pupils, and all played from memory. Miss Horton's other pupils will play early in March and the annual recital is to be given late in May at the Copley Plaza hotel, Boston.

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The Criterion club met with Mrs. Frank M. Spicer of Faxon road Thursday afternoon. High scores for whist were held by Mrs. Spicer and Mrs. Albert H. Hall. A delightful table of refreshments was indulged in throughout the afternoon of playing and a very pleasant time spent. The next meeting will be on Jan. 28th at the home of Mrs. W. N. Howard of Channing street, Wollaston.

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Mrs. Davis W. Newcomb of Concord, N. H., has been the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Newcomb of Winter street.

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Among the many meetings and good times of the Pickwick Club none will be looked back to by members with more pleasure than the forty-second anniversary dinner last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Doble. Nothing was lacking in the dinner, or keen wit tossed back and forth about the festive board.

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Hon. J. R. Taber and daughters Misses Nellie and Vivian Taber are occupying the Ernest W Branch house on Putnam street, during the absence of the owner in Florida. The Tabers come from Maine where Mr. Taber was a state senator. Miss Vivian Taber is one of the faculty at Woodward Institute.

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Miss Edith Johnson has been entertaining Misses Kathryn Conley and Aileen Dalton of Holbrook this week.

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Many Wollaston friends have sent numerous messages of congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wentworth Titus of Kendrick avenue on the birth of a son last Sunday. Since their marriage in August 1909 they lived in Wollaston until last May when they moved to Penns hill. The little one has been named Lincoln Harriman.

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Madame Szumowska-Adamowski is to be the guest of honor at a tea given at the headquarters of the Public Interests League, 685 Boylston street, today at four o'clock. The officers of the League in the receiving line will be Mrs. John Balch, president; Mrs. B. L. Robinson, vice president; Mrs. Charles Burton Gulick, secretary; and Miss Evelyn Sears, treasurer. A bevy of Radcliffe, Vassar, Bryn Mawr, and Wellesley girls will act as ushers, and the pourers will be Mrs. James Lawrence, Jr., Mrs. Harold Peabody, Mrs. Thomas Allen, and Mrs. Roger Sullivan. Madame Szumowska is to speak on conditions in Poland where six millions of people are homeless and thousands are starving. At her request the League is making arrangements for a Polish day, Feb. 6, when throughout the state an appeal is to be made for help for Poland.

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Several jolly auto parties went to Ashland Wednesday night to enjoy the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Angier and to help Mr. Angier fittingly celebrate his birthday. The Angiers sold their estate on Presidents hill a few years ago and bought a farm in Ashland. They have recently erected a large and beautiful colonial house, the latch string of which is always out for the entrance of their many friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Libby Titus, nee Morey, are to live on Commonwealth avenue, Brookline, when they return from an extended honeymoon. They were married at the bride's home in Holbrook on Wednesday. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Titus of South Weymouth.

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Mrs. Frank Basil Tracy formerly of Grand View avenue who has been a worker for the Massachusetts branch of the Shut-In society for thirteen years resigned the presidency of the organization at the meeting held at Park street church Friday. She has held the office for five years, Mrs. Tracy is honorary vice president of the National society and will continue in the work.

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Mrs. William Lowell Putnam, chairman of the Education and Organization Committee, has issued invitations to the chairmen of the one hundred and six Branches of the Massachusetts Anti-Suffrage Association for a luncheon at her home, 49 Beacon street, Boston next Tuesday.

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Quincy friends of Mr. and Mrs. William Quincy Baxter of East Milton are planning to call on them next Tuesday to extend congratulations on their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Invitations went out for the afternoon from three until five, and evening from eight until eleven o'clock. The affair is to be very informal; a reunion of life long friends and neighbors.

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Ernest W. Branch left Thursday for Florida to join Mrs. Branch who preceded him some few weeks ago. For several years they have enjoyed the midwinter season in the mild climate of Wilbur-by-the-Sea, at Port Orange.

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Miss Marie Bruton is spending the week end with her parents at their home on Washington street, Quincy point. Miss Bruton is a student at the Bridgewater Normal school at Bridgewater.

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Mrs. Henry A. Belcher of Randolph in the death of her husband on Wednesday has the sympathy of many friends in Quincy especially members of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution of which she has been a member for several years. Mr. Belcher was also well known here. The Belcher home in Randolph was one of the most, if not the most beautiful in a town of many fine country estates, and when not traveling or at their summer place at Sandwich on the Cape, their greatest pleasure was in entertaining their friends.

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Mrs. John H. Leavell, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble of 24 South street, since October, went on Monday to join her husband in San Antonio, Texas, Mr. Leavell has just completed a two year contract for the construction of a large milling plant for a gold mine in Aurora, Nevada, near the place where Mark Twain wrote, "Roughing it."

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Bicknell of Weymouth announce the engagement of their daughter Miss Grace M. Bicknell to Norton F. Pratt, associate editor of the Weymouth Gazette.

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Mrs. Orissa Morrill of Brook street, Wollaston announces the engagement of her daughter Lena Orissa, to Maurice Edwin Rowe of Haverhill.

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Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Clark of Wessagussett, who are touring the South, arrived in Saint Augustine, Florida, the 19th and after a few days will go to Daytona. They found Jacksonville very comfortable with a temperature of 78 degrees. Dr. and Mrs. Clark are both enjoying the trip immensely and speak particularly of the profusion of roses of great beauty.

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Miss Mildred Allen is the guest this week of Miss Gertrude Gaffey of Randolph.

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Miss Hazel Livingstone who was thrown from her horse Wednesday near her home on Glendale road and Goffe street, escaped without serious injury although bruised and suffering from the shock.

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Mrs. Ibrahim Morrison of Marshfield Hill is a guest for a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Presidents hill.

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The Twentieth Century Club of Boston, of which Mrs. Joseph A. Dasha of Adams street is a member, is arranging for a gentlemen's night on Feb. 2d at Hotel Georgian, Park square, Boston. The next meeting of the club on Tuesday afternoon will be at the home of Mrs. Dasha.

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Mrs. Henry Ellis, Sr., of 30 Apthorp street was surprised Friday afternoon by a little neighborhood party, the occasion being her birthday.

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Miss Dorothy Bishop entertained friends this afternoon at her home on East Elm avenue in observance of her birthday.

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Miss Charlotte Burgess entertained an informal dancing party at the Miller Stile Inn Friday evening.

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Mr. Shuman formerly of Wollaston came down from New Hampshire last week to look after his property and to visit old friends.

OBSERVES 25th ANNIVERSARY

Former Parishioners of Fr. Grady Will Attend

A large delegation of the parishioners of St. Mary's church, journey to Somerville on Monday evening to attend the reunion of St. Benedict's parish. It will also be a celebration in honor of the 25th anniversary of the ordination of their beloved pastor, Rev. Henry T. Grady. The affair will be held in Knights of Columbus hall, 156 Highland avenue, Somerville.

When Rev. Ambrose F. Roche was transferred to Watertown Fr. Grady was appointed to take his place. He labored zealously in West Quincy for five years and was well known and highly respected by all classes and creeds. He was an active member of the Ave Maria K. of C. and the Ward Four Improvement association. He was also a charter member of the Hancock Realty Co. It was a hard blow to the parishioners to lose him but they had the good fortune to get Rev. Father McCoy, a zealous and ardent priest whose work with his people is known the diocese over.

The parishioners never forgot Father Grady and will turn out in large numbers Monday evening. It is the ambition of those in charge to have all enter the hall together and they have sent directions how to accomplish this. Take the 7.05 train at West Quincy, take elevated to Sullivan Square then take Magoon or Davis Square car which will bring you near the hall. A committee wearing blue badges will be at Sullivan Square to direct people to the proper cars. A special car will leave the hall at 11.25 which will connect with the 12.05 train to Quincy Adams.

MISS HUNT GIVES LECTURE.

Miss Margaret Hunt of Bigelow street, a student at Bridgewater Normal school, spoke in the assembly hall Wednesday on "The Sistine Madonna." She first read the life of the artist and then told what the colors stood for and what the figures represented.

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MEN'S TOURNAMENT.

There are crackajack bowlers at the Cochato club.

Frederick D. Lawley leads in the Boston pin tournament with 55 pins to spare. His single string of 124 followed by 122 and 101 gave him a total of 347, a record hard to beat. The scores, individual standing and points are as follows:

TUESDAY EVENING.

TEAM THREE

Lawley	124	122	101	347
Turner	84	86	74	244
Haskell	88	85	87	260
Bird	107	73	86	266
Gavin	79	75	77	231
	482	441	425	1348

TEAM SIX.

Crocker	88	99	107	294
Pratt	103	78	80	261
Pennock	89	91	76	256
Bates	92	94	84	270
Bridgham	77	77	81	235
	449	439	428	1316

TEAM TEN

Knight	93	100	106	299
Swallow	78	98	86	262
Perry	90	104	83	277
Averill	84	71	73	228
Chapin	81	80	82	243
	426	453	430	1309

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

TEAM ONE.

Olin	96	104	93	253
Macomber	100	92	107	299
Bent	88	84	95	267
Robbins	79	71	84	234
Urann	88	78	88	254
	451	429	467	1247

TEAM FOUR.

E. S. Hollis	119	85	101	305
G. Arnold	106	81	74	261
Spear	80	81	90	251
Wetherbee	91	94	87	272
Prescott	71	66	76	213
	467	407	428	1302

TEAM SEVEN.

Woodsum	104	100	93	297
Stoddard	92	107	96	295
Ferguson	95	83	99	277
Adrian	85	94	89	268
Avery	76	76	76	228
	452	460	453	1365

THURSDAY EVENING.

TEAM TWO.

W. Arnold	100	96	124	320
Macauley	85	103	101	289
Rhoades	84	93	86	263
Johnson	92	80	89	261
Bennett	75	75	75	225
	436	447	475	1358

TEAM FIVE.

J. Arnold	92	87	89	268
Patten	98	81	97	276
Howe	100	83	101	284
Richards	76	83	84	243
Cozzens	78	88	65	231
	444	422	436	1302

TEAM NINE.

Currier	85	94	98	277
Wheeler	86	91	95	272
Davenport	88	87	86	261
L. Hollis	82	82	82	246
Stevens	79	90	79	248
	420	444	440	1301

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

SIX STRINGS.

Lawley	656
Woodsum	603
Olin	60
Macomber	601
E. S. Hollis	599
W. I. Arnold	588
Currier	586
Howe	563
Crocker	560
J. E. Arnold	558
Patten	558
Macauley	556
Davenport	554
Bent	552
Stoddard	550
Pratt	548
Ferguson	534
G. A. Arnold	532
Wheeler	527
Johnson	520
Bird	519
Stevens	519
Wetherbee	518
Rhoades	517
Spear	511
Adrian	507
Turner	505
Pennock	499
Bates	496
L. Hollis	492
Haskell	491
Richards	486
Mann	478
Prescott	473
Gavin	465
Bridgham	462
Cozzens	459
Avery	456
Robbins	449
Avery	456
Bennett	452

THREE STRINGS.

Knight	299
South	277
Perry	277
Davy	267
Swallow	262
Fitzgerald	255
Oakman	249
Chapin	243
Stedman	242
Averill	288

POINTS.

Team one 12, nine 11, two 8, three 8, four 7 1-2, five 7, seven 7, six 4 1-2, ten 4, eight 3.

D. OF V. INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Lincoln's birthday will be observed in this city on Feb. 12 by the Rebecca Wiswell tent, Daughters of Veterans. A meeting in the afternoon will be followed by a supper and in the evening the members of the tent and Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps will unite in the presentation of dramatics.

Plans for this observance were made at the meeting of the tent in Grand Army hall Friday evening when the officers were installed in the presence of delegations from the allied Patriotic Societies of the city.

Mrs. Mabelle Gooding of East Weymouth, deputy, was the installing officer and assisting her as guide was Mrs. Anna Williams of East Weymouth department patriotic instructor. The suite was comprised of members of Dorothy L. Dix tent of East Weymouth.

Seated on the platform were Commander Mark E. Hanson of Paul Revere post, G. A. R., Walter M. Packard senior vice commander of Col. Abner Packard camp, Sons of Veterans, and Mrs. Ella Hayden, president of Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps.

At the conclusion of the exercises Mrs. Gooding was given a casserole, and Mrs. Emma Ela, retiring president was given a handsome bouquet. The presentations were by Mrs. Annie Grignon, the new president. The officers installed were:

President—Mrs. Annie Grignon.

Senior Vice President—Mrs. Mae F. Berry.

Junior Vice President—Mrs. M. Christine Flynn.

Chaplain—Miss Lois E. Jenkins.

Treasurer—Mrs. Exelis Nason.

Patriotic Instructor—Mrs. Kate A. Blaisdell.

Trustees—Mrs. Emma Ela, Miss Hattie Pierce.

Secretary—Mrs. Lora B. Connell.

Guide—Miss Fanny Grignon.

Bearers—Miss Ella M. Packard, Mrs. Annie M. Smith, Miss Mildred Maxwell, Mrs. Lena W. Selden.

Guardian—Mrs. Bertha E. Priest.

Outside Guard—Mrs. Lucelia Thayer.

Press Correspondent— Mrs. M. Christine Flynn.

CELEBRATES 15TH BIRTHDAY.

Miss Lillian Walters celebrated her fifteenth birthday Wednesday evening when a number of her friends met at her home on Elm avenue to wish her many happy returns. The party was given in her honor by Mr. and Mrs. Seymore Scott. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games and music. The winner of the President's game was Joseph Ripley, who received a penknife and the winner of the Donkey game was Miss Lena Thompson, who received a Motto and Joseph Ripley received a donkey as a booby.

Later in the evening the guests matched cards for the collation which consisted of ice cream cakes and candy. The dining room was tastefully decorated in pink and white. The birthday cake was cut by Miss Lillian and shared with all the guests.

Those present were Cecelia Aronburg, Sarah Williams, Lena Thompson, Gwendoline Jones, Doris Currier, Evelyn Currier and Lillian Walters, Harold Ewertz, Hebert Bailey, Albert Baker, Joseph Ripley, Percy Coupal, and Nestor Aronburg. Miss Walters was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

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The continued case of Adolph Augustino who was arrested Thursday evening by Inspector Goodhue on a statutory was given a hearing in the district court today. Chief Hunt presented a charge against him for the same offence in Braintree. After a lengthy hearing he was found guilty on each complaint and sentenced to one year in the house of correction. He appealed and was held in $1,000 bonds. Being unable to obtain bail he was committed.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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ally good. His solos, several in number, were all in the spoken rhyme like style, while perhaps not particularly musical, served to create a diversion at times when scenes were getting, perhaps a little pathetic. Squanto, the Indian was well made up for his part, and indeed looked savage.

The solo parts were all finely rendered and they were well supported by the large chorus, whose voices came full and strong, especially in "If She Refuse, Chose From One of Us." There were very many pretty scenes throughout the opera and although it was nearly 11 o'clock before the curtain fell the audience did not tire of it.

John M. Crowley was the musical director, and Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney the stage manager. The mixed orchestra of eight pieces with Hazel M. Clark as principal rendered good work as did also Florence G. Olney, the pianist.

The cast was as follows:

Myles Standish — Charles Everett
John Alden — Carl Hopkins
Governor Bradford — Llewellyn M. Evans
Hatebad Higgins — Ryder Gay
Squanto — Alymer Hatch
Priscilla — Ruth Louise Hardy
Resignation — Margaret Fisher Spooner
Barbara — Gladys Flieger
Faith — Elizabeth M. Baker
Prudence — Edith Graves Barry

The chorus of Pilgrim maidens Plymouth men and Standish guards were:

Pilgrim Maidens—Antoinette Burrill, Freda Klingenhagen, Daisy Brown, Nina J. Miller, Edith M. Chapman, Rosa B. Nickerson, Mabel M. Dunham, Elsie M. Ricker, Jennie M. Emerson, Alice G. Ripley, Jennie M. Follett, Eva D. Sanford, Persis T. Harding, Adeline Stearns, Marion Hazard, Christine Smith, Grace Parker Hatch, Stella H. Tanner, Evelyn Hendrie, Ellen A. Williams, Blanche Holman, Gertrude A. Woodward.

Plymouth Men:—Arthur Bullock, Charles M. Kempton, William E. Bullock, William Murphy, Artemas Dingwell, Alan Painten, David Hanson, Loyal Safford.

Standish Soldiers—Russell Anthony, Charles B. Luard, Raymond Cassidy, Charles R. Safford, Herbert Gurney, Charles Tanner.

The ushers who were in charge of Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, were the following members of the club: Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mrs. William H. Whiting, Mrs. Albert N. Murray, Miss Ruth Whitney, Miss Dorothy Sayward, Mrs. John L. Hamilton, Mrs. John R. Burke and Mrs. W. H. Nichols.

Between the acts home made candy was sold among the audience by the following young women: Miss Ninon Lacey, Miss Gertrude Lacey, Miss Carolyn Lewis, Miss Muriel Badger, Miss Elizabeth Sayward, Miss Mildred Sayward, Miss Helen Seavey, and Mrs. Charlotte Barstow. They were in charge of Mrs. Amos T. Leavitt.

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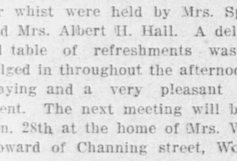
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OPERA TALK.

Monna Vanna Subject of Mr. Hubbard's Second Talk In Series.

Monna Vanna was the opera given by Havrah Hubbard assisted by Floyd Baxter at the piano, Tuesday afternoon in the Methodist vestry, being the second in the series given under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's Club. An enthusiastic audience filled the vestry to overflowing and were agreed that the opera was most delightful.

The next talk will be Wednesday evening at the Park and Downs church, "The Meistersingers" being the opera. The last in the series will be "Parsifal" on Feb. 3 at the Methodist vestry.

Arrangements have been made for an extra talk to be given the evening of March 3 in Wollaston school hall, when "Aida" will be the opera.

ST. CHRYSOSTOMS GUILD.

All Day Sewing Meeting and New Officers.

Wednesday the Woman's Guild of St. Chrysostom's church is to have an all day sewing meeting in the Guild room of the parish house beginning at 10 o'clock. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Klingenhagen, Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Poch. At 2.30 the missionary meeting will be held. The officers for the ensuing year are:

President—Mrs. D. C. Miller.
First Vice—Mrs. W. J. Croucher.
Second Vice—Mrs. Klingenhagen.
Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Clean.

OLD COLONY DRIVING CLUB.

At the annual meeting of the Old Colony Driving Club of Weymouth the following were elected officers for the year:

President—Rector D. Stetson of Hanover.
Vice President—S. B. Totman of East Weymouth.
Secretary-Treasurer—M. C. Sproul of South Weymouth.
Directors—Rector D. Stetson, S. B. Totman, M. C. Sproul, H. P. Miller of Quincy, H. W. White of Braintree, John F. Hollis of North Abington and G. O. Rogers of Hingham.

SOPHOMORES WIN.

The Sophomore class team, under the leadership of Captain Percy Jenkins defeated the senior class team 11 to 7 in the High school gym Friday afternoon. The points were made by Jenkins who shot seven fouls and one basket and Gilliat who got one. O'Connor and Hunt got a basket apiece for the seniors. Three points were made on free tries.

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PREDICTED BY VON TIRPITZ

Torpedoing of British Merchantmen Accepted as First Move In Carrying Out Policy—Action Deemed to Be Only What Is Being Meted Out to Germany, Says Grand Admiral

London, Jan. 23.—England's view that Germany forsees her ultimate defeat and is now planning her most desperate war measures is strengthened. Torpedoing of the British merchantman Durward by a submarine is generally accepted as the first move in the policy announced by Grand Admiral von Tirpitz in an interview on Dec. 2, of "declaring war on all the enemy's merchant ships."

This is the second of what British officialdom believes are the kaiser's "last effort" expedients. The Zeppelin raid of Tuesday night was regarded as the first. Ever since the war began every report here concerning the Zeppelin airships was that the aerial fleet was being held as the kaiser's "last cartridge."

The British view is that the kaiser, balked on land and sea, has now determined upon this aerial arm as one of his last desperate measures. The Tuesday raid was a "feeler out."

This is the first time that a German submarine has apparently deliberately sunk a merchantman. Two or three vessels were sunk, early in the war, by torpedoes, but at that time it was believed here not with deliberate indesign.

Von Tirpitz's threat to torpedo British merchant vessels was as follows:

"America has not raised her voice to protest and has taken little or no action against England's closing of the North sea to neutral shipping. What will America say if Germany declares submarine war on all the enemy's merchant ships?

"Why not? England wants to starve us. We can play the same game. We can bottle her up and torpedo every English or allies' ship which nears any harbor in Great Britain, thereby cutting off her large food supplies.

"What would America say? Would not such action be only meting out to England what she is doing to us? Yes!

"Britain's domination of the sea was originally founded on piracy, while her power on land was established by robbery in all parts of the world. England and England alone is responsible for this war. Did Germany want anything? Did Germany make any demands on any one? Did Germany have any quarrel with any one? No; she only wanted to be let alone to continue her peaceful growth and development.

"England's anti-German policy dates back as far as 1870, after our victory over France," continued the minister. "Always dictatorial and domineering, she didn't want Germany to expand commercially or to take the place in the world to which her power entitled her.

"England is impartial. She will cut anyone's throat who gets in her way. England has no white man's scruples. Her alliance with Japan shows that. She will form an alliance with anyone regardless of race or color, if she can profit thereby."

FOUR KILLED ON CRUISER

Low Water In Boiler Tube Causes Disaster on the San Diego

Washington, Jan. 23.—Four men were killed and nine seriously injured in an explosion aboard the United States cruiser San Diego on the west coast of Mexico, according to a navy department dispatch. Low wter in a boiler tube caused the explosion.

The San Diego had just completed a four-hour speed trial. She had been making 21.45 knots.

It is believed that in the excitement of the speed trial possible negligence on the part of the crew resulted in the water becoming low in one of the tubes in the fore-boiler, although the cause of the explosion was not stated in the dispatch.

BATES FILES EXCEPTIONS

Insists That Cambridge Bank Directors Meet Loss by Theft

Boston, Jan. 23.—John L. Bates, as receiver for the defunct National City bank of Cambridge, filed in the federal district court 101 exceptions to the report of Judge Harris, as master, who held the directors of the bank not liable through negligence for the theft of $310,000 from the bank. The money was lost in the embezzlements of George W. Coleman.

Bates takes exception to the general finding and to most of the special findings, and charges that some of the findings are contrary to the evidence. He seeks to have the directors held responsible for the losses.

Salem Probe Declared Off

Salem, Mass., Jan. 23.—Mayor O'Keefe announced that there would be no investigation of the city's health division, the head of which, Thomas J. Lacy, committed suicide by shooting.

MATCHES IN FORE RIVER LEAGUE

The Fore river league matches at the Coliseum Friday night cost the Machine Gallery team, leaders all season, four points and high total mark. The Shipfitters rolling fast finished with 1486, 44 pins better than the record. Incidentally the winners all season have been a second division team but are now showing their class. The Yard, second placers, got bumped for three points by the Electricians. Five men tripled.

SHIPFITTERS 4— M. FLOOR 0.

S DEPT.

Dubos	101	111	90	302
Mitchell	91	82	94	267
Slattery	73	80	77	230
Smith	77	103	88	268
Olindy	107	115	97	319
	449	491	446	1486

M. FLOOR.

Ford	80	90	92	262
Ryan	68	97	76	241
Cockett	83	89	94	266
Vose	82	79	80	241
Russell	87	86	104	277
	400	441	446	1287

M. GALLERY 4—NAVY. 0.

M. GALLERY.

Djerf	86	100	106	292
Morgan	111	102	102	315
Moran	89	100	89	278
Carlson	86	106	85	277
Tirrell	105	79	90	274
	477	487	472	1436

U. S. N.

Mooney	92	105	96	293
O'Neill	80	75	79	234
McDonnell	78	94	85	257
Cadman	84	76	84	244
Melendey	82	84	80	246
	416	434	424	1274

ELECTRICIANS 3—YARD 1.

E. DEPT.

Lincoln	81	95	96	272
Souden	90	95	83	268
Ago	105	86	112	303
Smith	115	93	97	305
Malnati	87	84	83	254
	478	453	471	1402

Y. DEPT.

Mahoney	91	74	81	246
Galvin	102	90	85	277
Golden	88	90	107	285
Mills	85	104	92	281
Smith	96	116	86	298
	462	474	451	1387

JUNIOR LEAGUE HAS MATCHES

The Swains and Wrenns tied their second string in the Junior league matches at Wardwell's Friday night and the final score favored the former 3 to 1. The Kelliher made a clean sweep in their contest with the Sullivans. Griffin set a new record single 116. The summaries:

Capt. Kelliher 4— Capt. Sullivan 0.

CAPT. KELLIHER.

Byrne	102	85	74	261
Little	93	102	91	286
Sharkey	75	71	63	209
Barbo	71	78	86	235
Kelliher	82	69	78	229
	423	405	392	1220

CAPT. SULLIVAN.

Norris	67	83	79	229
Sarno	90	80	84	254
Moody	82	81	76	239
Sullivan	81	67	78	226
MacConarty	83	78	67	228
	403	389	384	1176

Capt. Swain 3—Capt. Wrenn 1.

CAPT. SWAIN.

O'Donnell	80	99	96	275
Curtain	84	79	91	254
Callahan	78	100	75	253
Lacount	82	79	88	249
Swain	74	82	86	242
	398	439	436	1273

CAPT. WRENN.

Gilcoine	91	78	95	264
Desenso	84	95	55	234
Griffin	83	118	81	285
Dunney	75	75	75	225
Dunney	75	75	75	225
	413	439	381	1233

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Thaw Tells Friends He Will See Them Next Summer

ON THE WAY TO NEW YORK

Jerome Takes Charge of Matteawan Fugitive Following Brief Proceedings In United States Court—Newspaper Men Are Told of Numerous Opportunities to Escape From Custody

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 23.—Harry K Thaw was taken today from his home in this city by the authorities of New York state and returned to Manhattan to stand trial upon conspiracy charges in connection with his escape from Matteawan.

Thaw left here for Concord this morning. Arriving in the capital he was taken at once before Judge Aldrich in the United States court and listened to an order vacating the writ of habeas corpus proceedings issued by the court in his favor.

William T. Jerome, special attorney general for New York state, appeared against Thaw. Jerome was accompanied by Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county and Captain Lanyon of the New York police. With the writ once dismissed, a writ ordered dismissed by the supreme court of the United States, Jerome and his assistants immediately started with Thaw for New York. They will reach Boston in time to catch the 5 o'clock train this evening for Manhattan. At midnight Thaw will be lodged in the Tombs.

Thaw seemed little concerned with his transfer. He met newspapermen with extreme cordiality.

"Facts sometimes speak stronger than words," he said, "and anyone must be convinced of the confidence Sheriff Drew and Deputy Sheriff Stevens, both level-headed and conscientious officials, have in me, from the fact that all these months in Manchester I have slept in a room alone, entirely separate from others.

"When my mother and her companion or Mr. and Mrs. Whitney have been stopping with me I have given them my regular room and occupied a small room up a separate flight of stairs from all the rest of the household. The windows of this room also open on the low front porch.

"Mr. Drew and Mr. Stevens arranged this with the knowledge of their friends and other New Hampshire officials. I think this is enough to satisfy any person of my reliability. In my opinion this is even stronger than the fact that I was left alone all day in the White Mountains last summer, when I went too far up a brook and got lost while out trout fishing and was overtaken by darkness near Mt. Washington."

Mrs. Thaw left Manchester yesterday on the noon train, apparently deciding that she would not relish the trip to New York in company with Jerome ad the officials who were taking her son back to the scene of his exploits.

The fugitive remained in the big house engaged in packing up his belongings. He was obliged to answer the telephone every few minutes, and respond to the good wishes of the citizens who called him up to express their regrets at the turn in affairs that made it necessary for him to leave Manchester.

The fact that Thaw answered nearly all of them with the same phrase: "I will see you next summer"—shows that he is confident of his acquittal at the hands of a New York jury for his alleged conspiracy.

FIGHTING INJUNCTION

Organized Baseball Charges Federal League With Hypocrisy

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Charges of "unclean hands" and hypocrisy were made against the Federal league by George W. Miller, who presented what is believed will be the concluding argument on the side of organized ball in the anti-trust suit brought by the Federals.

Miller declared that a temporary injunction asked by the Federals would destroy an institution which it had taken organized ball forty years to build.

DEATH OF DAVID GOODELL

Former Governor of New Hampshire Fought Liquor Saloons

Antrim, N. H., Jan. 23.—David H. Goodell, 80 years old, governor of New Hampshire from 1889 to 1891, for years one of the leading cutlery manufacturers in New England and famous for his determined attitude against saloons and the sale of liquor, died here.

In 1911, when he was 77 years of age, he married Miss Emma S. McCoy, 48 years old, for many years an expert bookkeeper in his employ. She survives him.

Six Months For Killing Hunter

Saco, Me., Jan. 23.—Ernest Hoyt of Kittery was sentenced to serve six months in jail for killing Harry Williams, aged 16, of Kittery, while hunting at Gerrish island.

Icemen Will Be Busy

Gardiner, Me., Jan. 23.—Orders to fill all Maine icehouses to their capacity were received here.

REDMEN ROLL SPECIAL MATCH

The Redmen Athletic club members rolled a special match at Wardwells Friday night which finished in a win by Tytler's team.

CAPT. TYTLER.

Tytler	85	77	70	232
Kenn	98	92	83	273
Wells	82	74	91	247
Solari	80	78	91	249
Tantardini	106	82	70	258
	451	403	405	1259

CAPT. SUMMERS.

Mullin	75	81	89	245
Martin	73	77	72	222
Stronach	72	78	81	231
Kenn	70	86	86	242
Summers	96	81	82	259
	386	403	411	1199

SPORTING COMMENT

The High school faculty team and senior basket ball quintette scrimmaged in the gym Friday afternoon. The latter demonstrated its best passing and shooting this season. The first period was played under out-of-bound rules, in preparation for the game at Weymouth next Tuesday, where those rules obtain. An absence of bunching, heretofore noticeable, featured the game. Alex Robertson of the Y. M. C. A. refereed.

Winthrop beat Revere 24 to 11 in an Interscholastic league game at Winthrop Friday afternoon. More than 30 fouls were called by Referee Coady, W. Talcott scored 12 points on 15 free tries.

Jesse C. Burkett has been re-elected president and player-manager of the Worcester base ball club.

No relay team or track men will represent Quincy High in the C. A. C. games in Boston tonight.

Manning scored 10 goals from the floor in the Braintree-Fenno Five on Thursday evening. The Braintrees won 34-30.

Girls and outsiders from now on will probably be barred from future boxing and wrestling matches at Waltham High.

The N. E. A. A. A. U. indoor games will be held in Lowell on Feb. 27, in the 9th Regiment armory.

Fencing for girls has been introduced at Milton High school. More than 30 reported to Dr. Hall, physicial instructor.

The Haverhill base ball club will remain in the New England league. Patsy Duggan of Atlantic will again play with the team.

NONPAREILS ARE LEADING.

The Nonpareils are leading the Quincy Social clubs bowling league. C. Lawson has the high single record, 128, and Djeff the high total, 315. The Nonpareils lead in pinfall, team single 489, and team total 1441. The standing:

Nonpareils	18	2
Quincy Adams	15	5
Waseca	14	6
Seneca	6	14
Pastime	4	16
Franklin	3	17

The rollofs at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night were Olindy 326, Erickson 308, Sweeney 304.

SOCIAL CLUB MATCHES.

Plenty of excitement attended the Quincy Social club matches at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night. Pinel was the only man who passed the triple mark, his margin being one. The totals:

Nonpareils	460	412	439	1311
Waseca	408	480	462	1250
Pastime	407	455	406	1268
Quincy Adams	404	477	423	1204
Franklin	418	408	385	1211
Seneca	401	432	466	1299

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QUINCY QUINTETTE MEET DEFEAT

The Winthrops, formerly East Boston beat the Quincy quintette in the Boston Ladies Bowling league matches at the New Boston alleys Friday night. The team totals were larger than some of the matches rolled by the men's club of this city that night.

Poor breaks and a cutting out of pins were responsible for the loss. High single was made by Mrs. Florence Moran of Quincy. Her total of 266 was also high.

The Quincy women are in the first division of the 20 league bowlers in averages. Mrs. Moran has a pinfall of 978 and an average of 81-6-12, Mrs. Elcock an average of 79 10-12 and a pinfall of 958 and Mrs. Gertrude Blake an average of 78 10-12 and pinfall totaling 946.

The name of the winning team has been changed because Mrs. Orestein was the only member who lived in East Boston.

WINTHROP.

Mrs. Adams	82	96	86	264
Mrs. Alcorn	105	82	79	266
Mrs. Mellen	95	82	87	264
Mrs. Miller	78	86	78	242
Mrs. Orestein	92	77	89	258
	452	423	419	1294

QUINCY.

Mrs. Elcock	78	86	79	243
H. Olsen	89	76	87	252
H. Gagon	64	81	81	226
Mrs. Blake	74	76	78	228
Mrs. Moran	110	77	79	266
	415	396	404	1215

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Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To all persons interested in the personal estate of Thomas A. Mullaney late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, James Mullaney of Salem, administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented a petition praying that he as said administrator may be ordered to sell at private sale certain of the personal estate of said deceased described in said petition, for a sum not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, or at public auction. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the third day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each known person interested, fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 23-25 Feb. 1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha L. Ruggles late of Weymouth in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Sarah E. Ward of said Weymouth without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy, Mass., the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
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Unwelcome Zeppelins Disappear Without Dropping Bombs—Fear That London Will Be Next Place to Be Attacked—Airships In Raid of Jan. 19 Had Full Complement of Men, Heavy Guns and Ammunition—No Battle of Great Proportion Likely at Present In West, While Eastern Situation Is Almost Unchanged

London, Jan. 23.—Zeppelin airships of a number unknown passed over Cromer last night from the sea and proceeded inland in a southeasterly direction. No bombs were dropped.

The noise of the engines of the airships was first heard by the coast guardsmen and then by the military on patrol duty. The electric light circuits were immediately cut and troops proceeded through the town extinguishing all other lights.

All the evidence tends to show that more than one aircraft passed over the town. As they proceeded they flashed searchlights.

A dispatch to The Daily Chronicle from Dover, timed midnight, said a Zeppelin was reported over the middle of the English channel.

A telephone message from Norwich, about twenty-five miles south of Cromer, said that at midnight nothing had been seen of any Zeppelins from there. A telephone inquiry to Lowestoft also brought the information that nothing had been seen of the Zeppelins, but it was rumored that they had visited Kings Lynn.

None Seen at Kings Lynn

A telephone message from Kings Lynn, Norfolk, says no aircraft was seen there, but that there was much excitement when the report was received from Cromer that Zeppelins had flown over that town. Telephone inquiries in other towns in Norfolk county were equally unproductive of information verifying the Cromer report.

First flashes from Cromer a few minutes before midnight telling that the dreaded air monsters were again active sent a nervous chill throughout the island.

People poured into the London streets by thousands, and searchlights were played upon the skies continuously. It is felt that London will be the next real objective of the Zeppelins, and the city is in such a fever of alarm that the slightest rumor is sufficient to cause a commotion.

So far as has yet been learned, no bombs were dropped by the airships. This merely added to the apprehension that they were reserving their ammunition until a fairer target was under them.

A Trial Expedition

Messages from Berlin declare that the airships which raided England the night of Jan. 19 were Zeppelins of the latest type. They went forth from a secret base on the German frontier.

German officials say this was only a trial expedition for the airships, but they fulfilled all expectations.

When the airships, known as "ocean Zeppelins," left their station in Germany, all were manned by a full complement of officers and men and equipped with comparatively heavy guns, together with the largest possible supply of ammunition.

The airships crossed the North sea with great speed at a high altitude and were not discovered until they had reached England. The military experts declare this dash over British towns has demonstrated the practicability of an attack by a great aerial squadron. As a result of their exploit, the Zeppelin crews are now known as "air Vikings." They are highly praised for the successful flight to England and return to safety.

On the Battle Lines

Except in Alsace, where a stubborn battle had been in progress for several days, but which receives only the briefest mention in the official reports, the fighting has been comparatively slight on both western and eastern fronts.

There have been heavy gun bombardments and a fight for a trench here and there, but a battle such as in this war is considered of a proportion worthy of extended mention has not taken place.

The siege continues, and, according to the opinion of the military experts, it will go on until the ground grows sufficiently hard to enable one of the commanders to move a large body of men with a quickness that will bring surprise to his opponents and enable him to find a weak spot in the line of operations.

Deadlock In the East

In the east, along the old front from the lower Vistula to Galicia and in the Carpathians, the two armies remain in about the same positions as they were two months ago, all efforts by the Germans to break down the Russian resistance seemingly having failed, and the Russian attempt to drive the Austro-German forces back to Cracow having met a similar fate.

In the north, however, the new Russian offensive apparently has carried them well toward the German frontier without meeting with any serious resistance. The developments in this northern region are considered by military observers as likely to be faster than elsewhere, for the Russian advance into Transylvania is reported to have been checked by the appearance of a large Austrian force in the mountains, while the snow prevents the Muscovites going any farther through the Carpathians, although they hold all the passes in readiness for the day when the weather will permit of a resumption of the forward movement.

No mention has been made during the last few days concerning the fate of the remnants of the Turkish armies which the Russian reports previously said had been defeated in the Caucasus, but it is considered by military men that the Russians, having use for their men elsewhere, have decided not to push on to Erzerum.

The Russian fleet, according to reports, is still busy in the Black sea, sinking Turkish sailing ships. This is taken as evidence that the reports that the Turkish cruiser Goeben had been put out of action were not exaggerated.

EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH

May Abdicate, Says Rumor, if Italy Enters War and Makes His Position Hopeless.



Photo by American Press Association.

GERMANY BROKE HER OATH

Charge In Mercier Letter Which Threatened Serious Crisis

A copy of the famous pastoral letter by Cardinal Mercier, the Belgian prelate, which was suppressed by the Germans, has been received in London. This document of 6000 words threatened to bring about a crisis between the kaiser and the Vatican.

The letter put the cardinal o record as unalterably opposed to the surrender of Belgium to the Germans and asserted that those Belgians who died in defense of their country would receive sure salvation.

"Germany broke her oath, therefore we, as Belgians, owe her neither respect, attachment nor obedience," declared one passage in the letter.

SEIZED BY THE DUTCH

Leather Found Hidden Under Food Intended For the Germans

The Amsterdam newspaper Telegraaf, in illustrating the close watch the Dutch are keeping against the smuggling of contraband across the border, says:

Just before a German freight train left Velno at midnight for Kaldenkirchen, the customs officials seized a car loaded with cauliflower, under which they found a large shipment of leather. The German trainmen were arrested.

BATTLE IN THE AIR

Austrian and Russian Aviators Killed In Combat Near Przemysl

In a battle 3000 feet in the air between an Austrian and a Russian aviator both were killed.

The combat took place near Przemsyl. The Russian rammed the Austrian's machine. Both fell to their death.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING

Officers of Big Steamer Are Placed Under Arrest at Boston

Boston, Jan. 23.—George E. Metcalf, chief engineer on the White Star liner Canopic, and Alfred Dickinson, fourth assistant engineer on that ship, were arrested last night, charged with conspiracy to smuggle dutiable goods into this country through the port of Boston.

The defendants were each held by Commissioner Hayes in $2000 bail for a further hearing next week. They spent the night in the Cambridge jail.

EIGHTY-FIVE FACE DEATH

Rescued In Nick of Time as Steamer Burns to Water's Edge

Baltimore, Jan. 23.—Eighty-five persons had close calls from death when the steamer Maryland burned to the water's edge in Chesapeake bay, off the mouth of the Magothy river.

No definite idea of how the fire started has been obtained. Most of the eastern shore folk who were traveling to Baltimore were in their berths when the alarm was given.

That there was no loss of life was due to the fact that the two night liners from Norfolk to Baltimore arrived promptly when they saw the blazing steamer. As it was, many passengers who donned life belts and jumped into the bay to escape the flames almost perished in the icy water.

The Maryland caught fire when the steamer was between Sandy Point and the Magothy. Calls were whistled for aid and the steamer beached near the Magothy.

Then the other night travelers of the bay came along. Their draft was such that it was necessary to run lifeboats in a mile from the channel to the Maryland, which was a light draft river vessel. It was during this interval that many of the frightened passengers took to the water and tried to swim ashore.

DACIA LEAVES PORT

Manifest Shows Her Cargo of Cotton Is Going to Bremen

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 23.—The former Hamburg-American steamship Dacia cleared for Rotterdam via Norfolk, sailing this morning. That her cargo of 11,000 bales of cotton is for trans-shipment to Bremen is proved by the oath of the manifest, as follows:

"I, Walter T. Smith, of the firm of Daniel Ripley & Co., agents of the "American steamship Dacia, do solemnly swear that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the cargo consists of cotton and that the steamer is destined for Rotterdam and the cargo is for trans-shipment to Bremen."

GUNS AND BADGES TAKEN FROM GUARDS

Public Sentiment at Roosevelt Arouses Sheriff to Action

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 23.—Twenty-two deputy sheriffs, arrested on manslaughter charges following a clash with fertilizer strikers here in which two men were killed, were disarmed and their badges taken away by Sheriff Houghton.

The deputies were out on bail and had resumed their duties at the plants. Public sentiment against them, it is said, caused the sheriff to take this action.

Both the sheriff and counsel for the accused deputies deny knowledge of the whereabouts of Otto Gunther, who is alleged to have fired one of the fatal shots. A complaint was sworn out for him, but he has not been arrested.

AIRSHIP GRANT REFUSED

House Passes Army Appropriation Bill Carrying $101,000,000

Washington, Jan. 23.—After two days of debate on the general state of the national defenses, the house last night passed, without a rollcall, the army appropriation bill, carrying $101,000,000.

Advocates of immediate strengthening of the military establishment fought to the last for additional appropriations, but their efforts met with no encouragement from either Democrat or Republican leaders.

The last rollcall, on a motion by Representative Gardner, to recommit the bill with instructions to report back an amendment carrying $1,000,000 for aviation, was defeated, 253 to 34.

MESSAGE ON B. AND M.

Legislation For Rehabilitation of Road Sought by Trustees

Boston, Jan. 23.—Governor Walsh announced, in a special message to the legislature, that the trustees of the Boston and Maine will shortly request legislation to rehabilitate the railroad.

The governor requests the legislature to give the recommendations immediate and careful attention. The message was read in the house and referred to the committee on railroads.

MRS. LAMPHEER WEDS

Rich Woman of Sixty-Eight Has Thirty-Six-Year-Old Husband

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Charles L. Cresse, 36, conductor on a street car line, married Mrs. Anna Lampheer, 68, wealthy widow, of New London, Conn., in Oakland.

Mrs. Lampheer is the widow of Cyrus Lampheer, a sea captain, who made a fortune in New England real estate. She is known in the east as a water color artist of distinction and a connoisseur of gems.

Killed In His Factory

Stoughton, Mass., Jan. 23.—Lester P. French, a manufacturer of poultry supplies, was killed by the breaking of a flywheel in his factory. A mass of iron weighing more than a ton struck him in the face.

SUNDAY SERVICES

A new announcement of services is required each week. No notices accepted to run indefinitely. When possible the subject of sermon should be given, also special services. Generous space will be given in the news columns for church news, music and week day gatherings.

First Parish In Quincy (Unitarian)—City Square. Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, Miller Stile Inn, Tel. 2107-2, office hours at church 9 to 12 A. M. Monday, Wednesday and Friday Tel. 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon by the minister: "Redemption." Sunday School at 12 M. Miss Minnie Packard, Supt. Y. P. R. U. meeting 4.30 P. M. Demonstration by the Camp Fire Girls under charge of Miss Carlena Walker and Miss Ruth Bass. The public invited.

Bethany Congregational Church—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Message by the pastor. Subject: "Bonds of Peace." Bible School at 12, classes for all ages. Christian Endeavor at 6. 7.30. Pleasant Sunday evening service. Lecture by the pastor, "Commercializing Childhood."

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Truth." Golden Text: "I will be their God, in truth and righteousness." Wednesday 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M. week days, Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M. holidays excepted. Also Wednesday evening before and after services.

Associated Bible Students (undenominational) Hancock Hall, Hancock Building Quincy Centre. Free Bible Lecture Sunday at 3 P. M. for the public, speaker: W. T. Dowdin of Boston. Topic: "The Riches of God's Grace." Prov. 10:22. All are cordially invited. Seats free. No Collection

First Spiritualist Church—Electa Hall Johnson building, Hancock street, Quincy Meeting at 7.30 P. M. Mrs. S. V. Odiorne conductor. Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough will lecture. Don't Fail to hear him.

Washington Street Congregational Church—Quincy Point, Rev. Stephen C. Lang pastor. 10.45 Morning Worship. Subject of sermon; "Christian Ambassadors." 12 noon, Bible school and Young Men's Class. 6.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. Leaders Herbert Hendry and Fred Gibb. 7.30 P. M. Miss Mary C. Collins will speak on the "Sioux Indians." Thursday 7.30 P. M. People's hour service. Public cordially welcome.

First Universalist Church—Washington Street, Quincy. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor; Residence 42 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain. Telephone Jamaica 1950. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Preaching by the pastor at 3 P. M. Theme: "The Doors of the Soul."

Christ Church, Episcopal—Quincy corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.45. Evening prayer at 7.30.

Calvary Baptist Church—Franklin street, Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Residence 26 Richie Road. Preaching Service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "No Difference: Make a Difference." Sunday School at 11.45. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Subject: "Favorite Characters of the Bible and Why." Psalms 105:1-45. Leader, Mr. Farquhar. Evening Service at 7. Subject: "The Coming-out Feast." Regular prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

First Presbyterian Church — Water and Quincy Streets. Rev. J. C. Martin of Cardigan, P. E. I. will conduct the services. Morning worship 10.30. Bible school and mens class 11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 o clock. Italian services Sunday at 9.30. Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M., Rev. I. J. Romolo, Italian minister.

First United Presbyterian Church—Corner of School and Pleasant streets. Rev. D. B McLeod, M. A., pastor. Residence 40 Bradford st Preaching by the pastor at 10.30. and 7.30. Sabbath school and Bible class 11.45. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Reception of new members and Communion at the Sabbath evening service.

St. Paul's Swedish M. E. Church—Corner Granite and Fort Streets Quincy, Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor. Residence 121 Glendale Road Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Master's Call and Your Response." Sunday School at 12 M. Union services in the Swedish Congregational church at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Swedish Baptist Church—Brewers Cor. Rev. Paul Hallin, pastor Residence 101 Glendale Road, Sunday school 9.30 A. M. At 10.45 A. M. sermon by the pastor. At 7 P. M. union service at Swedish Congregational church. Strangers are cordial ly invited to attend.

Swedish Mission Congregational Church Garfield street, Rev. A. G. Sporrong, pastor, 14 Euclid avenue. Tel. Quincy 148-M. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Young peoples class led by the pastor. Morning service 10.45, sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Himself took our infirmities and bore our sicknesses." 5 P. M. Young Peoples' meeting. 7 p. m third week of Union evangelistic meetings in Swedish Congregational church. The union choir will meet for rehearsal at 6.30. A cordial invitation to all.

Hall Place M. E. Church — West Quincy. Rev. P. S. Neldon, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall Place. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. Epworth League devotional service at 6.00 P. M. Leader, Ernest Briggs. Evening service at 7. Subject: "Looking Up." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Junior League Monday at 4 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Wollaston Congregational — Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., pastor. Res. No. 20 Marion street Tel. Quincy 1116 M. "The Children's Hour." at 10.45 A. M. Sunday, for children whose parents are attending morning service. Morning Worship 10.45 sermon by the pastor. "Good Thoughts for Bad Times." Sunday School at 12.15. Mr. Charles A. Campbell, Supt. Men's Bible class led by Dr. Sneath. Women's Bible class led by Mrs. A. A. Lincoln. Kindergarten classes in charge of Mrs. Charles P. Hutchins Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Topic: "A Voyage to Pacific Islands." Leader, Margaret Brown; Intermediate Endeavor at 4.30. Topic: "Favorite Characters of the Bible and Why." Leader, Elsie Broughton. Christian Endeavor at 6, led by the Missionary Committee. Thursday evening at 7.45 in the vestry the regular mid-week service led by Dr. Sneath. Topic: "Religious Curren Events." Acts 15-1-32.

Wollaston Baptist Church—Cor. Prospect and Warren avenues. Rev. Joseph Walther, pastor. Prayer meeting at 10.15 in Pinkham class room. Kindergarten for children whose parents are attending morning service at 10.45 in Primary Department room. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.15. Elford L. Durgan, Supt. Lesson subject: "Gideon and the Three Hundred." Junior Endeavor, 3.30. Mrs. Joseph Walther, Supt. Subject: "A Voyage to Pacific Islands" Leader, Dorothy Kempton. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Subject: "Favorite Characters of the Bible and why." Leader, Elford L. Durgan. Evening service at 7. The pastor will preach. Morning subject: "Four Famous fools." Evening subject: "The Prodigal Son."

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church—Hancock street. Wollaston— Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory. 523 Hancock street. Holy Communion at 8. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. 6.50, Confirmation Instruction. 7.30 Evening prayer and address.

Memorial Congregational Church, Atlantic Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. Morning service 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "The Bruised Reed and the Smoking Flax." Sunday School at 12.00 M. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Senior Endeavor at 6. Evening service at 7 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Atlantic M. E. Church—corner Newbury avenue and Squantum Streets. Rev. E. C. Pollard, pastor. Residence 19 Wesley Street, Newton, phone 2167 W. Morning service at 10.45. The pastor will preach. Theme: "The Double Birth of Man—his natural and spiritual birth." Text: John 3:7. Marvel not that I said unto thee, ye must be born again. Sunday School at 12.15. Junior League at 3 P. M. Epworth League at 6.00 P. M. Evening service at 7 P. M. Theme: "Character Building—essential in young man and womanhood."

First Church Of Squantum—Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor. Sunday School exercises at 3 P. M. Preaching service at 4 P. M. Sermon by the pastor. Solos by Mr. Joseph Uppling. A cordial welcome to all.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

LAND COURT.

To Annie L. Newhall, Alice E. Thayer, Angus McArthur, William Nygren and Mary S. Barnard of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Peter S. Antoon and Simon S. Antoon of said Quincy, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Washington Street in that part of said Quincy, known as Quincy Point, being lots numbered three (3), four (4) and five (5), as shown on plan of lots at Quincy Park, dated Oct. 10, 1895, made by McClintock & Field, Surveyors, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds Plan book 17, Plan 798, bounded and described as follows:—

Northeasterly by said Washington street, there measuring sixty (60) feet; Southeasterly by lot No. 2 on said plan, there measuring one hundred twenty-five and 57-100 (125.57) feet; Southwesterly by lots No. 14, 15, 16, and 17 on said plan, there measuring sixty and 9-100 (60.09) feet; and Northwesterly by lot No. 6 on said plan, there measuring about one hundred twenty-nine and 69-100 (129.69) feet. Containing according to said plan 7656 square feet of land more or less.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen.

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Installation of Red Men at Wollaston

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The staff included A. W. Lacharity, DP; George A. Doull, DSS; F. A. Fogarty, DJS; William T. Hickman, DKW; A. E. Paul, DCWM; Charles McCluskey, DCR; James R. Walsh, DS; C. F. Pierce, DS; and James Jack, DG; George A. Bardwell, DGM; H. F. Doul, DDGS. The warriors were William Lucas, A. H. Lindblad, J. H. Hultzen, John Carnes. The Braves were H. A. Drikeim, G. A. Keefe, Charles Grady, George F. Gammell.

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Chief of records—E. M. Dunne.
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Keeper of Wampum—Charles Y. Waterhouse.
First Sannap—Louis Glidden.
Second Sannap—John P. Eagan.
Warriors A. J. Clapp. Louis Fleischmann, A. Pooler, James O'Connell.
Braves—Sidney Williams, Thomas Colligan, Jeremiah Maloney, James McCall.

Mrs. Edith Duff, who came here from New Jersey to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Annie M. Chick has returned to her home.

BRIEFS

Mayor Campbell is attending the dinner of the Mayors' club in Boston today.

John E. Greene, baritone and Miss Edith Hyland, soprano, are the soloists at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Albert L. Barbour, superintendent of schools, will deliver the address at the Burns night of Clan MacGregor, O. S. C. next Friday evening at Music hall.

Miss Mary Durgin, formerly of this city has just returned to her home in Winchendon from a hospital in Boston. She has been very seriously ill but is now convalescing.

The Quincy Social clubs have up to date paid no attention to the challenge issued several days ago in this paper to them by the team who have named themselves Pineo's Colts. The Colts wish to challenge them again.

The annual supper and entertainment of the Naturalization club of West Quincy was held this week and proved to be a very enjoyable occasion. Remarks were made by several of the invited guests and the evening was one of pleasure to all.

District Deputy James L. Johnson of the Massachusetts South-eastern district will pay an official visitation to Quincy lodge of Elks Tuesday evening. The amateur night of the lodge will be held on the evening of Feb. 9.

The sale of the City of Boston property at Squantum has again been postponed. The property will probably never be sold as the two cities will likely come to an agreement of what amount is due and the City of Boston will pay up.

H. P. Miller of this city has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Old Colony Gentlemen's Driving club. H. W. Waite of Braintree is also a member, and S. B. Toman of East Weymouth is vice president and M. C. Sproul of South Weymouth secretary-treasurer.

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Fancy Grape Fruit	6 for 25c

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MINISTERS COMMENT

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vited and there are ministers who would have nothing to do with him. Whatever one may think of Billy Sunday and his methods he seems to be doing in a unique manner what the Christian church is supposed to be accomplishing. Reformation is always a kind of revolation and revolution is generally painful. I would gladly join in an invitation to Mr. Sunday to come to Quincy. I think he would do us all good, ministers and laymen alike."

REV. THOMAS W. DAVISON.

Rev. Thomas W. Davison of the Memorial church of Atlantic said:

"I have been so disappointed by the work of the professional evangelists on account of the great number who fall and lose all touch with organized Christianity and have seemed harder to reach after the moral experience and its reaction. However I prefer Billy Sunday to the more gentile type of evangelist. He is dead in earnest thoroughly sincere, aiming right at the consciousness of men and the moral results of his work have been good. I believe God is using him in spite of his theology and rough language and that he is the only one at present who could give Boston and vicinity the touch it needs to make the Christian life as earnest and zealous as it should be. If I were voting for an evangelist I would vote for Billy Sunday and back him up and get the best results possible. I say this with the conviction that the ministers and churches ought to be so much "onto their jobs" as to make all outside evangelistic efforts unnecessary."

REV. A. M. THOMPSON.

Rev. A. M. Thompson former pastor of the United Presbyterian church and now pastor of St. Andrews church of Boston said: "As far as Boston is concerned I should like to see Sunday come. There is need of a man like him in Boston. I don't agree with all his methods or with all he says but we have to make up our mind to this—he is doing something. Whether we agree with him or not he is doing great work. I for my part would like to see him come to Boston and if he did come Quincy would benefit some from it."

REV. FRED'K H. STEENSTRA.

Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector of the St. Chrysostom's Episcopal church said: "His methods are not the methods of our church. Still I have no doubt he is reaching a lot of people we cannot hope to reach through the church."

FIRST DANCE OF QUALITY CLUB

Seventy-Five Couples Enjoy Modern Dances

About 75 couples attended the First Grand Dance given by the Quality club in Quincy Adams hall. Friday evening. All of the modern dances were indulged in and all had an enjoyable evening. The dance order contained eighteen numbers and the orchestra gave at least two encores to each. The music was furnished by Johnsen's seven-piece orchestra. Guests were present from Braintree, Weymouth, Milton, Neponset and Brockton. The floor was in charge of Thorwald Johnsen assisted by John Esson, Walter McCarthy and George Kelly. Refreshments were served in the lower hall.

LADIES BOWLING CLUB ROLLOFF

The members of the Wolloston ladies' bowling club held their matinee rolloff at Wardwell's Friday. Mrs Bird was high with a total of 218. Miss Howard got high single, 84. The singles were as follows:

WOLLASTON LADIES CLUB

Mrs. Bird	64	77	77	218
Mrs. Materh'se	71	70	56	197
Mrs. Price	72	67	63	202
Mrs. Barstow	65	66	79	210
Mrs. Everett	53	Absent	av	159
Mrs. Newell	62	71	67	200
Miss Howard	58	84	75	217
Mrs. Dinsmore	73	58	67	198
Mrs. Hopkins	58	56	69	183
Mrs. Otis	52	50	54	156
Mrs. Hatch	68	Absent	Av.	204
Mrs. Green	63	53	57	173
Mrs. White	68	64	70	202
Miss Luard	66	59	68	193

MAY CALL SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Mayor Considers Making Appointments Known Next Friday Night

CONSULTS PRES. WHITON

The mayor may call a special meeting of the city council for next Friday evening to forward his list of appointments. As previously stated in the Ledger, this year the day upon which the newly appointed officials take office comes the morning before the meeting of the city council. The mayor said today that he should follow the custom of other years of making his appointments public through communication to the city council. He also stated that he had consulted with President Whiton in regard to calling a special meeting of the council as it was possible that jurors might also have to be drawn.

NORTH WEYMOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Emery are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son who has been named Robert George.

Mrs. Mildred Williams and Miss Mabelle Bird left Monday for De Land, Florida, where they are to remain until April.

Miss S. Lizzie Fisher is quite ill at her home on Curtis street. Mrs. H. A. Farrington is substituting for her at the store of J. W. Bartlett & Co.

Mrs. Mabelle Gooding of Morrill street and staff installed the officers elect and appointed of Tent 53 D. of J. Friday evening.

Mrs. Alice Miller of Standish road was installed Thursday evening as I. E. C. of the Pythian Sisterhood.

Combination One was in the hands of repair men Friday to have the transmission overhauled.

Simon Riley and family are to move from Parnell street, Fort Point to the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Donovan welcomed a baby boy to their home recently.

The Athens basket ball team met their first defeat Friday at the C. M. A. building when a team from the James Humprhey school scored 6 to 4. The Hunt and Pratt teams also played.

Miss Marjory Christie of Allston has been visiting friends in North Weymouth.

A family party celebrated jointly the birthdays of Miss Phyllis Keene and her uncle Howard Coose of Hope Maine, who is spending the winter here. A mammoth cake adorned with candles was piece de resistance. Many gifts are pleasing reminders of the occasion.

Mrs. Raymond Lane is the guest of her parents in Duxbury.

John N. McPhee and family are to move from King Cove to the house on Saunders street, now occupied by Frank W. Amadan, who is to move to Morrill street.

Officers of Mayflower Chapter O. E. S. were installed by Mrs. Sophie I. Fowle grand matron, Mrs. Kitty B. Daniels grand marshal, Walter French, grand patron and Mrs. Cora Mathewson acting grand chaplain Mrs Adelaide Whiton vocal soloist and Miss Clara Call, pianist furnished appropriate music. The new corps of officers are Ethel Richards W. M; J. B. Merrill W P; Annie P. Beck A. M: Elizabeth Peyton Sec; Cora A. Baker Treas; Amelia Severance, Con; Mary A. Pratt A. C; Mary A. Lewis Chaplain, Agnes T. Baldwin, marshal; Jennie B. Worster, organist; Nellie Oenbroeder, Aida; Agnes Whiton, Ruth; Florence A. Harper, Esther; Mary A Craig, Martha; Dorothy Brown Electa; Ella Wellbrock, warder; Robert Craig, sentinel. Miss Agnes Baldwin the retiring W. M. was the recipient of a jewel, P. W. P. David Kidder making the presentation. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

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MISS OLGA LUNDQUIST.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Swedish Lutheran church for Miss Olga Lundquist who died at the Quincy City Hospital Tuesday morning. The young woman, she was only 22, was very popular and a host of friends completely filled the church. There were many beautiful floral tributes.

Rev. Leander Hokenson, pastor of the church, conducted the services. Solos were sung by Mrs. Annie Skinner, Miss Whiton, and Fritz Swanson.

Burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Members of Circle Viking, to which Miss Lundquist belonged, attended the services in a body and marched to the cemetery, where they conducted a service of their own.

Miss Lundquist had been employed for some years by Hughes & Johnson, granite manufacturers, of Granite street. The firm shut down Friday afternoon in order that the employees might attend the funeral services.

Among those who attended the services were Mrs. Hulda Nygren of New York and her daughter Miss Elizabeth Nygren. Aunt and cousin respectively to Miss Lundquist.

The young woman is survived by her mother, Mrs. Anna Lundquist, her brother, Knut Lundquist, and her sisters Sigrid and Mrs. Anna Gustafson.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was tendered Ernest Smith Friday evening at his home 563 Washington street. He was presented with a signet ring by Ruth Grages in behalf of those present. Games, music and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments were served.

GENERAL GARZA.

New Provisional President Of Mexico, Who Is the Fifth Within as Many Months.



JAMES BRUCE NOBLE GRAND

Fore River Lodge Holds Installation

Past Noble Grand Charles W. Sears deputy to Quincy district, installed the officers of Fore River lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U. in Protection hall on Friday night. Assisting him was Charles Wedelien, grand conductor. The new officers were:

Noble Grand—James Bruce.
Grand Master—Philip Kissell.
Vice Grand—John Phillips.
Permanent Secretary—George Poch
Elective Secretary—Oscar Farch.
Treasurer—William McLay.
Lecturer—John Lee.
Right Support Noble Grand—John Davidson.
Right Support Vice Grand—Stephen McMenemy.
Warden—Charles Wedelien.
Inside Guard—Peter Gunnion.
Finance committee—John Phillips, John Davidson, Philip Kissell.

Y. M. C. A. TEAMS WELL BEATEN

Two of the Y. M. C. A. teams were defeated Friday night by unusually large scores. The Silent Five were outclassed at Cohasset, 60 to 20, and the Employed Boys met their Waterloo at the hands of the Fearless Five at Hingham 63 to 17. The summaries:

FEARLESS FIVE		QUINCY E. B.
McKenzie	rf	lb Humphrey
Noonan	lf	rb McNiel
Hall	c	c McKenzie
Wallace	c	
Campbell	rb	lf McMullen
Bouve	lb	rf Robinson

Score, Fearless Five 63, Quincy Employed Boys 17. Goals from floor, McKenzie 9, Noonan 7, Hall 8, Wallace 2, Bouve 3, Robinson 2, McMullen 5, Humphrey. Goals from fouls, McKenzie 2, Noonan 3, McMullen. Referee, Campbell. Umpire, Thomas. Scorer, Connell. Timer, Wallace. Time 15m and 20m periods. Attendance 175.

COHASSET		SILENT FIVE
Pray,	rf	lb Beal
Enos,	lf	rb, Gutterman
Murphy,	c	c, Foss
Anderson,	rb	lf, Morrison
Panburay,	rb	
Wogle,	lb	rf, Alstrom

Score, Cohasset 60. Silent Five 20. Goals from floor. Pray 5 Enos 3, Murphy 6, Anderson 14, Gutterman. Foss 4, Morrison, Alstrom. Goals from fouls Pray 3, Anderson. Beal, Gutterman 5. Referee Damon. Umpire Beamis. Timer, Enos. Time 20m periods. Attendance 250.

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ATTEND BURNS CELEBRATION

Representatives from Clan MacGregor and Scottish residents of Quincy were at the Robert Burns anniversary celebration in Mechanics Building, Boston, Friday evening.

It was announced that before the close of the present year Henry H. Kitson's bronze statue of Burns, the gift of the Burns Memorial Society of Boston and costing from $15,000 to $20,000, would be unveiled in the corner of the Public Garden at Boylston and Charles streets. The model has been completed, and the delay may be ascribed to the excavations connected with the construction at the Boylston street subway.

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TO RAISE $1000 YEARLY FOR G. A. R.

Good Progress Reported at Meeting of G. A. R. Aid Society

To raise $1000 annually to give Paul J. Revere post G. A. R. a comfortable working capital so they will not have to surrender their charter because of financial difficulties and affiliate with Sylvanus Thayer post at Braintree, is the slogan of the solicitors representing the G. A. R. Aid Society who are now canvassing the city in hopes of enlisting at least 1000 Quincy people in the interests of the 53 remaining veterans of the Civil war.

The membership cards, given when the annual dues of $5 per year are subscribed, were distributed at the meeting of the association in the council chamber Saturday night. Joseph L. Whiton, president of the council and of the association presided. Mayor Campbell was present and participated in discussing a plan of campaign. Throughout all the discussion, the tenor of which was "Assist the Vets", there was the intimation that the balance left from the income of the association, after the passing of the last veteran, should be applied toward the cost of erecting a soldiers monument to commemorate the loyalty of the Quincy boys who gave their services, many their life, so the United States should continue to be "the land of the free and the home of the brave."

The association, incorporated since it was organized at the mass meeting called last December by Joseph L. Whiton, then Mayor, has received many assurances of support. All asked to serve on the committee appointed in each ward to increase the membership have cheerfully accepted office and through them the cards of membership will be circulated and the annual dues collected.

Although the by laws set the annual dues at $5, which carries with it a membership in the association and a right to vote, it is the unanimous opinion of the directors that those who will be unable to become active members will contribute something to the fund.

Already over $300 has been pledged to Walter E. Piper, treasurer and over $100 of that has been redeemed, while the rest will be in his hands by Feb. 1.

The first man to issue a card of membership Saturday night was Walter M. Packard, senior vice commander of Col. Abner Packard camp, Sons of Veterans, an organization which has appropriated $100 to the cause. Following were: James E. Geary, grand knight of Ave Maria council, K. of C., Edward J. Fegan president of the Board of Trade, James H. Churchill of Atlantic, a member of the committee, and little Janet Hamilton, through her father John L. Hamilton, former president of the Board of Trade.

Contributions received since the publication of the list are $10 each from the Abigail Adams chapter, Daughters of Revolution and the Wollaston Yacht Club and $5 apiece from Mrs. Charles H. Porter, widow of Col. Porter, first mayor of Quincy, Miss Lucy C. Hallowell and James H. Emery.

Y. P. R. U. MEETING.

Girls Give Demonstration of Camp Fire Work.

The meeting of the Young People's Religious Union of the First church on Sunday evening was one of the most interesting and instructive meetings of the year. Miss Carlena Walker and Miss Ruth Bass, who were in charge, gave a demonstration of the work of the Camp Fire Girls.

Miss Walker read a paper explaining the organization, the ranks, the honor beads, and the costume of the Camp Fire Girls. This was followed by a ceremonial, participated in by the members of the Wampatuck and Passonagessit Camp Fires with the guardians, Miss Bass and Miss Walker presiding. The program for the ceremonial was as follows:

Song "Wohelo for Aye"
Candle Lighting Ceremony
Ode to the Fire
The Wampatuck's Camp Fire Song
Roll Call
Count of the Last Meeting
Awarding of Honor Beads
Admission to Rank of Woodgatherer
Adjidaumo of the Passonagessit Camp Fire (Lillian Schenkelberger)
Admission to Rank of Fire Maker
Ahmeek of the Wampatuck Camp Fire (Eva Forrest)
Story—"How the Bear Lost his Tail" by Minnehaha (Alice Miller) of the Passonagessit Camp Fire.
"Burn Fire Burn" in unison
Song "Lay Me to Sleep in Sheltering Flame."

The girls made an attractive and impressive picture as they sat in a half circle around their three lighted candles. All wore the khaki-colored ceremonial gowns and the bead headbands. Two little Blue Birds were in attendance.

A social hour followed the meeting. There were present, beside Quincy friends, a number of people from Wollaston and from Atlantic and four girls from a Camp Fire in Hingham.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Snow and rain probably Tuesday. Easterly winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.04
Sun sets	4.50
Length of day	9.46
Moon sets	3.42
High water, A. M.	7.30
High water, P. M.	8.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 40 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	32 degrees
Jan. 25, 1914,	58 degrees
Jan. 25, 1913,	50 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

ARRESTED IN RESTAURANT

Edward Waterman, 19, of Adams street, who says his occupation is that of a telegraph operator, and Joseph A. Kiley, 17 of 410 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, who gives his occupation as an auto helper, the two young men arrested in a city square restaurant Sunday evening while trying to sell a street car conductor some gloves were arraigned in court this morning for peddling without a license. Before they were brought into court an officer from station 11, Dorchester, came into court and looked them over. He said that they belonged to a "tough gang" and would not work, and that both were now out on probation for some of their misdeeds in Dorchester. He also said that he thought that the police of station 11, wanted them. He took an inventory of the goods found in their possession and will report to the court Tuesday morning. The young men claimed that they had won the articles from a Syrian at Milton in a crap game. The court then continued the cases in $100 bonds each until Tuesday morning.

Joseph Bruce of the Bruce and Warner Express Co. is seriously ill at his home.

DOG IS SPECTATOR IN COURT HEARING

Dogs is Dogs Argues Atty. McKay But His Honor Decides to Hear Case

MANY WITNESSES SWORN

The ownership of that ruby toy spaniel dog, will probably be determined definitely when the case now on trial in the district court is finished. Today's case was an action of replevin. Atty. John D. Mackay appears for Freeman W. Grant, the defendant, and Atty. J. J. McAnarney for Agnes Philbrick, the plaintiff.

When the case was called Lawyer Mackay moved to quash on the ground that a dog was not goods, within the meaning of the law. He said that the Massachusetts courts had never passed on the word. Counsel McAnarney in answer quoted from decisions in Vermont and several other states, where it was held that dog could be replevined. He contended that the raising of fancy dogs was quite an industry and that they must therefore be considered as personal goods.

The court ruled that he should go on with the case and settle the question later. A large number of witnesses were sworn in on both sides. One of the interesting spectators at the trial was the famous dog, which however appeared to take bu tlittle interest in the proceedings.

MAYOR DRAWS HIS FIRST PAY ENVELOPE

Today is pay day for the city officials and the day upon which Mayor Campbell will draw his first salary as mayor. The salary of the mayor as fixed by ordinance is now $2500, having been increased to that amount two years ago. For many years the salary of the Mayor was but $1,000 a year. Under the provisions of the city charter it was provided that the salary of the mayor for the first ten years of the city should be $1,000 a year. Two years ago the ordinance was amended so that the salary was made $2,500 which means that when the mayor signed his name to the pay roll today he tucked away $208.34 in his inside pocket.

KEENAN STOPS RUNAWAY HORSE

A horse, hitched to a light grocery wagon, marked "George DeBoer," ran away on Sumner street this morning and was brought to a stop by William H. Keenan of South street.

Keenan, employed by the city, was driving a snow plow when he saw the horse coming toward him at fair speed. He stopped his horse and ran to the street in front of the runaway. As the animal passed he jumped and secured a hold on the bridle. He brought the horse to a stop within a short distance. The street was covered with running water and slush and Keenan took somewhat of a chance in making the jump He escaped without mishap.

RAPIDLY RECOVERING.

The many friends of James Graham of Willard street whose hand was amputated last week at the Charlesgate Hospital will be pleased to hear of his quick recovery and that he is expected to be discharged from the hospital on Thursday. Mr. Graham is a popular employee of the highway department and works every summer as watchman on the steam rolier.

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ANOTHER HOLDUP IS REPORTED

Two Men Assault Young Woman on Merrymount Road Last Night

HIGHWAYMEN ESCAPE

Two, well dressed young men held up Miss Olga Johnson, a domestic, within sight of the home of her employer, George W. Taylor at 118 Merrymount road, at 11 o'clock Sunday night and threatened her with death.

Alarmed by their actions, the girl dashed to the Taylor home where she told her story. A phone to police headquarters brought the police auto but both men had disappeared.

When Olga left City Square the men walked along a short distance to the rear. No attempt was made to engage her in conversation until they reached a dark spot on Merrymount road. Here they hurried past and suddenly stopped. One grabbed her arm while the other threatened to kill her if she screamed.

Terrified, the girl made a desperate jump and broke away. On reaching the Taylor home she told her story and then all but collapsed. Chauffeur George Cahill and patrolman Olsen, now wagonman at headquarters, quickly responded to the summons but arrived too late to make any arrests. The girl has furnished a good description of the thugs.

HOLDS CONFERENCE ON APPOINTMENTS

It is understod that Mayor Campbell held a private conference with a number of business men at city hall Saturday evening at which time the subject of the selection of department officials was discussed. Just who were considered or who, if anyone, were definitely decided upon for the various offices is not known, as the men who were present at the conference are pledged to secrecy.

ENGAGE NEW TEACHER.

Enor Edward Lundin of 89 Glendale road, has been engaged to fill the position in the mathematics department made vacant by the resignation of R. E. Fenner at the High school.

Mr. Lundin is a native of Quincy and a graduate of the local High school, class of 1910. Since leaving the local school he took the science course at Harvard graduating with the Bachelor of Science degree last year. Mr. Lundin by his industry and perseverance obtained the highest grades when in the High school.

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL.

The no school signal was sounded at 8 o'clock this morning. This meant that there would be no school for the scholars of the grammar schools. When the signal sounds at 7.30 High school is included but the whistle at 8 o'clock applies only to the grammar schools.

CHURCH NEWS.

Part of the church news was crowded out today. It will be printed Tuesday.

SAIL FOR ARGENTINA.

Mrs. John Bernatto and Mrs. Adeline Wilkendorf, formerly of this city have sailed from New York to join their husbands in Buenos Aires, both of whom left on the dreadnought Rivadavia in December. Mrs. Bernatto is the wife of Lieut. John Bernatta of the Argentine Navy and Mrs. Wilkendorf is the wife of Hugo Wilkendorf, also of the Argentine Navy. Both lived here during the construction of the dreadnought.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

INJURED WOMAN ONCE LIVED HERE

Edward C. Marshall Held For Shooting Wife at Their Roxbury Home

WOUND IS SLIGHT ONE

Edna E. Marshall, whose maiden name was Whittaker, and who lived here until her marriage on Oct. 27, is under treatment at the Boston City Hospital with a bullet wound in her left side. Her husband, Edward C. Marshall, is under arrest and the police of the Back Bay station are trying to determine who fired the revolver. The wound is not considered serious.

Marshall is charged with assault and battery with a loaded revolver. In the Roxbury court Saturday he was held in $5000 bail until Jan. 26.

The shooting took place in a flat at 15 Bickerstaff street and presents some peculiar circumstances.

About two o'clock in the morning Sergeant Kneeland and Patrolman Garrity were standing near there when they heard a shot. They entered the house and demanded admission to the first floor flat where the Marshalls live. They were refused, but when they threatened to break down the door, it was opened. Mrs. Marshall was in bed. According to the police she said she and her husband had quarrelled, and that she had gone to the bath room and fired a shot to frighten him. The police left but watched the premises and about 6.30 saw Dr. A. K. Paine of 366 Marlborough street leaving. The physician told the police he had been called to attend a gunshot wound on the woman and that he had ordered her sent to the City Hospital

Marshall was then placed under arrest Peter T. Burns, janitor of the building, told the police, they say, that he heard quarrelling in the flat and then heard a shot fired. He claims to have found a revolver outside the window of the apartment.

BRIEFS

St. Margarets Guild of Christ church will hold its annual Valentine supper in the parish house on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9.

Mr. Weatherbee of Dorchester is occupying his new home on Billings road recently purchased of George Douse.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kissell of Hyde Park spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Newcomb of Water street.

Miss Mary Currier of Jamaica Plain was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Murdock Morrison of Water street.

The many friends of Postman Allen of Hamilton circle will be pleased to know that he is around again after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredette of Apthorp street has moved into the apartment over Honigan's store corner of Billings road.

Frank Cleary is receiving the sympathy of his friends, because of the death last week of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Cleary of Weymouth.

George A. Reinhalter of Willard street returned home Saturday from an extended business trip through Maine.

The Calvary Baptist church bible study meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elder, 26 Pearl street at 7. 30 P. M. Tuesday.

Division 4, Ancient Order of Hibernians, held a regular meeting Sunday. This was the first meeting under the newly elected officers. President Edward Finn presided.

Rev. Father Owens is having the house at the corner of Pray and Washington streets renovated. It will be ready for occupancy in about another week.

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WARRANT FOR ALLEGED MAKER OF CARTRIDGES

Police Seize Bullets Said to Have Been Made at Norfolk Downs

Chief Billings of the fire department who uncovered a small arsenal in a dwelling house at 134 Faxon road Saturday, secured two warrants, as deputy inspector of the Fire Hazard Commission, for James H. Jones, alleged to be the owner of 2900 cartridges seized on his order by the police Saturday. The case will be heard in the district court Friday.

Chief Billings' discovery was the result of a tip given him by Sergt. Larkin of the police department who was told by the owner of the house that his tenants had notified him that one of the occupants of the house was receiving shipments of powder and empty shells and that the moulding of bullets and manufacture of cartridges was going on.

Jones is charged with using a certain building for the manufacture of cartridges and with having more than 100 cartridges in a building occupied for dwelling purposes.

Chief Billingse received his tip about 11 o'clock Saturday morning and visited the premises. That afternoon he took up the matter with Capt. McKay and Inspector Goodhue of the police department. All three visited the house and learned that the cartridges had been schipped by trolley freight a short time before their arrival. Inquiry at the Quincy depot revealed nothing and the goods were finally located at the Neponset depot.

Chief Billings then took the matter up with the Boston fire department and was informed that it could not remain in the depot because; although the shipment was accepted in good faith, it was an illegal shipment because of its explosive character and must be returned to the owner. The Quincy police then seized the property and it was taken in the police auto to local police headquarters where it is now held.

The cartridges were packed in five wooden boxes and weighed close to 500 pounds altogether. They were wrapped in boxes of 25 each, which were labelled "45 calibre" government solid head primed shells."

All the boxes were consigned to the Iver Johnson Co. where Jones is said to be an employee. It is the belief of Chief Billings that the man was manufacturing in his spare time as empty shells and lead were found in the cellar of the house.

Jones, according to Chief Billings, lives on the top floor of the three apartment house and is said to have carried on the manufacturing in his kitchen.

Several witnesses will be summoned to court to testify at the hearing.

It was shortly after seven o'clock that arrangements were completed to bring the cartridges to police headquarters. The trip was not without danger because the rain had made puddle after puddle on Hancock street and there was a heavy coating of mud. Chauffeur Cahill was at the wheel and he was able to make the trip without any untoward incident. Wagon officer Olsen rode in back as guardian of the shipment.

TO TALK ACROSS CONTINENT

Will Celebrate Completion of Transcontinental Service.

Thomas A. Watson of Braintree, one of the founders of the original Fore River Ship and Engine Co., and for many years associated with Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, is arranging to talk telephonically from San Francisco to Mayor Mitchell in New York at the celebration of the completion of the transcontinental telephone service. The original experiments with the telephone were made in Boston in 1875. Mr. Watson was on one floor of the building on Sudbury street and Mr. Bell on another. Mr. Bell spoke the first words over the telephone, "Mr. Watson come here, I want you." Mr. Watson was active in the development of the telephone that followed this first conversation. He remained with Mr. Bell for many years.

GIVES TALK UPON AMERICAN INDIAN

Sunday evening at the Washington Street Congregational church, Miss Mary Collins, a missionary to the Sioux Indians in Standing Rock Reservation, North Dakota, gave an interesting talk on the American Indian.

She told how carefully the Indian children are trained from their earliest years. The boys are educated to be warriors and from the time they are ten years old are taught to bear hunger, cold and pain without crying. They are subjected to all sorts of hardship so that they will have endurance, obedience and self control.

The greatest glory for an Indian is to die on the war path—then he will be entitled to a place of honor in the next world. The girls are trained in etiquette. Often an Indian mother will say, "My daughter, speak softly. You have the mouth of a white woman." So it appears that many white people have a mistaken idea of what "acting like a wild Indian" really means.

Miss Collins pointed out that if we wish to civilize the Indian, we must change his heart, that means, change his religion. The soldiers and the government schools are not doing this, this is the important task of the Christian missionary. And the converted Indians become very noble Christians.

Among the Indians, Miss Collins is called Wenonah. When asked what her name meant, Miss Collins said that the Indians always hesitate to tell what their names mean because names are given to them either in compliment or in derision. Wenonah means princess, a name that shows the high respect in which the Indians hold Miss Collins who has been a missionary among them for forty years.

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A GENTLEMAN.

The series of lectures now being given by Wilfred Ward at the Lowell Institute upon "The True Nature of Cardinal Newman's Genius" serve as a reminder of a writer of English prose too little read today. A great preacher he was, one of the greatest England has ever produced, but it is for his prose style that he will always hold an honored place in the minds of lovers of literature. As a master of written English he has no superior, and in some respects, no equal. Clear and limpid, and withal forcible and full of color, is his style, the best model that can be found for one who would write good English.

His prose writings are almost unknown today, although he was the author of 36 large volumes. Everyone is familiar with his best poem, "Lead, Kindly Light." The subjects of his written discourses, practically all of a theological nature, are not such as would naturally attract or hold the attention of the average reader. And yet he who has the patience to search through the weighty volumes will find much to reward his search and will have had the pleasure, during his pursuit, of wandering through a delightful field.

In his "The Idea of a University" is a passage defining his conception of a gentleman which is worth reading and rereading. In part it is:

"Hence it is almost a definition of a gentleman to say he is one who never inflicts pain. This description is both refined, and, as far as it goes, accurate. He is mainly occupied in merely removing the obstacles which hinder the free and unembarrassed action of those about him; and he concurs with their movements rather than takes the initiative himself.

"His benefits may be considered as parallel to what are called comforts or conveniences in arrangements of a personal nature; like an easy chair or a good fire, which do their part in dispelling cold and fatigue, though nature provides both means of rest and animal heat without them. The true gentleman in like manner carefully avoids what may cause a jar or a jolt in the minds of those with whom he is cast;—all clashing of opinion, or collision of feeling, all restraint, or suspicion, or gloom, or resentment; his great concern being to make every one at their ease and at home. He has his eyes on all his company; he is tender towards the bashful, gentle towards the distant, and merciful towards the absurd; he can recollect to whom he is speaking; he guards against unseasonable allusions, or topics which may irritate; he is seldom prominent in conversation and never wearisome."

THE QUESTION OF THE HOUR.

His honor has taken pity upon our anxiety and is considering announcing his appointments at a special meeting of the city council Friday night. Quincy is much interested in the answer to the question: "Where will the axe fall?" Quincy feels that the axe should fall upon some official heads, and feels that others should be spared. It has confidence that Mayor Campbell will show good judgment in his decapitation.

VIEWS ON "BILLY" SUNDAY.

The comments by local clergymen upon "Billy" Sunday and his methods, printed in Saturday's Ledger, were illuminating. Although his methods did not meet with general approval most of the ministers held the attitude that if the famous evangelist is working the good he is reputed to be working he is deserving of commendation.

CONGRATULATIONS.

The Wollaston Woman's Club has a right to feel proud of its successful presentation of "Priscilla" Friday night. So pretentious an opera is not an easy thing to produce and the club is to be congratulated upon giving a performance which would be a credit even to a professional theatrical company..

BY AEROPLANE.

The Barre Times says:—"It would not be surprising if the Germans should some day find a short way to Tipperary."

War News Oddities

So many German civilians are buying "bullet proof" breastplates an official warning has been sent out that when hit the armor causes worse wounds than the bullet.

A moratorium on dueling has been declared in France, because it is held a Frenchman must not kill one of his countrymen during the war. A number of duels have been postponed until peace has been declared.

Ralph Soubiran of New York, automobile expert and former chauffeur for Richard Croker, who is on the firing line for French as an aviator, has charge of a thrashing machine temporarily in an effort to save some of the harvest.

A Swiss mother sent her four sons to war. Two were by her first husband, an Austrian, and went with the Germans. The other two, by her second husband, a Frenchman, joined the French. They were against each other in their first battle, and all were killed.

A method of curing fatigue, suggested by a Paris doctor, is being tried in the trenches. The soldier takes off his boots, lies down with his head on his sack, sticks his legs straight up and supports them against a tree, the side of a trench or the back of a comrade and then wiggles his toes.

COAL MOUNTAIN TREATED LIKE A FEVER PATIENT.

Fearful of Spontaneous Combustion, Temperature Taken Frequently.

Europe is getting its coal supply these days from the mines of West Virginia. The coal is shipped to Italy, France, England and other countries through the port of Norfolk.

During the year 1914 there were shipped from this port 12,050,000 tons, the biggest year in coal shipments in the history of this port. The Norfolk and Western railroad hauled to its piers at Lambert's point 5,959,793 tons during the year, the Chesapeake and Ohio 3,221,782 tons at its piers, and the Virginia railway delivered 2,830,305 tons at its Sewell point piers.

The largest coal trains in the world now pass through Norfolk. It is a daily occurrence to see a train of 130 cars, pulled by four locomotives, pass through the outskirts of this city en route to the coal piers at Lambert's point and Sewell point. The Virginia railway has been operating special trains, and it has dumped 750,000 tons in its yard at Sewell point. It is spoken of as the "black diamond mountain" by thousands of visitors who have seen it. It is guarded as carefully as Uncle Sam guards his naval stations.

Every precaution is taken to prevent any one from tampering with or stealing it or throwing a match near it. Like a patient with fever, the temperature of this huge mountain is taken every two hours. A mammoth steel rod with a tiny strip of thick glass, through which the mercury runs, is shoved down into the coal mountain to remain five, ten, fifteen minutes. If the temperature is above a certain degree the work of cooling the coal is begun immediately. The danger is spontaneous combustion. A number of watchmen are employed, and steam derricks are used to move portions of the pile as may be necessary to keep the temperature at a point of safety.

This mountain of coal is said to be the property of W. P. Tams of West Virginia. It took the Virginian railway seven months to accumulate it.

DIRE DISTRESS AT LODZ.

Industrial Population of War Worn City Idle, Cold and Starving.

Widespread distress prevails in Lodz, Poland, a city without food or fuel, it might almost be called. The coal supplies are almost exhausted, and what remains has been levied upon for the use of the hospitals. The price of bread has risen to three times its normal figure. The factories in this great center of the wool and cotton industry, with its 500,000 inhabitants, are closed, and its great industrial population is idle, cold and hungry.

The city, which for months has been alternately in Russian and German possession, has been cut off from normal railroad communication since the beginning of the war. The railroads, when running, have been required for the movement of troops, supplies and ammunition. Consequently no coal has been brought in and only a limited quantity of food for the civil population has been received.

Only one hotel in town is heated, and that is occupied as headquarters by the military governor and his staff. Guests in the others must shiver. The streets are jammed with the idle and unemployed. There is little kerosene left in town, and the stock of candles is exhausted. Residents of means still have gas or electric light, the authorities having so far succeeded in keeping the plants in operation, but the poorer people either sit in darkness or burn turpentine and other substitutes The supply of these is very short.

Jealousy Proof of Love.

Holding jealousy is a proof of love, Judge Logsdon refused a new trial in the divorce case of Andrew E. Sullivan of Evansville, Ind., a prominent Sunday school worker, against his girl wife, Thelma. The husband was denied a divorce.

ARRESTS HUMAN CLOTHES HORSE

Quincy Man Gets Jail Term For Boston Larceny

Maurice F. Downey, 27, who lived at the Parker house, Quincy Point, was sentenced to three months in the House of Correction by Judge Churchill of Boston Saturday on a charge of larceny of clothing.

Downey was arrested by Patrolman Quirk at Savin hall and Dorchester avenue at 2.15 Saturday morning. A hump on his back looked suspicious to the patrolman who found enough concealed clothing to convince him a clothesline had been robbed.

"I purchased them at the Morgan Memorial for 75 cents," declared the man, who looked like a mariner's compass as legs of pants and arms of coats stuck out all over him. He bulged so his appearance gave him a weight of 700 pounds. Quirk sent the man to the station and it was with difficulty he was placed within the narrow entrance of the patrol.

SNOW PLOWS NOT MUCH USE

The snow plows were out early this morning but they were of but little use for they were so light that they did not cut down through the frozen crust which meant that the rain which followed soon turned the walk into slush several inches deep. The storm which started Sunday night shortly after 9 o'clock came in the form of snow which increased during the night so that by morning there was several inches on the ground Then it turned to rain and the temperature dropped so that a crust was quickly formed making it hard for the street department to handle.

SERVICES FOR MR. MUNDIE.

The funeral of Alexander Mundie, a prominent granite manufacturer of this city was held from his home at 106 Independence avenue, Saturday afternoon and was attended by members of the Granite Manufacturers Association, Clan MacGregor, Order of Scottish Clans, and Court John Adams, Foresters of America, with which he was affiliated.

Rev. C. C. Tilley, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, officiated at the services and was assisted by Rev. Reuben J. Davis of Salem, a former pastor. There was a profusion of floral tributes. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

DANCE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

A special meeting of the Franklin Associates, was held in their rooms on Franklin street Sunday morning The committee on the dance reported a large sale of tickets. The dance will be held Monday evening, February 8th in Alpha hall.

The committee has secured Paul Franzie and his partner Miss Ethel Vanderstreet of Brockton to give an exhibition of modern dancing. The dancing ability of this pair needs no mention as both have been seen in Quincy several times. The committee in charge of the affair are Edward Carson, Russell Farquharson, Enos Costa, Wallace Carson and Paul Franzi.

GUESTS FROM BROCKTON.

Franklin Associates Entertain Takyhoma Girls.

The Franklin Associates entertained the Takyhoma Girls from Brockton in their rooms on Franklin street Sunday afternoon.

The Vanderstreet sisters entertained with dancing and singing exhibitions. William Clements presided at the piano, and Wallace Carson rendered several pleasing selections. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served by a committee of the club members.

The girls left for home about eight o'clock, wishing the Franklins all possible kinds of good luck and extending them an invitation to be their guests at their Annual dance to be held Thursday evening, January 27th in Canton hall, Brockton.

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GOVERNOR FIELDER.

New Jersey Executive, Who Is Investigating Strikers' Trouble at Roosevelt.



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SHOOTING OF STRIKERS

Prosecutor Will Seek First Degree Murder Indictments

New Burnswick, N. J., Jan. 25.—The grand jury was notified by Prosecutor Florence to reassemble in extraordinary session here to consider the charges against the twenty-two deputies arrested at the fertilizer works in Roosevelt, where nineteen strikers were shot, two dying of their injuries.

Florence said he will ask that indictments charging murder in the first degree be returned.

Altogether fifty-four warrants have been issued in connection with the shooting. Of these twenty-two charged the deputies with manslaughter. On this charge the men were raigned several days ago and released in $2000 bonds each. They then returned to their posts at Roosevelt.

HELD FOR DEATHS OF TWO CHILDREN

Mrs. Walters Placed Under Arrest In New York Hospital

New York, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Ida S. Walters was placed under arrest on a charge of homicide in the hospital in which she has been a patient for several weeks.

This action was taken on a warrant issued by Coroner Flynn, which recites that she was responsible for the death of her two children, to whom she gave fatal doses of poison and then attempted suicide by the same means.

Lollys E. Rogers, a lawyer, father of the two children, is now under bail on a charge of having induced Mrs. Walters to live with him for immoral purposes. His case is to come up for pleading next Thursday.

Mrs. Walters' appearance to answer the homicide charge is called for Tuesday next if her condition permits. She is said to be rapidly recovering from the effects of the poison which she took.

ATTRIBUTED TO JEALOUSY

Maine Farmer is Charged With the Murder of a Neighbor

Canaan, Me., Jan. 25.—Verdie W. Nelson, a farmer, was arrested, charged with the murder of Bert Ireland, 25, who was found dead with a deep wound in the right side of his head.

Ireland lived alone on a small farm half a mile from Canaan. He was last seen alive on Friday night.

When neighbors who had become alarmed over his failure to attend to his usual farm chores, entered the house, they found his body on a bed with a rope, knotted into a slip-noose, about his neck. It is believed the man was killed with a sledstake, and the body afterward placed on the bed.

According to the county officers who arrested Nelson, jealousy is alleged to have furnished the motive for the crime.

Pensions For Arizona Widowers

Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 25.—Widowers over 60 years old with children and unable to earn a livelihood will get pensions of $15 a month for themselves and $6 for each child, under the terms of a mother's pension, bill unanimously passed by the Arizona legislature.

Mt. Lassen on the Rampage

Redding, Cal., Jan. 25.—A spectacular demonstration was given by Lassen peak, which broke forth in what is perhaps the most violent eruption of the series that began last May.

Bliss Made Bishop of Vermont

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 22.—Dr. George Y. Bliss, rector of St. Paul's church of this city, was elected bishop coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Vermont, as successor to the late William F. Weeks.

SCISSORS PASTE

LET THE PEOPLE CHOOSE.

It is understood that an effort will be made by the advocates of what they call a short ballot to secure from the Legislature a law giving the Governor power to appoint the Lieutenant Governor, secretary of the Commonwealth, treasurer and receiver general, auditor and attorney general. These officers have always been chosen by the people and their combined judgment is not inferior to any one man to whom might be given the power to appoint. When the appointments of the predecessor to the present incumbent of the office of Governor are recalled it will hardly be claimed that the offices referred to above would have been better filled than they were by the popular vote. The principle of choosing good men for the State offices by the people should not be overridden. The Governor has responsibilities enough without placing the appointment of he other State officers upon him. It s not good for the body politic to reluce the power of the electorate. Let he voters continue to exercise the ight they have had from the beginding of the Commonwealth to choose heir officers. No harm has come rom it. What good would be secured by taking it from them? The dvocates of the plan have labeled it vith a deceptive title. They call it he "short ballot law," which is naturally taken to mean a ballot not uite so long as the one now in use. In some States ballots are several eet in length, and talk about a short allot suggests the opposite of the ong one. But the word "short" in his instance simply means leaving out five offices. It is not a good hing to do, to take from the voters the right to choose their officers, a right that has been exercised and enjoyed for nearly three centuries. The Legislature should give the short allot proposition "short shrift."—Lynn Item.

BACKWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS

Some Progressives crawl back shamefacedly to the Republican party some return furtively in the night; some do the thing quietly and say nothing about it;but some do it with a spring and a bounce. This last is he disgusting class. It was well exemplified at Springfield, Ill., by Medill McCormick. Announcing his intention of voting with the Republicans in the Legislature, though he was elected as a Progressive, Mr. McCormick declared, with a fine flourish "I am glad to get back to the party of my fathers." Be it remembered that Mr. McCormick was one of the hurrah-boys of the Progressive party. He was foremost in impudent and very youthful attacks upon President Taft. Nobody foreswore himself more deeply than he against over having anything more to do with the rotten Republican party. Yet now, without pretending that the party has changed, or alleging any motive unless it be his desire to be on the winning side, he deserts Roosevelt with shouts of joy and with banners flying. Backward, Christian Soldiers! —New York Post.

HOW THE MONEY GOES.

Of the $9,000,000 appropriated by the state for the extension of Boston's docks and harbor improvement, $5,500,000 has already been spent. Those responsible for the outlays have no accasion to "point with pride" to the equivalent the state has thus far received. The patchwork plan has been followed. No such plan can be followed without a frittering away of more or less money, whether the work be carried on under public auspices. or whether private individuals are concerned.

Since 1911, when the original board was created, the amounts paid for so-called "expert service" total rising $83,000. Most of this "expert service" could be put in a person's eye and the person could still see clearly. There is a lot of humbug rife in this year of grace, and one of the striking humbugs is the manner in which public officials, commissions and the like contract for the payment of public money to this, that or the other self-styled expert in sums that are altogether out of proportion to the real value of the "service" rendered.—Salem News.

FORMAL TESTIMONY.

The extent to which the increasing automobile riding of the day has cut into railroad passenger business has quite frequently formed the basis of editorial and other comment. Only indirectly, however, has testimony to this effect come from railroad managements. At last we have formal acknowledgment, in the shape of a statement from the executive committee of the directors of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad. The semi-annual dividend has been reduced because "the passenger service, which at best has never been profitable, has suffered from the increased use of automobiles." If a line like the one in question operating in a limited territory has suffered, the public must get an inkling of the manner in which the passenger business of the large railroads of the country has felt the great expansion of the automobile as a pleasure vehicle. While what is called the tourist traffic has obviously suffered from the cause here instanced, local business has also felt the effect of the new dispensation, under which thousands of people run their own trains, so to speak, over railess territory. This is a development of the motor vehicle little dreamed of at the outset. Prospects for the future are altogether in line with a continuous growth the feature. —Lynn Item.

FROM MISSOURI.

One could easily surmise that Senator Reed is from Missouri because of the number of times he demanded to be shown by Senator Dillingham during the course of the latter's speech on immigration in the Senate. By actual count in that reliable journal, the Congressional Record, Senator Reed interposed a word 54 times and was given courteous hearing by Senator Dillingham each time, although it would seem that the latter on some occasions had good reason for being exasperated.—Barre Times.

MARTIN A. HEATHERSTONE.

Word was received in this city Saturday of the death of Martin A. Heatherstone at the National Soldiers Home at Togus, Maine. Mr. Heatherstone was formerly a resident of West Quincy and was well known by the older people of the district.

When the call for volunteers came in 1861 he enlisted with Co. C., 6th regiment, and distinguished himself by his bravery so that he was appointed a sergeant. Mr. Heatherstone received several bullet wounds in the service, one of which lodged in his side and while at work several years later in Dedham he went to bed feeling it pain him and when he awoke the bullet had come out of his side. Since the war Mr. Heatherstone has never lived in Quincy very long at a time but came here several times on a short visit. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Deneen of Common street and Mrs. Delia Lannigan of Weymouth. His funeral will be held at Togus.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

About 300 graduates and present pupils attended the annual senior party given Friday evening in the Town hall under the auspices of the class of 1915. In the receiving line were the matrons—Miss Hester Cunningham, Mrs. Charles L. Curtis, Mrs. Arthur Tucker and Miss Josephine Belcher. The halls were prettily decorated with evergreen and wistaria and the platform profusely covered with potted palms. Music was furnished by Poole's Boston orchestra of five pieces. Parker B. Field Jr., served as floor director. The aids were: Hugh Robertson, Walter Bartlett, James Park, Francis Fallon, Clifford Davidson, Waldo Reiser and Harold Keay.

The debating club of the High school held a trial debate Friday afternoon in the school hall to pick a team to go against Brockton in March. About 150 of the school body attended. The question debated was Resolved: That an Amendment Should Be Added To The National Constitution Granting Equal Suffrage. The affirmative side was upheld by Kenneth D. Johnson, Russell Phipps and Byron Bentley and the negative by Maurice Pierce, Richard Canning and Langdon Parsons. Both sides brought out some excellent arguments but in the opinion of the judges—Principal Charles L. Curtis, Reginald Nash and Walter Butler both of the faculty—the negative was the winning side. After Mr. Butler had announced the judges' decision he read the names of the four men to serve on the team, as follows: Kenneth D. Johnson '15; Langdon Parsons '17; Byron Bentley '16; alternate Russell Phipps, '14.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church held its monthly meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Tocher on Edge Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin W. Hollis of Braintree are to move into the house on Granite place which they recently purchased of Mrs. A. A. Brackett.

MAYOR CAMPBELL ATTENDS.

Mayor Campbell was one of the new mayors present Saturday at the annual meeting of the Mayor's club of Massachusetts at Young's Hotel, Boston. About forty were present. At the election which followed the lunch A. H. Linscott of Woburn was elected president; George Louis Richards of Malden, vice president, John O. Hall of Quincy secretary and treasurer and the above with Eugene R. Stone of Quincy, E. O. Childs of Newton, Charles S. Taylor of Medford, Herbert P. Wasgett of Everett, Charles H. Adams of Melrose and E. P. Blodgett of Woburn, executive committee. Mayor Campbell was one of those called upon to speak.

TO GO BY AUTO.

The Franklin Associates have engaged an auto truck for Thursday evening to take members and their friends to Brockton to attend the Takyhoma Girls dance in Canton hall A good time is being looked forward to. Outsiders may secure seats on the truck by seeing the club members

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Among Our Churches

FIRST PARISH.

"Redemption" was the subject of Mr. Hudson's sermon at the First Parish Sunday morning. He recognized that there was a feeling of prejudice against the word in the minds of many excellent people, because it had become associated with a discredited idea of religion: viz, that its chief purpose was to save people from punishment for their sins— a selfish and unworthy conception which tended to make the Christian church a refuge for cowards and a cloak for hypocrites.

But there is no warrant for such use of the word. Jesus Christ came into the world not to save people from punishment; but to "save the people from their sins"—which is quite a different matter. Punishment is only a part of the process whose ultimate aim is redemption. The constant endeavor to overcome the tendencies to evil within us and about us ought surely to be the aim of every honorable life. To stimulate and help us in this high endeavor is the noblest function of the Christian church.

Mr. Hudson spoke of the tendency at the present time to emphasize social redemption almost to the entire exclusion of the idea of individual redemption. It represents a wholesome reaction; but it has gone too far. Both are important; but individual redemption must precede social redemption. We can't create an ideal social order by the mechanics of organization or the saving grace of legislation. Back of any form of social betterment must stand the power of better men and women. The redemption of society presupposes the redemption of the individual soul.

BETHANY CHURCH.

Rev. Mr. Willmott Urges Tolerance For Others.

The subject of Mr. Willmotts morning sermon was "The Unity of the Spirit in the Bond of Peace."

He pointed out that it was the aim of Christianity to create a true democracy where those of varying opinions could work shoulder to shoulder for the common good. Racial differences and social distinctions have existed from early times always to the detriment of true religion.

The church has tried various ways to promote unity; by creedal statements, by persecution, by legislation all of which have failed. The only success has come through the great appeal of tolerance, whereby those bearing the Christian name have been willing to give up non-essentials for the sake of working together in harmony.

The ideal church expresses itself in terms of inclusion rather than exclusion. The arrogance which says "There is no type of Christian but my type" ruins and devastates the church. All types are necessary.

There can be no peace without mutual respect for the opinions of others. To try to inflict our conscience upon those whose traditions and antecedents are opposed to our own is to invite dissension.

In business, in politics, in life generally we are bound to come into conflict with the interests of other people but Christ is larger than all these differences and in him we are one.

In closing, the speaker made a glowing appeal to Bethany Church to unite for the great task which confronts it of providing adequate accommodation for Sunday School and parish work. Present quarters are out grown and the need is imperative. "This work will tax all the powers of the church but it would be a fatal mistake to let the present opportunity for enlarged usefulness slip by because there is lacking the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace," he declared.

The Christian Endeavor meeting was led by the chairman of the Sunday school committee of the society. Twenty-four took part in the consideration of the subject "My Favorite Bible Character and Why?" Miss Edith Avery and Miss Wilhelmina Laing favored with a duet "Above the Stars there is Rest."

At the pleasant Sunday evening service the pastor spoke on "Commercializing Childhood."

Wednesday evening an entertainment will be given by the Junior Kings Daughters.

The Junior C. E. will meet Thursday afternoon.

The regular Thursday evening service will be held.

A meeting of the church council will be held Friday evening.

On the afternoon and evening of Friday, Feb. 12, Mrs. A. I. Davis will give a reading of "Pollyanna," illustrated by living pictures.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN.

The Last Supper was celebrated at the evening service and there was an unusually large attendance. Fourteen persons united with the church, most of them on profession of faith.

The Communion was preceded by a sermon by the pastor in which he explained the significance of the Saviour's dying exclamation, "My God, my God, why hast Thou forsaken me." The services closed with the singing by the congregation of the latter part of the "valedictory psalm" the 72d, according to ancient custom in the Presbyterian church. The Rev. J. C. Martin of Cardiff Prince Edward Island, who is here on a visit, was present and, on invitation of the pastor, addressed the congregation briefly, many of whom were former parishioners.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL

The Wollaston Congregational church is a self-governing organization but cultivates fellowship with all other churches in so far as it is possible. It has a definite creed and covenant, to which it asks consent only in so far as the individual can conscientiously give it. It holds the covenant as an ideal life and relation toward which each individual should strive in connection with his Christian life. It seeks to put "first things first," and these are the spiritual rather than the social and commercial. This church is a free pew church and opens its doors to all who desire to worship God and help their brother man.

These suggestions were emphasized yesterday with the annual offering for home missions. Dr. Sneath made his annual appeal for the Congregational Home Missionary society, which seeks to establish Congregational churches all over the United States upon the above basis.

The Wollaston Congregational Men's Club will meet on Tuesday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 P. M. At 7.45 the lecture of the evening will be given in the auditorium of the church and is open to all. The speaker is Robert Lincoln O'Brien, Editor of the Boston Herald, who will speak upon the subject, "Prominent Men I Have Met." Mayor Campbell will preside.

The Ladies Benevolent Society will meet in all-day meeting on Wednesday in the church vestry and will sew for the Belgians.

On Thursday evening at the Midweek meeting Dr. Sneath will conduct a religious current events service.

George A. Smith and James MacDonald were chosen delegates to represent the church at the Finnish church recognition council on Thursday evening in West Quincy.

A number of our ladies will attend the winter meeting of the Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch W. B. M. in Plymouth on Thursday. There will be morning afternoon and evening sessions. Miss Clarke from Africa will be the leading speaker.

WOLLASTON M. E.

Rev. George M. Bailey's theme Sunday morning was "The Value of the Present and Its Possessions." The text was found in the Gospel of St. John 12:35 "Walk while ye have the light, lest darkness come upon you; for he that walketh in darkness knoweth not whither he goeth."

The word "while" as it us used by Jesus is full of suggestiveness, it implies choice, occasion or opportunity. There should be no tomorrow for the Christian, everything should be today. The present is the time for Christians to live and to work and in which to do good. Jesus himself said "Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself." Walk while ye have the light for light is opportunity. The Master said "I must work while it is light." As an illustration, read while you have your eyesight then when the sight is dimmed you will have a treasure store of literature and like Milton you may sit and think and reflect.

Now is the time to go about doing good while you have the vision and while your heart is young and full of joy. The slogan of one of our Metropolitan papers is "Build now." Build while men are out of work and are willing to give their services cheap and when the banks are ready to loan money. Never were there greater opportunities for building. Never were there greater opportunities for building character. Never was the world so ready to accept goodness at its face value. So in the name of Jesus Christ build now. God is ready to receive you and to make your possibilities plain to you. Give Him a mortgage on your life and soul and you may be sure this mortgage will never be foreclosed.

Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" by Ambrose and the quartet sang "C come let us sing." Miss Nettie Crittenden supplied the place of Miss Myrtle Lovell in the quartet.

The Wollaston Methodist church has started a magazine exchange in the ladies' parlor of the church. Any one may take a magazine upon leaving two cents. The magazine may be kept until read and then returned. Any one whether a member of the Methodist church or not is welcome to avail himself of this opportunity of inexpensive reading.

Everyone is talking about the entertainment which is to be held in the Wollaston School hall on Friday evening under the auspices of the Wollaston Methodist Men's club.

The Ladies' Aid of the Wollaston Methodist church is to hold a free social and apron sale Tuesday evening, January 26, in the vestry. This social is for everyone and a good time is promised. Refreshments will be served.

Dr. Isaac T. Headland who was for a long time a missionary in China is to speak both morning and evening on February 7, at the church. The morning subject will be "America's Part in Making the Chinese Republic,' that of the evening will be "Some By-Products of Missions." Dr. Headland was well acquainted with some of the high Chinese dignitaries and his wife had several audiences with the old empress dowager.

There is a membership contest on for the banner between the boys of the A1 club of the Sunday school and Mr. Robert's class of the same school.

The boys of the Sunday school are to play against the Y. M. C. A., Juniors at basket ball on Saturday, at half past three.

BEGIN THIRD WEEK.

The third week of the union meetings of the Swedish churches of the city began Sunday evening at the Swedish Congregational church and the meeting was a very enthusiastic one. The sermon was by Rev. Paul Hallin and the appeal was made by Rev. A. G. Sporrong. An impressive after meeting was held with Rev. Mr. Sporrong in charge at which several conversions were made. Inspiring music was rendered by the choir. Meetings will be held on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

On Tuesday cottage prayer meetings will be held by each of the churches that of the Swedish Congregational church being at the home of Nils Johnson at 191 Centre street.

The Young People's society of the Swedish Congregational church will hold a business meeting this evening.

BANGOR SCHOONER LOST

Crew Lashed to Deckhouses of Alice Lord For Five Days

New York, Jan. 25.—The steamer York Castle, from Swansea, brought Captain Kelly and five seamen of the schooner Alice Lord of Bangor, abandoned at sea on Jan. 17 while on the voyage from Jacksonville to New Bedford.

Kelly said he sailed from Jacksonville on Jan. 7 with a load of lumber. Off Frying Pan shoals the vessel ran into a gale which carried her to Hatteras, where she struck on the outer Diamond shoal.

She remained on the shoals until all masts were lost and her boats carried away. Osborn Hazel, aged 15, was washed overboard and lost.

For five days then the vessel drifted, a complete wreck. The crew were compelled to lash themselves to the deckhouses. On Jan. 17 the steamer Mombassa sighted the wreck and rescued all hands. As the Mombassa was bound to Havre, the men were transferred on Jan. 20 to the York Castle, which brought them to this port.

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WANTS NATIONAL CHILD LABOR LAW

Rev. Mr. Horst Delivers Sermon at Wollaston Unitarian Church

BENEFITS WOULD BE GREAT

There was a large congregation at the Wollaston Unitarian church to listen to Rev. Carl G. Horst's stirring sermon from the text "It is not the will of your Father who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish"—Matthew 18.14.4

The sermon dealt with the great need of a national child labor law that children may not have to know "all manhood's toil and grief e'er manhood's strength is won" and may not have to "taste the bitterness of life, when life has scarce begun." Every child has a right to be sure of a hearty welcome and to be well born, to grow up under good influences and amidst wholesome surroundings, to have a chance to get an education which in the competition of the world makes self-support possible and to have a happy childhood.

There are altogether too many children working in the mills of the South to make dividends for Massachusetts capital possible, when they ought to be in school and on the playground. The lack of uniformity in existing laws makes possible the moving of factories from one state, which has a rigorous child labor law to another state which has none.

A national child labor law is the need of the hour.

Such a law will give to state officials the help of federal authorities in enforcing child labor laws, will equalize competition between manufacturers engaged in interstate commerce, check the migration of factories in search of unrestricted employment of children, prevent the exploitation of children in certain industries, and awaken all the states to their obligation to conserve and develop good citizens.

Surely the soul of a child is of infinitely more value than the saving on a spool of cotton or on a bolt of cotton cloth. Alas for a nation when "lustful greed feeds on children's blood." And it is not the will of your father which is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish. Amen

The Girls' choir, assisted by Mrs. Frank A. Page, soprano and Miss Ernestine Litchfield rendered two anthems, besides the usual choral responses, which were much enjoyed by the congregation.

Let every one that has the welfare of children, our future citizens, at heart write this day, if possible to the representatives and senators from this district, urging the immediate passage of the Palmer-Owen Bill (H. R. 12292.) The more letters the Congressmen receive, the more they will feel the imperative nature of the issue.

Mrs. H. N. Thomas' Sunday School class of boys will hold a candy sale Saturday afternoon, Jan. 30, in the vestry for the benefit of the Belgians.

Every member of the Wollaston Unitarian society is invited to be present at the annual meeting of the church this evening and also at the turkey dinner at 6.30 o'clock which precedes the business session. The officers, committees and societies will report the year's work and new officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid alliance will be held Wednesday, at 2.30 p. m. in the vestry. The Rev. Palfrey Perkins, of Brighton will speak on "The Women of the Old Testament." Mrs. Charles E. Sweet will read a poem entitled "Girls of Today." Tea and the usual social hour will follow the meeting.

The Sunday school teachers and workers of the Braintree, Quincy and Wollaston Unitarian churches will meet for conference in the chapel of the First Parish church, Quincy, Thursday evening, Jan. 28 at 7.45.

All the women in the church are welcome at the meeting of the Hospital Aid association at the home of Mrs. Laprance Sturtevant 230 Adams street at 2.30 p. m. Thursday.

Prof. Jay William Hudson, Ph. D., under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's club will lecture on "America's Message to Europe," at the Wollaston School hall Friday, Feb. 5 at 8 p. m.

Rev. Carl G. Horst attended today the regular session of the Boston Ministerial union. The Rev. Alfred Gooding, for over thirty years pastor of the Second Parish in Portsmouth, N. H., founded in 1638, gave the address on "Reflections on a Ministry of Thirty Years."

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URGES REBUKE OF BILLY SUNDAY

Philadelphia Minister Becomes Restive

In comparison with the comments upon "Billy" Sunday by Quincy ministers, printed in Saturday's Ledger, it is interesting to note the opinion of a Philadelphia clergyman.

The evangelist has been rather stirring up things in Sleepy Town and some of the ministers there have become rather restive under his lashings. Rev. Charles E. St. John of the First Unitarian church, writes to his fellow clergymen in part as follows:

"Dear Brethren: How long are you going to endure the impudent tongue lashing to which you are being subjected by Billy Sunday? There you sit every man of you superior to him in knowledge, in consecration and in Christian graces, and suffer him to dragoon you into aiding him in methods which you know work more harm than good. You could stop his irresponsible slander of your churches and yourselves, if you would stand up and rebuke him."

INSTANTLY KILLED BY ELECTRIC CAR

William H. A. Walsh, of Cambridge, son of Frank Walsh of Cross street this city and brother of Fr. Frank Walsh of Reading was run over and instantly killed by an electric car shortly after midnight, Friday, in front of his drug store. His funeral was held this morning.

Mr. Walsh had closed the store at 11.50, and was about to take an inbound car to Kendall square and the Subway, by which he reached his home at 70 Fayerwether street, Cambridge. As he crossed the street he dropped a coin and spent a few moments in hunting for it. Then he waited for an outbound car to pass and stepping behind it, walked directly in front of the inbound car he wished to take.

He was knocked down and horribly mangled and it was necessary to call the wrecking crew to raise the car to take out the body. The body was taken to Litchfield's morgue and there viewed by Medical Examiner Swan.

Mr. Walsh was between 45 and 50 years old and came originally from Quincy. He had had the store at Hampshire and Columbia streets for six or seven years and previously worked as a clerk in the drug store or J. F. O'Donnell, Cambridge and Willow streets, Cambridge. He leaves a wife, a son, Frank, and a daughter, Isabel.

DIVIDES FOOLS IN THREE KINDS

Rev. Joseph Walther Delivers Sermon

Rev. Joseph Walther preached from the subject "Four Famous Fools" Eph 5: 75 "See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise," pointed out the speaker.

According to the dictionaries, all fools are divided into three classes: first, court fools or jesters whose successors are known as impersonators; second, those who are below normal and average intelligence and who have to be protected from themselves and others, by those who are strong; third, Those who act contrary to wisdom, who know better than they do, who have plenty of intelligence and yet who often do things which are demoralizing and destructive. This is the meaning of the word "fool," that Paul speaks of.

The apostle had been speaking of many sins. He pointed out the serious consequences of those things. They not only have their effect in this life but shut one out of the Kingdom of God. Then Paul makes an application of the whole thing to the people to whom he is writing.

Studying the Scripture we find at least four famous fools, King Saul, whose foolishness lay in three things: he crossed God's purposes for him, he allowed jealousy and anger to dominate his heart, he refused to heed all warnings. Saul said of himself, "I have played the fool." Psalm 14:1 mentions another, a man whose name is not given.

The third famous fool spoken of was another unknown man in 1 Cor. 15:35 Paul was speaking about the resurrection of Christ and also the resurrection of believers in Christ but there were those who doubted and questioned Paul says: "Thou fool."

The fourth and most famous fool of all is the rich fool mentioned in Luke 12.20. This man was a fool not for being rich, no man in the bible is ever condemned for being rich. It is the love of riches which is the root of all evil and this man lived for this world alone, overlooked the needs of his soul, thought of no one except himself, took all the credit of his success to himself, never thought of the possibility of dying, never made any preparation for the next world.

Anthem. "Oh for a closer walk with God" was rendered by the choir.

Sunday School followed the morning service 335 being present.

The Junior Endeavor meeting at 3.30 was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Walther. Subject: "A voyage to the Pacific Islands." Leader Dorothy Kempton.

Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00. Subject "Favorite Characters of the Bible and Why." Leader Elford Durgin.

At the evening service the pastor spoke from the subject: "The Prodigal Son." The choir sang morning and evening.,

Tuesday evening at 7.45 a Cottage Meeting will be held at the home of William Arthur, 137 Hollis avenue. Thursday afternoon at 4.00 the pastor's class will meet in the chapel. Boys and girls from eleven years upwards are urged to be present. Parents are asked to co-operate. Thursday evening at 7.45 the monthly covenant meeting of the church will be held in the chapel.

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MACHINE GALLERY HAS SLIGHT LEAD

The Machine Gallery holds the lead in the Fore River league, which has but four weeks more to run. The indications strongly point to the gallery remaining in first place. The yard has rolled one more match than the leaders and with two clean sweeps would take first position.

	Won	Lost	Total
M. Gallery	61	11	847
Y. Dept.	51	17	765
E. Dept.	46	26	639
N. Dept.	43	25	632
S. Dept.	37	31	544
D. Dept.	36	36	500
Treas. Office	22	26	458
Ex. App.	29	39	442
B. Dept.	31	41	430
U. S. N.	26	42	382
M. Floor	24	48	333
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PLAN FARM BUREAU.

Fifty-two at Organization Meeting.

Fifty-two representatives of the 118 towns and one city in Norfolk county were present at Dedham Saturday at the meeting to organize a farm bureau. Hon. John F. Merrill, chairman of the County Commissioners presided, and the speakers included Prof. William D. Hurd of the Massachusetts Agricultural college, H. J. Wilder of the office of the Bureau of Agriculture at Washington, B. W. Ellis of the Massachusetts Agricultural college, Dr. H. J. Wheeler of Wellesley and Frank W. Chamberlain, superintendent of the Walpole school for boys.

A committee of ten were selected to draw up a constitution and perfect arrangements for a permanent organization and to report back to a meeting to be called at a later date. The committee includes Hon. John F. Merrill of Quincy, Ernest H. Gilbert of Stoughton, F. W. Kingman of Walpole, W. C. Wilkinson of Plainville, Henry D. Humphrey of Dedham, C. O. Littlefield of Norwood, Albert A. Boulett of Canton, J. M. Parker of Franklin, Evan F. Richardson of Millis and W. D. Nickerson of Norwood.

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CONVICTION IN METCALF CASE

President of Atlantic National Misapplied Funds

BANK FORCED TO CLOSE

Failure of Providence Institution Partially Responsible For Failures In Other Cities—De Kay, Who Also Figured In Long Trial, Exonerated on Only One of Counts Against Him

Providence, Jan. 25.—Edward P. Metcalf, former president of the Atlantic National bank, was found guilty on all ten counts, and Henry E. De Kay, a New York broker, guilty on all but one count of indictments charging misapplication of the bank's funds.

The bank closed its doors in April, 1913, owing $219,000.

The verdicts were returned after nine hours' deliberation by the jury which heard the evidence for thirty-three days.

De Kay was an officer of the Mexican National Packing company, which went into the hands of a receiver in 1910. It was charged that much of the money lost to the bank was due to illegal financing of this and other unfortunate ventures. Both defendants, who were out on bail, have thirty days in which to petition for a new trial.

The failure of the Atlantic National bank was also partly responsible for the closing of the Traders National bank of Lowell, Mass., and of the Thames Loan and Trust company of Norwich, Conn.

Two weeks before the Atlantic National closed, Metcalf resigned and sailed for Europe. On his return on Oct. 10 he surrendered himself as a result of a secret indictment which had been returned against him the previous evening.

When the bank suspended payment on April 14, 1913, the deposits amounted to $2,076,268. Creditors have since been paid dividends amounting to 60 percent.

Orion R. Farrar, James F. Allen and John W. De Kay, all of New York, have been indicted, charged wih having aided and abetted Metcalf. John De Kay has never been arrested. The charges against Farrar and Allen have not come to trial.

John De Kay was connected with his brother in the affairs of the Mexican National Packing company. Farrar was formerly president of the Columbia Securities company, a New Jersey corporation, which went into bankruptcy. Allen is a promoter.

THIRD WIFE QUITS EARLE

Artist Who Had Many "Affinities" Is Again Divorced

Nyack, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Ferdinand P. Earle once more has been divorced. Several women were named by his third wife. Recently Earle was found living with a new "affinity" in New Jersey.

The present divorce was granted by Justice Tompkins to the third wife, whom Earle married June 16, 1911, at Oxford, Eng., where she was studying art and Earle first appeared as her instructor.

Mrs. Earle receives the custody of her two little girls, Tompkins announcing his belief that their morals would not be safe in Earle's keeping. Alimony at the rate of $100 a month and $500 counsel fees also were granted to her.

At the time of the wedding Earle characterized his wife as "the dearest, sweetest and loveliest of them all." She is only 26 years old.

WAS FRIEND OF LINCOLN

Baltimore Man of Eighty-Nine Takes Bride of Sixty-One

Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Josiah Millard of this city, 89 years old, a personal friend of Abraham Lincoln and foreman of the jury that convicted Jefferson Davis of treason, was married here to Miss Martha E. Streeks, 53 years old.

The marriage was in accordance with a wish which the bridegroom's first wife expressed just before her death five years ago. Millard and his first wife lived together sixty-three years.

GLOUCESTER'S FISH CATCH

That of Year Just Closed Shows It to Be Valued at $2,650,000

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 25.—The annual report of the fisheries of Gloucester for 1914 shows a total of over 92,154,307 pounds of fish landed here, representing $2,650,000.

The year 1914, just closed, the report says, has been a most satisfactory one in the annals of the local fish business, while 1915, the new year, gives promise of producing even greater things.

Death From Stab Wound

Franklin, Mass., Jan. 25.—Louis Nadiserlia, a contractor, died as the result of a stab wound. Louis Blanco, who was arrested in connection with the case, is at liberty on $5000 bonds.

Thirty Horses Perish In Fire

Taunton, Mass., Jan. 25.—Thirty horses were lost in a fire which burned two stables of the Taunton Teaming company. The loss is $15,000.

CUNNINGHAM BEATS MAKARIA

Three Duggans, a Henn, a Carter and young Maguire, the regular Cunningham gym team, defeated the Makaria senior team at Milton Saturday night, 28 to 27. Young Joe, the youngest of the Duggans, is developing every game and doing his share of the shooting. Sid maintains his old stride and Dan, in an ordinary, matter of fact way, got two others. Henn played a good game at right forward, throwing three. The Cunningham second lost the second game 18 to 17. Young Joe played with the juniors the first period and was shifted to the first team when Dan retired.

Cunningham	Makaria 1st.
Henn, rf	lb, Glover
J. Duggan, lf	rb, Andrews
D. Duggan	
S. Duggan, c	c, Smith
Maguire, rb	lf, Morris
Carter, lb	rf, Kemp

Score Cunningham 27, Makaria 22. Goals from floor Henn 3, S. Duggan 6 D. Duggan 2 J. Duggan 2, Kemp 3, Morris 2, Smith 2, Andrews 2, Glover 2.

Goals from fouls S. Duggan 1.

Referee Eaton. Scorer Sprague. Timer Lindberg. Time 1-15 1-20. Attendance 300.

Makaria 2nd	Cunningham 2nd
Ahlstrom, rf	lb, Lee
Bates, lf	rb, Myett
Avery, c	c, Delory
England, c	c, Duggan
Nicol, rb	lf, Kutt
England, lb	rf, Everett
Chell, lb	

Score 18. Cunningham 17. Goals from floor Bates 2, Ahlstrom 3, Nicol 1, England 2, Kutt 1, Everett 2, Delory 2, Myett 2, Lee 1.

Goals from fouls Bates 2, Delory 1. Referee Eaton. Scorer Sprague. Timer Lindberg. Time 1-15 1-20. Attendance 300.

COMMENT ON Q. H. S. GAMES

The Revere Journal comments upon the game between Revere and Quincy High as follows:

"Revere high school basket ball team gave a game exhibition of their playing spirit in a game with Quincy high at the Revere gymnasium last week Friday. After being outplayed in the first half 10 to 6, the Revere boys came back after the intermission and put up the best exhibition of speed shown this season, which carried them to victory by a score of 26 to 14. Orr, Oneta and Brodbine did particularly good work and Blodgett and Webb were not far behind."

On the Mansfield game the news of that town says in its schools notes column:

"Jan. 20 we lost to Quincy at Quincy 23 to 8. Horton excelled for Mansfield and Hamlin for Quincy. Quincy boys said that our team was the best team that they had played against this year showing more knowledge and possessing a better style of play than Revere, Brockton, etc."

REV. DR. ANDERSON ACCEPTS.

Rev. Dr. Asher Anderson of Randolph, secretary of the American Congregational Association has accepted the pastorate of the Calvinistic Congregational church of Fitchburg. Dr. Anderson supplied the pulpit at the Bethany Congregational church of this city for several months following the departure of Rev. Dr. Edwin N. Hardy and previous to the coming of the present pastor, Rev. Benj. A. Willmott. Dr. Anderson will receive a salary of $2500 a year.

Opposing Evidence.



Little Horace—Sure, I washed my hands.

His Mother—Then how does it happen that the soap and towel are so clean?—Chicago News.

THAW SAYS HE IS PERSECUTED

Declares Everybody In New England Is Aware of It

HE OCCUPIES CELL IN TOMBS

Great Crowds Turn Out In Concord and Boston to Greet Matteawan Fugitive, Who Says He Has No Fear of Result of Trial—Thanks New Hampshire People

New York, Jan. 25.—Harry K. Thaw completed the last stage of his trip back into the custody of New York state when he arrived here from Boston, and again became an inmate of a Tombs cell.

He was taken by Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county, to the Belmont hotel for breakfast after which he was removed to the Tombs. Thaw had a good night's rest on the train, and was in good humor and fairly voluble.

"Everybody in New Hampshire knows I am being persecuted," he said, while walking over to the hotel. "Everybody there is with me. They know I am being treated unjustly. Everywhere in New England they are with me. Look at the throng which met me in Boston. Would they have done that if they did not believe that it was unjust to bring me here to be persecuted further?

"Nevertheless I welcome the opportunity to stand trial here. I have no fear of the result. I have no doubt but that it will result in my going back home to Pittsburg."

When Thaw, Hornbeck and two detectives left the train William T. Jerome, who won the long fight to bring the Matteawan asylum fugitive back to the state, was not in evidence. He remained in his car long after the Thaw party had left the station.

Before he left the train Thaw tipped all the porters liberally. Because of the hour there was no such throng at the station as greeted him in New Hampshire, but there were about 200 persons attracted by curiosity. Thaw was very complacent when photographers asked him to pose. There were two series of flashlight pictures taken and then Thaw started across to the hotel. There he was halted again for a picture. He grinned, but said: "You'll have to hurry up, boys. This is absolutely the last time, for I'm hungry."

Thaw would have been locked up in the Tombs nearly two hours before midnight had it not been for the desire of Hornbeck and Jerome to elude the crowd which was waiting at the South station in Boston, and the bigger crowd they knew would be waiting here at the Grand Central station.

At the North station in Boston they had to fight their way through a mob. Thaw did not really like this change of arrangements, for he wanted the trip over as quickly as possible, but his wishes had no influence and he was taken to Young's hotel, where, after dinner, he was locked in a suite on the second floor of the hotel.

Jerome and Deputy Attorney General Kennedy dined elsewhere and then went to the Touraine hotel. There they denied themselves to all callers.

On the way to Boston from Concord Thaw found time to prepare another statement. This particular one read:

"On leaving New Hampshire I wish to sincerely thank its people for their extreme kindness and consideration to my mother and myself in our troubles. We had hoped that the decision might have allowed me to return with her to our home in Pittsburg, but we must all submit to the decrees of the supreme court, which has held that the question must be submitted to the New York county jury."

Thaw got the reception of a popular hero on his walk from the courthouse to the railroad station. There were cheers for him and scoffing for Jerome.

"This is how they treat men in New Hampshire," boasted Thaw. "This is what New Hampshire thinks of me."

Drinks Acid by Accident

Wakefield, Mass., Jan. 25.—Martin McManamin, 29, died at his home here in great agony, from the effects of muriatic acid which he swallowed by accident.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Mrs. Annie Smith, 60, was fatally burned at Boston when her clothing caught fire.

Tradition that tells of the burial of a bushel of Pine Tree shillings in the town of Byfield, Mass., is revived with the finding of a rare specimen of that coin on a farm in that place.

The medal of honor for distiguished public service established by the Civic Forum has been awarded to Thomas A. Edison.

Miss Anne Whitney, 93, sculptress and author of a book of poems published in 1859, died at Boston. She was born in Watertown, Mass.

Receivers were appointed at Uniontown, Pa., for Isaac Brownfield, coke operator, with liabilities of $450,000.

Clay Crapo, 29, was run over by an electric car in Boston and both legs were severed just above the ankles.

SPORTING COMMENT

Wellesley defeated Reading on the latter's court Saturday night and it would not be surprising to see them sweep the remaining games in the Interscholastic league. The race has been scrambled from the start. Quincys chances of being with the leaders are not bright. All of the teams have played their first round of games. The Quincy junior team is at the top of the junior division and has been a most formidable quintette. With the loss of Walsford, who has been taken to the senior team, a slowness may develop which may cost them the remaining games.

The crucial test for Quincy comes Friday when they travel to Wellesley. Weymouth High will be their opponents at Weymouth Tuesday afternoon and judging from the showing made by them against Brockton there should be something doing and Quincy may not come home the victors. The league standing, first division:

	Won	Lost	Pts won
Wellesley H. S.	3	1	.750
Winthrop H. S.	2	1	.667
Quincy H. S.	2	2	.500
Reading H. S.	1	3	.250
Revere H. S.	1	3	.250

FEBRUARY MAGAZINES.

AMERICAN—In the February **American Magazine**, appears a remarkable article by Cleveland Moffett telling the story of a wonderful young American who persuaded the Pope to appear in motion pictures. He spent eighteen months at the job, and displayed uncanny shrewdness, ingenuity and determination. The story of how he overcame the obstacles that appeared before him is not only highly entertaining but genuinely inspiring.

In the same number Ida M. Tarbell goes on with her new series of business articles entitled "The Golden Rule in Business." This month she writes about wages, and illustrates her points with the inside stories of many interesting business. Will Irwin, special war correspondent contribute a news article about England. Fiction is contributed by David Grayson, Maravene Thompson, Harry C. Carr and Thomas Crawford. Galbreath.

THE COUNTRYSIDE—In the February issue of **The Countryside Magazine**—for ten years **Surburban Life**—we get a very decided hint that spring is coming. This magazine of the open country, beautiful pictorially from cover to cover and filled with the most interesting text, not only tells us of the out-of-doors but discusses also the serious things that have to do with its field. "The Parts That Lie Beyond," by Dr. L. H. Bailey, the contributing editor, is a plea for the rearrangement of the present road system of the country. In "My Growing Garden" J. Horace McFarland tells of "The planning and the catalogues" and his experiences in the making of a suburban garden. "Drift of the Countryside" is a resume of the notable things being done in the open country. Some other leading features are: "The Fun on My Small Farm," "Why Leghorns Are Popular; A Brief For A Very Busy Bird," "Home-Made Boxes For the Porch and Window-Garden," "Some Shrubs That Should Be Grown In Every Garden,": "Getting A Garden Started The Planning and Planting."

WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION—One of the striking contributions to the February **Woman's Home Companion** is an article by the Rev. Charles Stelzle entitled "Making the Church Do Real Work," in which he considers the question of the high cost of salvation. Ida M. Tarbell writes on "The Talkative Woman," and Anne Morgan, daughter of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, writes another talk to "The American Girl." Pasquale Amato, the celebrated baritone, tells "How to Listen to Opera," and Rollin Lynde Hartt describes his experiences in "Swearing Off" from the use of tobacco. Another interesting contribution entitled "The Woman Who Is Owned by the Town" is a description of the busy and highly responsible lives of ministers' wives.

Fiction is contributed by Kathleen Norris, Grace S. Richmond, Juliet Wilbor Tompkins, Frederick M. Smith Mary Taft, Mabel Dill, and Evelyn Gill Klahr.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 23, 1915. The committee on Joint Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in H 690, on procedure in exceptions and appeals from Boston Municipal Court; H 691, on contingent remainders; H 694, on providing that failure to comply with laws concerning registration of automobiles shall not be a defense in actions of Tor: H 695, on attendance on court of attorneys during session of General Court: H 696, that publication of certain indictments be prohibited; H 836, that Lynnfield be included within jurisdiction of district court of Southeastern Essex; at Room No. 237 State House, on Wednesday, Jan. 27, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. C. Augustus Norwood, Chairman. Robert Robinson, Clerk of Committee. 25-1t

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Probate Court

To the Honorable the Judge of the Probate Court, in and for the County of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents Andrew Johnson of Quincy in said County, and Bertha C. Johnson his wife, that they are of the age of twenty-one years or upwards, and are desirous of adopting Edward E. Larson of Cambridge, Massachusetts, a child of Andrew Larson of Cambridge in the County of Middlesex and Anna Teresa Larson his wife, which said child was born in said Quincy on the twenty-eighth day of May A. D. 1905; that the mother of said minor child has deserted and is living separate and apart from her husband and said minor child, and his father is not able to support said child properly.

Wherefore they pray for leave to adopt said child, and that his name may be changed to that of Edward E. Johnson.

Dated this eleventh day of January A. D. 1915.

ANDREW JOHNSON
BERTHA C. JOHNSON

The undersigned, being the father of said child, hereby consents to the adoption, as above prayed for.

ANDREW LARSON.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

On the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioners notify said Anna Teresa Larson to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any she has, why the same should not be granted, by serving her with a copy of said petition and this order seven days before said Court, or if she be not found within this Commonwealth, by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Ryan late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John W. Ryan, of said Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 15-18-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary D. Dame late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Harry H. Brown of Jersey City in the State of New Jersey who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving surety on his official bond; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 16-18-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the personal estate of Thomas A. Mullaney late of Quincy in said County, deceased.

Whereas, James Mullaney of Salem, administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented a petition praying that he as said administrator may be ordered to sell at private sale certain of the personal estate of said deceased described in said petition, for a sum not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, or at public auction. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the third day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each known person interested, fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 23-25 Feb. 1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Martha L. Ruggles late of Weymouth in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Sarah E. Ward of said Weymouth without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in Quincy, Mass., the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 16-23-25

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OUTMATCHED BY BRITISH SHIPS

German Squadron Put to Flight In the North Sea

CRUISER BLUECHER IS SUNK

Proves Easy Prey After Falling Out of Line In Running Fight—About 726 of Her Crew Believed to Have Perished—Warships Headed For English Coast When Discovered by Patrolling Squadron and Battle Lasting Over Four Hours Ensues—Two Other German Ships Damaged, While British Casualties Are Slight—Russian Invasion of Hungary Is Checked—Fighting on Heavy Scale In Upper Alsace

London, Jan. 25.—An apparent attempt by a German cruiser squadron to repeat the attack recently made on Scarborough, the Hartlepools and other British coast towns, was frustrated by the British patrolling squadron, and in a running fight the German armored cruiser Bluecher was sunk and two German battle cruisers were seriously damaged.

The British cruisers suffered only slight injuries. So far as is known only 123 of the Bluecher's crew of 885 were saved.

A battle also occurred between the light cruisers and destroyers accompanying the bigger ships, but the result of this engagement has not yet reached the admiralty.

The British were superior in ships engaged, weight of armament and speed, and the flight of the German ships into the mine and submarine infested field possibly saved them from further losses.

The Bluecher was a cruiser of 15,550 tons displacement. She was not classed as a battle cruiser, but was in the next class to those formidable fighters. With her were the Derflinger, Germany's latest battle cruiser, and the battle cruisers Seydlitz and Moltke, the latter a sister ship of the Goeben, formerly of the German navy but now of the Turkish fleet, which was recently reported damaged by the Russians in the Black sea.

The British squadron, commanded by Vice Admiral Beatty, who also was in command at the battle off Helgoland last August, consisted of the battle cruisers Tiger, Lion, Princess Royal, New Zealand and Indomitable. The first three of these cruisers mount eight 13.5-inch guns each, and even the New Zealand and Indomitable carry 12-inch guns, which are equal to those of the Derflinger, the only one of the German ships that had

The Official Report

better than 11-inch guns.

The text of the official press bureau statement on the naval battle follows:

"Early Sunday morning a British patrolling squadron of battle cruisers and light cruisers, under Vice Admiral Beatty, with destroyer flotilla, under Commodore Tyrwhitt, sighted four German battle cruisers and several light cruisers and a number of destroyers steering westward, and apparently making for the English coast.

"The enemy at once made for home at high speeed. They were at once pursued and, at about 9:30 a. m., action was joined in between the battle crusers Lion, Tiger, Princess Royal, New Zealand and Indomitable on the one hand, and the Derflinger, Seydlitz, Moltke and Bluecher on the other. A well contested running fight ensued. Shortly after 1 o'clock the Bluecher, which had previously fallen out of line, capsized and sank.

"Admiral Beatty reports that two other battle cruisers were seriously damaged. They were, however, able to continue their flight and reached an area where dangers from German submarines and mines prevented further pursuit.

"No British ships have been lost and our casualties in personnel, as at present reported, are slight, the Lion, which led the line, having only eleven wounded and no killed.

"One hundred and twenty-three survivors have been rescued from the Bluecher's crew of 885, and it is possible that others have been saved by some of our destroyers. No reports of any destroyer or light cruiser fighting have yet been received the admiralty, though some has apparently taken place.

"Their lordships have expressed their satisfaction to Vice Admiral Beatty."

Germans In Flight

Commodore Tyrwhitt, who also took part in the battle off Helgoland, commanded the light cruisers and destroyers which accompanied Beatty's battle cruisers.

The Germans were observed some time after dawn proceeding in the direction of the British coast. When they sighted the superior British fleet, they turned and made at full speed for home waters, and it was only after a stern chase that the faster British ships got within range of them. For more than four hours the running battle lasted, the firing being plainly heard in North Holland, where it was judged the fight took place north of the islands of Ameland and Schiermonnik-Oog.

The Bluecher, which was slower than the other German cruisers, fell behind and succumbed to the heavier guns of the Lion, which was leading the British squadron. The other German ships got within the mine and submarine area, two of them in a badly damaged condition, and it was dangerous for the big British battle cruisers to follow.

The fact that only eleven men were wounded aboard the Lion, which led the line, indicates that the British casualties were light. It is possible that more of the Bluecher's crew were picked up by the British destroyers.

Russians Checked by Austrians

In other fields of the war the most significant news comes from Vienna, which declares that the Russians have been driven back in Bukowina, and that the Austrians are again in possession of the pass of Kirlibaba, which commands the main highways from the east into Transylvania.

This defeat, which has not yet been confirmed from Petrograd, would mean that the proposed Russian invasion of Hungary met a decided check, and would be of decisive importance for its possible effect upon Roumania's advent into the war. With prospects of Russian aid cut off, it is not considered likely that Roumania would attempt an independent invasion of the much-coveted province of Transylvania.

War action is stagnating in other parts of the eastern field. The impression seems strong in Petrograd that news of a surprising nature will soon be let out by the general staff. It is hinted that a strong force of Cossack cavalry has been quietly making an advance into the north, and has so escaped the vigilance of the German posts that it will be able to turn the flank of the German army now fighting in front of Thorn.

The drive for Warsaw seems again to have been abandoned because of the pressure brought by the Russians on both wings of the German army. Marshal von Hindenberg is taking men from the Bzura-Rawka line to reinforce his flanks, and as a result there is a lessening of action in the centre.

Stiff Fighting In Alsace

With both French and Germans pouring reinforcements on the scene, the battle in Upper Alsace, which has no been raging for several days with unabated vigor, promises soon to reach a decisive stage.

The main fighting is for the possession of Steinbach, Uffholtz and Hartmannsweiler kopf, and the latter point is the chief centre of activity, having been captured by the French a few days ago, but being now held by the Germans. The kopf is a heavily-wooded hill about 3000 feet high and easily defended. The natural obstacles are great and the Germans are in force there, but despite these handicaps the French infantry has fought its way up the slope and is now engaged in hand-to-hand fighting with the Germans at their barbed wire entanglements.

The Paris war office report gives the news that the Germans have been obliged to cease their attacks on the Four de Paris in the Argonne. Repeated attacks on the French positions were easily repulsed and the Germans apparently saw the futility of their efforts.

HAS FAITH IN WILSON

London Editor Gives a Few Tips For Englishmen to Consider

Alfred C. Gardiner, editor of the London Daily News, contributes a special article to his paper dealing with the Dacia case. In the article Gardiner says:

Some of us have never quite got out of the habit of regarding the the United States as a British colony which has lost the grace of obedience. If it agrees with us we pat it on the back paternally; if it disagrees we are shocked at its lack of filial piety.

People who think in this way, says Gardiner, do not represent Great Britain, but they may easily misrepresent it and do incalculable mischief. They may lose us that sympathy which means so much and which Germany would give anything to gain.

If President Wilson is avoiding any open part in the popular feeling, that is his duty; but I have a profound faith in his wisdom and courage, and I believe he will act in the right time.

GERMANY SHOWS ALARM

Mobilization of Roumanian Army Is Viewed as Hostile Act

It is said that Germany has addressed a note to the Roumanians informing that government that the kaiser considers Roumania's military preparations as an unfriendly act.

The report is printed in the Paris Temps as coming from Petrograd, as follows:

"Germany, in a note to Roumania, declares that the measures undertaken by the latter country, which are tantamount to mobilization orders, and its encouragement of a revolutionary propaganda in Transylvania, are hostile acts."

A loan on behalf of the Roumanian government is being completed either in London or New York. London bankers are bound to secrecy as to details, but the recent trip of Roumanian bankers to London and their leaving for America to buy war material is no secret.

Plan to Vote by Electricity

Washington, Jan. 25.—The house committee on accounts voted to recommend a $30,000 appropriation to install an electrical voting device in the house. It would permit the register of a roll-call in about ten minutes, compared with the forty-five minutes now used.

ZEPPELIN BOMBS FALL ON ENGLAND

Eyewitness Vividly Describes Visitation of Air Craft.

CHILD HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Deadly Missile Bursts Where Little One Had Been Lying and Wrecks Room—Citizens In Panic as Exploding Bombs Tear Great Holes In Street—Just Miss Royal Palace.

The German Zeppelin raid on the county of Norfolk, on the east coast of England, was not Yarmouth's first experience of war's terrors, nor England's first taste of an aerial attack. Several weeks ago a German fleet from Helgoland or the mouth of the Elbe made a rapid dash to the English coast and approached to within a few miles of Yarmouth. It was driven off by a British fleet, but managed to sink a submarine and damage the scout cruiser Halcyon in escaping. The previous aerial raid was a minor affair, a quick dash made by an aeroplane over Dover and the dropping of a bomb or two that did little damage.

Sandringham, the seat of Sandringham hall, long the country seat of Edward VII. and acquired by the late king in 1861, when he was the Prince of Wales, lies northwest of Yarmouth, from which it is fifty-two miles distant. If the raid at this point was made by the same vessel or fleet which bombarded Yarmouth the Germans must have steered a course over a considerable stretch of that land which extends in the shape of a camel's hump into the North sea. It was about 8:30 p. m. when residents of Sheringham and Sandringham experienced the same excitement and alarm as had stirred Yarmouth. A correspondent of the Daily Mail interviewed a resident of Sheringham, who was not too clear about details, but had a very lively recollection of some features of the visitation.

Sees Outline of Airship.

"It was certainly about 8:30 o'clock," said this man, "when the Zeppelins came to Sheringham. I say Zeppelins because I am practically certain there were two air craft over this town. The one I saw was flying at a great height, at least 3,000 feet. I could just make out a dim cigar shaped body. It was very dark, but the outline of the airship was unmistakable.

"It carried searchlights which threw a weird light upon the countryside. It was feeling its way along, hunting for our town as a dog picks up a scent. Suddenly there was a crash and explosion as bombs began to drop. At least four fell in this town. One went through a house. Another dropped upon waste ground. One did not explode, and I don't know what became of the other.

"In the house where one exploded a child had a miraculous escape. It had been put to bed, but had grown restless, so its parents took it out of bed and kept it with them in the lower part of the house. A few minutes after it had been removed from the nursery room the bomb burst right where the child had been lying and wrecked the room.

Tear Great Holes In Streets.

"There was tremendous excitement in the town and something of a panic for a time. Crowds poured into the streets. Few persons were injured, I believe, and the damage was not great. One or two of the bombs tore great holes in the streets. These craters were so hot that their edges could not be touched for three-quarters of an hour after the explosions. One house caught fire—the bombs seemed to splash fire in all directions the instant they exploded—but the fire did not spread. The Zeppelin I saw disappeared in the direction of Cromer, where six bombs were dropped without causing much damage so far as I have been able to ascertain."

At Sandringham, a short distance from Sheringham, an attempt was made undoubtedly to wreck Sandringham Hall and to destroy any of the royal family who might be therein. It seems probable that the attack on the palace was carefully timed. King George and Queen Mary, with her family, had gone to Sandringham Hall to visit the Queen Mother Alexandra. The king and queen and their family left the country seat, however, and returned to Buckingham palace.

Probably the queen mother was at Sandringham Hall and was, of course, in very real peril. As it happened, the bombs missed their target. Not one struck the palace, but several exploded near by.

SAWS WOOD AT NINETY-ONE.

Father of Nineteen Children Married For Third Time at Eighty-three.

M. S. Kellogg of Herington, Kan., ninety-one years of age, was sawing wood when his family announced to him that a big dinner had been prepared in honor of his birthday. Mr. Kellogg is the father of nineteen children.

He has been married three times, having ten children by his first wife and nine by his second. He was eighty-three years old when he was married the third time. He has thirty-five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

War News Oddities

A doctor in a French military hospital went eight miles in five minutes in an aeroplane and saved the life of a mechanic bleeding to death.

Ghent has taxed its bachelors to raise money demanded by the German invaders, the assessments running from 5 francs for unmarried men of twenty-seven to 20 francs for those of fifty years.

A two cent subscription has been started in Paris to buy a sword of honor for the king of the Belgians. A noted sculptor has designed it, the hilt being a nude youth dealing a blow to crush the invader.

The directors of a London printing firm, who are on active service, held the annual meeting in a dugout in the trenches in France and passed on the accounts, the minutes of the meeting being forwarded to London.

The scarcity of copper has become so serious in Germany that all copper telegraph and cable wires will be taken down, and acetylene will be substituted for electric lighting so the wires may be used for other purposes.

WITNESSED AIR BATTLE FROM DECKS OF LINER.

Minnehaha Passengers Saw British Repulse German Aeroplanes.

The passengers and crew of the Atlantic Transport liner Minnehaha, which arrived in New York from England, are the first persons to reach this country who witnessed the German aeroplane raid which was aimed at London, but which was repulsed by British air men on Christmas day. The Minnehaha lay directly beneath the fighting air craft.

There was a dense fog, and the Minnehaha, which had left London on Christmas eve, had been compelled to anchor near Sheerness. The passengers and crew were bored and grumbling, and there was little Christmas spirit aboard. But the mist began to clear soon after midday, and just as the river banks became visible there sounded from shore the blast of a bugle and an instant afterward the shrill siren of a warship, followed by the sound of guns firing.

Through the clearing mist some one caught sight of a German aeroplane far overhead, and instantly every eye was turned toward it. Presently a second appeared out of the haze. They were traveling at great speed, headed toward London, and about them shells were bursting like fireworks bombs. It seemed as though the aeroplanes would slip from range of the guns ashore when suddenly three British air craft darted into view from the shelter of a heavy cloud bank.

They were swifter than the Germans, and they raced after them intent, apparently, on climbing to higher altitudes, from which they could drop bombs on the enemy. The Germans saw them and circled. The British craft circled, too, and dodged this way and that, striving to get above the Germans and at the same time keep out of range of the British fire.

Each instant it seemed to the folk aboard the Minnehaha that some of the aeroplanes must come tumbling down, for they doubled and twisted at seemingly impossible angles, and several times pieces of bursting shell struck the German craft. The latter at last gave up the fight and, pointing out to sea, made off at full speed. They passed directly over the Minnehaha, and after them raced the British craft. In an instant all five aeroplanes were out of sight.

The Minnehaha's passengers eagerly inquired for news as to the outcome of the battle, wondering whether the Germans had escaped or had dropped into the sea.

NEW CHINESE DOLLAR.

Bears Excellent Profile Likeness of President Yuan Shih Kai.

Dr. N. T. Woo, director of the bureau of currency and banking, who is a returned student from America, has proposed to the Chinese government that the new dollar coin should be minted immediately and that the old dollars should be redeemed.

The fineness of the new dollar is strictly 900 per 1,000 and is controlled by an English assayer. Alfred E. Newland, who is professor of chemistry in the Peking government university. It is expected that the new dollar will soon be out, and the public will be glad to learn that all other dollars will be redeemed as quickly as possible.

The new dollar bears on one side a fine head of President Yuan Shih Kai in profile, a very good likeness. On the reverse is the "grain crops" insignia, with the Chinese characters for "Republic of China."

FAINTING, HE WAKES TOWN.

Michael Angelo Grasps Whistle Cord as He Feels Himself Falling.

Michael Angelo, night watchman at the plant of the Eureka Baking company in Athenia, N. J., who does not claim to be a descendant of the sculptor and artist, felt himself fainting at dawn while passing through the boiler room.

As he fell he seized the whistle rope and clung to it. The whistle sounded loud and long, awakening the citizens of Athenia. The volunteer fire department headed for the plant. There they found Angelo, still unconscious, but holding to the rope. A doctor was called, and he was revived.

BIG MORTALITY OF INSURED WOMEN

Statistics Show That Uninsured Females Outlive Males.

COX OFFERS A NEW THEORY

Official of Company Attributes Condition to Fact That Agents Do Not Go After Business of Women—Longevity of Women In General Greater Than That of Men.

The longevity of women in general is greater than that of men. The longevity of insured women is less than that of men. These points were brought out in an address by Herbert C. Cox, president of one of the big insurance companies, at the annual meeting of life insurance presidents in New York city.

The question of the relative longevity of women has been a puzzling one since 1661, when Graunt discovered that in the city of London there was a preponderance of males over females, but that the females outlived the males in spite of the fact, which had come under his observation, that "physicians have two women patients to one man, yet more men die than women." He was, however, speaking only generally and came to no positive conclusion.

In 1693 Dr. Halley in constructing the Breslau table of mortality had not discovered the superior longevity of women, and it was not until 1742 that Kersseboom in his investigations into the mortality of the Dutch annuitants took special note of that among females, and his data established the fact of their greater longevity.

Gave Women Low Rates.

This information, together with further proofs supplied in 1746 by Deparcieux, an investigator of the French Tontines, was turned to advantage by the Dutch, who, when subscribing to a scheme of English exchequer life annuities, nominated girls instead of boys, thus obtaining the benefit of the more favorable mortality.

Up to 1843 the confidence engendered by these discoveries had resulted in the life insurance companies offering lower rates to women, which proved to be a sorry miscalculation, for in that year the tabulated experience of seventeen British offices demonstrated that the boasted longevity of women failed to assert itself when insured women were under observation.

The general experience from that time was that the insured female presented a doubtful aspect, and the unfavorable mortality gave rise to the suspicion that the offices had been grossly deceived by the woman applicants, who, it was asserted, could not have disclosed their true physical condition to the examining physicians. An excessive death rate in the first five years of risk seemed to bear out this contention, but no specific case of fraud could be discovered.

Many suggestions were offered in explanation of this reversal of the former case for women as good insurable risks, it even being mooted that they were subconsciously warned of the approach of disease while they were still in a perfect state of health, and, thus impelled by instinct, they applied for insurance.

Males Made the Standard.

In 1861 the compilation of the well known combined experience table of mortality led to the conclusion that the greatest reliance could be placed upon a table which was based upon observation of male lives exclusively, as the mortality among insured females had been clearly shown to be higher than among insured males. The recent investigation made by the Actuarial Society of America still further confirmed this finding, although the superior longevity of women in general is still unquestioned.

Mr. Cox offered this explanation of the difference between insured and uninsured women:

"This wide divergence in experience, as exposed by a comparison between insured and uninsured women, we may in large measure account for by a review of the practice of the companies, which would seem to indicate that they have somewhat extensively adopted the method of waiting for female insurants to propose themselves. If the same procedure were followed in regard to men the result would in all probability be similarly adverse. Officials and agents know the necessity of urging men to apply for life insurance, and the voluntary applicant in some degree invites especial scrutiny of his desirability as a risk by this very offering of himself without solicitation.

"It would, therefore, seem that if the increasing need of life insurance for women is to be met without undue stress upon the companies, we must adopt toward them the same attitude as toward men. It is not sufficient to accord them the same rates and plans, as has already been done quite commonly, but that we may create a favorable average our agency systems must be extended to include an aggressive campaign among women of all classes, employing such safeguards as are reasonably demanded for the female risk in the same manner that hazards are guarded against in dealing with men in various occupations and walks of life."

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

A meeting of the Delta Sigma club will be held this evening.

The Wollaston Parent and Teachers' Association will hold a meeting this evening.

James T. O'Neill the popular letter carrier is confined to his home on Payne street by a severe cold.

Mrs. Carl Davis of Norfolk Downs has been entertaining her sister Miss Olive Blake of North Weymouth.

The annual banquet of the Quincy Board of Trade will be given on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 9.

The annual ladies night of the Knights Templar will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 26.

Harold Churchill of Billings road is to occupy the house at 32 Apthorp street.

Mr. Musgrave of Rawson road has gone into the laundry business in West Quincy.

The S. P. M. M. society will meet this week with Miss Lillian M. Deacon of Franklin street.

The annual parish meeting of Christ church will be held in the parish house on Wednesday evening, Jan. 27.

A reception will be tendered the Rev. and Mrs. W. Grainger in the parish house of Christ church on Thursday evening, Feb. 11.

The Busy Bees will hold a gentlemen's night at the home of the secretary Miss Marion Hewson, Newcomb place, this evening.

Mrs. William Dorley of Graham street with her little son Richard is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Cairns of Fall River.

English Ivy lodge, Daughters of St. George, will hold an initiation in Clan MacGregor hall, on Friday evening, Feb. 5. Refreshments will be served.

"Governor" John Walsh, the popular druggist, and his bride, who was Miss Ellen L. Reid of Weymouth, are expected home from their honeymoon Tuesday or Wednesday of this week. They will reside on Elm street.

SPORTING COMMENT.

Tonight the Knights of Columbus league teams clash at Wardwells. Rus Sullivans team will probably continue in first place. The triple tie for second place will be broken, and it will be brother against brother when the teams of Frank and Paul Avery contend.

McPherson and Walsh of the West Quincy league vs Dell and Olindy, all stars, roll a special ten string match at the Wardwell alleys tonight. The match should be close and interesting and to help enliven it about 100 royal rooters will be on hand for the west side boys. Herb Smith and Spider Kelly have issued a challenge to the winners.

St. Mary's have a comfortable lead in the West Quincy league. On Tuesday night they roll the Div. 22 quintette and on Thursday evening the Franco-Americans and Ave Maria council, K. of C. roll. McPherson holds the individual records, 373 for total and 132 for single. The standing:

St. Marys	17	7
Div. 22	12	12
Francos	11	9
Ave Maria	16	14

Poehler and Hardy are tied at 109 in the Suburban league averages, The champ and Archie Walsh are tied at 108 in the City league.

CITY HALL NOTES

Commissioner of Public Works Moscse P. Brown and City Engineer, Ezekiel C. Sargent returned Sunday evening from New York where they had been to attend the meeting of the Civil Engineers' Association, the meeting having special refernce to the maintenance of streets. They obtained much valuable information from the meeting.

A new oak typewriting desk has been placed in the office of the Board of Health.

Tonight will be an off one for the city council as the next regular meeting does not come until next Monday It is probable, however, as already announced that a special meeting will be called by the mayor for Friday evening.



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20c Pineapple--Fancy Hawaiian Sliced	can	**15c**
20c Apricots--Fancy Evaporated	lb.	**16c**
15c Sweet Peas--Telephone	can	**12 1-2c**
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WILL PUSH SHIP BILL

Democrats In Caucus Agree to Make It a Party Measure

Washington, Jan. 25.—Senate Democrats in caucus reached final agreement on the administration ship purchase bill, and adopted a resolution making it a party measure.

The caucus adopted no important amendments to the bill in addition to those agreed upon at previous conferences.

"We shall keep the bill before the senate until it is passed," said Senator Kern, chairman of the caucus. "There is no disposition to displace it with any appropriation legislation. We will urge it as rapidly as possible, giving every opportunity for discussion."

Those who fought for an agreement on the measure declared they expected the bill to pass before March 4. Republican senators insist, however, that their fight against it will be waged with as much vigor as characterized the debate last week.

GRIFFIN IS FREED ON MURDER CHARGE

Principal Witness Against Him Not Asked to Testify

Boston, Jan. 25.—John H. Griffin, arrested on the charge of murdering Charles J. Merrill, the drug clerk, was discharged by Judge Perkns in the Brookline municipal court because of want of prosecution. Griffin had pleaded not guilty to the charge last Wednesday.

Michael J. Carboni, who claims to be a private detective and who was said to be the principal witness against Griffin, was questioned in the judge's office. He was not put on the witness stand, however, and his story has never been made public.

BIG WAVE HITS STEAMER

Sailors Badly Hurt When Prince George Gets Severe Bumping

Boston, Jan. 25.—With several of her crew so badly injured by a thirty-foot comber that stitches had to be taken in their heads, while the vessel was almost on her beam ends, the steamer Prince George arrived half a day late last night from Yarmouth, N. S., after the wildest trip that any person on board had ever experienced.

At midnight Saturday a roaring sea tore over the port side, amidships, like an avalanche, lifted up the boat deck, carried away part of the flooring and smashed in a stateroom door, heeling the vessel over to a dangerous angle. Seventy passengers were badly frightened.

A moment later, while Second Officer Mallett and four men were boarding up the cabin, a second wave bowled over the side and nearly caused the death of all hands.

DIDN'T CARE FOR LAW

Roosevelt Thought It Secondary to Building of Panama Canal

Chicago, Jan. 25.—"I don't care a hang for the law. I want the canal."

Mr. Roosevelt, when president, made this declaration when cautioned that an executive order concentrating in Colonel Goethals the authority of the Panama canal commission would be unlawful, Goethals told members of the University club at a luncheon, in describing how the canal came to be built under what he called autocratic rule.

Fire In Orphans' Home

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 25.—The sisters attached to St. Anne's orphan asylum prevented panic and led 240 little children to the street and safety when a fire broke out in the basement of the asylum building. The loss is about $4000.

Penrose Seriously Sick

Philadelphia, Jan. 25.—United States Senator Penrose is seriously ill at his home in this city, suffering from a bronchial affection. He is confined to his bed and is being constantly attended by two doctors.

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To those who gave aid and sympathy during our affliction and the kind friends who sent beautiful floral tributes we desire to manifest our sincere appreciation.

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An opportunity to put 2,000 American aviators to work flying through the air with sacks of first class mail over routes that have already been picked out by the United States postal authorities was described by Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart at the annual dinner of the Aero Club of America at the Hotel St. Regis, New York. Mr. Stewart declared that it would be the settled policy of the postal authorities "to knock and knock again at the doors of congress until the support for the postoffice department's plan would be forthcoming."

He predicted that a bill authorizing the using of aerial transportation for the mails would pass at the next session of congress and that within two years the postal aviators would be as commonplace as railway mail clerks are today.

Brigadier General George P. Scriven, chief signal officer of the United States army, warmly supported the proposal of Assistant Postmaster General Stewart. He declared that it was the immediate intention of the army and navy forces of the United States to open an aviation school in Texas to supplement the school already established at San Diego, Cal., and that the army and navy expected very shortly to have four aerial squadrons. Two of these squadrons, he said, were for use on land, to be equipped with aeroplanes, while the other two squadrons were for marine service and equipped with hydros.

He urged that aerial equipment be sent as soon as possible to the Philippines and to Panama and Hawaii to "serve as the eyes for any artillery action that in these outlying possessions may become necessary."

Aeroplane Indispensable.

"We have reached the conclusion," he said, "that the aeroplane is indispensable as the eyes of the artillery, and we can no longer afford to remain indifferent to this branch of the service. But we can't look for more than four squadrons of aerial troops at present. After all, aerial troops would be an auxiliary, and we can't make them out of proportion to the general establishment, and the general establishment is only a provision for a first line of battle or defense. The call for reserves—always more reserves—sounds through our aeroplane plans as through all our military plans.

"The solution is the preparing of men who may serve as highly trained aerial scouts, but who, until war demands their services, are of use in other lines. The postoffice department's plans are of great value in just that regard. The army, I am able to say, would gladly co-operate by training aviators for the postal service at the army schools. We hope soon to have four of them. More than that, it is our policy to offer to train all national guardsmen who may seek to become proficient aviators and to train civilians up to the capacity of our plant."

A telegram was read from the Panama-Pacific exposition management proposing as a substitute for the race around the world, which was abandoned on account of the war, that there be a three route transcontinental race for San Francisco, with Boston, New York and Washington as starting points. The proposal was received with applause.

Henry A. Wise Wood, who acted as toastmaster, read a cablegram from London which gave the endurance record of one biplane used in the war.

"These craft," he said, "are counted as fragile and not able to stand punishment. Yet biplane 123 flew 11,000 miles, was hit by 180 rifle balls, got the marks of sixty shrapnel shells that burst around it, had twenty-five wires cut by bullets, had seven holes shot through the radiator, received an explosive shell from a German aeroplane in the fusillade and finally was brought to earth after all this experience by shrapnel which burst directly against the engine.

"It proved that an aeroplane in war has only two vital spots—the pilot, whose hand is needed to direct it, and the engine that keeps it going."

DIES AT 102 YEARS.

Told by Doctors In 1841 He Had but a Short Time to Live.

William Thompson Osborne, who was told by doctors seventy-four years ago that he had consumption and could live but a short time, died at his home in Newburg, N. Y., aged 102 years and 5 months. He was conscious to the last, and his final words were, "I want to go home."

Mr. Osborne was born in Ulster county nine miles north of Newburg on Aug. 10, 1812. In his centennial year the trustees of Washington's headquarters permitted him to hoist the headquarters flag on the Fourth of July.

The Sin of Indifference

Does war news start to pall on you?
Do war maps cease to hold?
Do pictures from the front now fail
To thrill you as of old?

'Twas so with me and, even worse,
The war seemed to annoy,
Till in a picture of the slain
I saw one like my boy.

The merest lad, on battlefield
Among the martyred dead,
With features so alike it might
Have been my boy instead!

And with the tears of shame which fell
Upon my child's fair face
I vowed, by prayer and works, my sin
Of boredom to erase.

—H. S. Haskins in New York Sun.

GERMAN SOLDIERS SAVE $25,000,000 A MONTH.

Thrift of Troops at Front Shown by Money Orders Sent Home.

The savings of the German troops, according to Post Commissioner General Stroedel of the imperial mail bureau, Dresden, are estimated at $25,000,000 a month. Although this includes the savings of officers, who receive higher salaries, it testifies to the prudence and thrift of the men in the army, whose average pay is only 14 cents a day.

"The thrift of the German troops at the front is one of the best proofs of their moral strength," says the semi-official North German Gazette. "Even when they could do so on pay days they do not live a riotous life, like Wallenstein's wild bands. The present day German soldier has retained none of the old free lance habits except a fearless courage and dauntless defiance of death. Our soldiers do not carelessly destroy their own property or that of others. Even in the tumult of battle they save for the peace to come.

"Post Commissioner General Stroedel of the imperial mail bureau in Dresden has given official figures concerning the thriftiness of our troops in a speech about the army postal service. A Saxon division of reserves sent to their homes in September 10,000 money orders, amounting to 391,000 marks ($97,750), and in October 20,000 orders, amounting to 800,000 marks ($200,000). On some days the payments made at one field postoffice reached to 30,000 marks ($8,750) and in one case even 110,000 marks ($27,500). At the postoffice under the jurisdiction of the chief postal authorities of Dresden 63,104 money orders were received from the front in October. On these 2,500,000 marks ($625,000) in round numbers had been paid in. In November there were 65,516 orders, amounting to 2,322,722 marks ($590,000). Frequently the money orders were for very small sums, ranging from 50 cents to $2.50, in accordance with the pay the men received, which averages 14 cents a day in wartime. It must be understood that the soldiers cannot spend the money which they get, as they obtain most things by requisition. Furthermore, the officers and noncommissioned officers, who of course receive a much higher pay, are included in this sum total."

CHINA'S HEAD WORSHIPS.

Kneels Before Altar of Heaven—Ancient Manchu Rite.

President Yuan Shih Kai appeared before the alter of heaven in Peking and revived the worship of heaven at the winter solstice, an observance neglected since the passing of the Manchu dynasty in 1911. In this the president of the republic took upon himself a function and rite which in the past always has been reserved to the emperor of China in his capacity of Tien Tsz, or Son of Heaven.

The president worshiped at the famous circular altar, the most important of all Chinese religious structures. It is located in a sacred park three miles from the palace of the emperors and is surrounded by sacred buildings. This altar formerly was regarded in China as the center of the universe.

Yuan Shih Kai submitted a bill to the Chinese administrative council last January prescribing the worship of heaven and of Confucius for the president of China, and the measure was passed by the council. This act was regarded as tantamount to establishing a state religion for China. During the deliberations of the council it was set forth that the president of the republic should worship at the Temple of Confucius and at the temple of heaven annually, as had been the custom of the Chinese emperor. The worshiping of the president before the altar of heaven appears to be a carrying out of the purposes then set forth. The president was instructed on these religious occasions to wear the robes of the high dukes designed during the Chow dynasty in the year 1122 B. C. It was then taken for granted that all the old time rites would henceforth be re-established with Confucianism as the state religion, swinging back the pendulum to where it was before 1911.

War Boosts Laundry Bills.

The effects of the war are farreaching. Here is an instance—a certain restaurant proprietor in London situated near a large military camp has found that since the war the cost of his laundry bill has greatly increased. So he has decorated each table with a neat notice: "Customers are requested not to draw on the tablecloths. Maps of the seat of war will be found on all the tables in the smoke room."

MANY DEAF AND BLIND BY QUAKE

Dazed and Injured Refugees Brought Into Rome.

RESCUE PARTIES MOBBED.

Fearing Food Is Poisoned, Survivors Refuse It, While Others In Their Eagerness Wildly Attack Relief Parties—Discover Woman's Body With Telephone Receiver In Her Hands.

While fresh troops and regiments of civilian relief workers are streaming out of Rome to give succor in the devastated earthquake regions, the efforts now being fully organized, equally large numbers of dazed and injured refugees are being brought into Rome and in some cases sent further along to the hospitals of Naples. Ten per cent of the beds in all the hospitals of the capital have been requisitioned for the care of the victims. The number of refugees in Rome is estimated at 10,000, of which fully 2,000, suffering all manner of injuries, are in the hospitals here. Deaths of refugees on the returning hospital trains are frequent.

All of the refugees are suffering different degrees of deafness from the frightful shocks thy endured, and there are hundreds of cases of temporary blindness, caused by the storms of fine dust that arose in the crash of buildings. A large percentage of the refugees are suffering a form of temporary insanity. Many of them refuse food in the belief that it is poisoned.

Although several days have passed since the horror occurred, few seem to have come to a full realization of it.

Rescue Parties Mobbed.

In the earthquake district the distribution of supplies is ordered strictly to be the work of the soldiers, for independent parties that have come upon starving communities have been mobbed, and some were handled severely by the half crazed people.

There is no possibility of painting adequately the ghastliness of the scenes to be met in the Avezzano and other districts. A correspondent who returned from these regions saw many terrible sights. Watching soldiers at work seeking to extricate a woman at Celani, he heard her voice raised in despair, telling the soldiers to dig no more, to pass her by and save others, for all her family were dead in the ruins with her and she had no desire to live. At Gioia dei Marsi a man was seen who had hastened from Milan to his home, where he had worked with his hands for three days trying to effect the rescue of his wife, son and another man. After thirty-six hours of unremitting toil he extricated his wife, only to have her die. At Avezzano the correspondent saw a woman's body brought out of the ruins. She was holding a telephone receiver in her hands.

The work of rescue among the ruins remains bafflingly slow, and most of the attention of the authorities has now passed to giving relief to the survivors and effecting health measures to prevent epidemics of disease. Of those entombed in Avezzano, Sora and the smaller towns the number of those still living is regarded as being small, for it is many days since the earthquake, and such survivors as those brought out of the ruins were in the last stages of exhaustion.

GIRL OF TWELVE CRIME CHIEF

Declared by New York Police to Lead Pickpocket Gang.

A twelve-year-old girl, declared by the police to have been the directing genius of an organization of five pickpockets, all children, was arrested on the east side of New York.

The other members, the police say, are girls ranging as low as eight years of age. The arrested girl, they assert, is the eldest of the quintet.

The zone of operations of the alleged "gang" was Rivington street, between Clinton and Allen streets. Their victims have been women exclusively. According to Detectives Dribben and Gilkinson, the "ensemble work" and signal system of the girls would have done credit to veterans.

During the last four months complaints have been reaching the police of purses that had "disappeared." The work, according to the police, was done so skillfully that a majority of the victims had no idea they had been robbed, but believed their purses had been lost.

For two days the detectives have had the five girls under surveillance, but all attempts to trap them failed. One evening, according to the detectives, they observed Lillie Puppick brushing against a number of women at Rivington and Orchard streets, and finally placed her under arrest. Her companions disappeared.

Songs Save Soldiers' Lives.

Toulon, France, the birthplace of Mayol, the famous music hall comedian and composer of popular ditties, claims the discovery that popular songs sung to the wounded are instrumental in lowering the proportion of deaths, and in some cases of effecting cures as astonishing as any of those recorded.

BRIEFS

Howard D. Spear writes from Utica N. Y., on Jan. 23 that the thermometer registered zero. Mr. Spear is on a trip and next Sunday will be in Burlington, Vt.

Helen Cahill a South Quincy young lady was tendered a reception at her home Friday evening in honor of her birthday, friends and classmates being present. The evening was spent in games and music. Ices and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCabe, John D. Hilderbrand, H. B. McCourt, Miss Anna Doherty Mr. and Mrs. William George have arranged to attend the annual ball of the Brockton lodge of Elks in Brockton tonight. They will make the trip by auto.

George H. Kendrick of 18 Beach street, Wollaston for many years New England manager for the Crandall Packing Co. has gone into business under the name of the Massachusetts Packing & Belting Co. with offices at 141 Milk street, Boston.

Friends of Davis W. Newcomb are pleased to learn that he has successfully passed the examination as engineer on the Boston & Maine railroad, after serving as fireman for four years. He formerly lived in Quincy receiving his education here in the public schools.

Alex Ciloh of Liberty square, South Quincy, has purchased the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Annie Schaetzl on Willard street. The sale was made through E. G. Hayden. Mr. Ciloh plans to add another floor to the present structure and will not occupy it until about the first of March.

The annual meeting of the Sachem club called for Saturday evening at Wollaston was called off. Only half a dozen, less than a quorum, appeared.

The annual meeting of the Republican city committee will be held at room 24, Adams building Tuesday evening. Under the law the party committees must organize during the month of January.

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WILL NOT BE SAT ON BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Opposition to Present System of Fire Drill in Schools

A discussion of over half an hour disturbed the usual tranquility of the Wollaston Parents and Teachers association, Monday evening, when the committee in charge of the petition requesting a change in the method of holding fire drills reported.

A number of gentlemen spoke strongly against the system now in vogue while others counseled that the matter be left to the judgment of the School Committee. The matter developed to such a length that it was decided to postpone it until after the address of the evening, when it was finally voted to put the case again before the School Committee through a committee of five to be appointed by the chair.

Charles B. Hall reported for the petitioners and told of the experience with the School Committee when the petitioners had been given leave to withdraw. He argued that safer and saner methods were in force in other cities and that the matter should not be allowed to rest there.

The promoters of the movement found a strong adherent in Rev. Mr. Partridge who spoke at length, declaring that the health of the children came first, that the parents intended to have their rights and would not be hoodwinked or sat on by the school committee or anyone else.

City Solicitor Pinkham, who was present, thought the matter safe in the hands of the School Committee, whose board contained four well known physicians. He declared that it was not safe to have the children understand that fire drills would only be held in pleasant weather.

Mr. Hall replied that the point of contention did not lie with the state of the weather, but did ask that the children be allowed to get their wraps He declared that a better system was in force in other cities and children were allowed to put their wraps on.

Principal Goodspeed deprecated the danger to the children's health stating that the children were not out doors over half a minute and that the ones that went out first came in first. It took about two minutes to clear the building and in case of fire it would not be safe to have the children drawn out of a certain well defined track, either to get their wraps or go to the basement instead of out doors in inclement weather.

Herbert H. Albee amended a motion by Mr. Pinkham and it was later voted that Rev. Mr. Bailey, chairman of the meeting, appoint a committee of five to inquire further into the matter and confer with the School Committee.

Solos by Miss Carolyn Lewis, accompanied by Miss Helen Seavey were enjoyed. The numbers included "Roses," "Eyes of Irish blue" and "The darling violet." Mrs. Arthur B. Hillman read the reports of the secretary and treasurer.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. Franklin W. Hamilton, chancellor of the American University at Washington, D. C., who delivered a scholarly and finished address on "The Educational Basis of True Culture." Drawing examples from the earlier civilizations and delving into history and literature the speaker's discourse furnished an intellectual treat that was an inspiration to those present and the committee of arrangements are to be greatly complimented in his selection.

"There is no lasting satisfaction in the aesthetic world alone," said Dr. Hamilton in conclusion. "True culture is based on an understanding of the human heart and allegiance to righteousness."

OPPOSITION TO HENRY HUMPHREY

What is said to be a determined opposition has developed in the Republican ranks against Henry Humphrey, county treasurer for the past nine years, and T. William Pierce of Wellesley, publisher of a Boston financial paper, has been chosen by some of the leaders to enter into a contest for the nomination. Pierce is already devoting considerable of his time to Quincy.

Henry Humphrey was elected nine years ago over James H. Cunningham then of this city and now of Dalton, who was appointed to the position to fill a vacancy caused by death. Mr. Humphrey has been repeatedly re-elected and although last year there were rumblings of discontent nothing of a definite nature developed and he was again given the nomination.

Those opposed to Mr. Humphrey continuing in office chose four men as prospective candidates. Mr. Pierce, the first one approached, accepted the offer.

Whether or not the split in the party may have a weakening effect and open the way for the election of a Democrat is not known as the strength of the Humphrey forces have not been estimated at this date. However it is not thought that it will cause a division wide enough to elect a Democrat to the office.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Wednesday and Thursday fair. Not much change in temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.03
Sun sets	4.51
Length of day	9.48
Moon sets	4.40
High water, A. M.	8.15
High water, P. M.	9.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 42 minutes.

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	32 degrees
Jan. 26, 1914,	26 degrees
Jan. 26, 1913,	47 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

MRS. PHILBRICK WINS DOG CASE

Words "Duky, A. J. Philbrick" Faintly Scratched on Collar Brings Verdict

FREEMAN W. GRANT LOSES

It is the little things that often decide weighty issues. Thus it was with the famous ruby toy spaniel dog case about which so much has been heard. There were two claimants for his dogship, and it seemed like a hard proposition for Judge Avery to decide. A few apparently unintelligible scratches on the brass plate of the collar worn by "Duky," for that is the correct name of the dog, settled the question. F. W. Grant against whom a writ of replevin had been brought to recover the dog had seen these scratches but had never paid any particular attention to them. Mrs. Agnes Philbrick who brought the writ, when she took the stand Monday at the hearing before Judge Avery testified that on close examination it would be found that these scratches read "Duky, A. J. Philbrick."

The little dog was brought forth for the court's examination and her statement was found to be true. This settled the case and the court gave her the dog and the famous case was ended. There is no question however but that Grant owned a dog of the same breed. In fact the two dogs had the same mother, and they were like twins, so much alike that it was hard to tell one from the other. Mrs. Philbrick bought one and Grant the other. Someone stole Grant's dog and later seeing the Philbrick dog thought it was his and grabbed it.

LADIES NIGHT AT RURAL LODGE

The annual ladies night of Rural Masonic lodge will be held Wednesday evening in the Masonic apartments, and promises to be an evening of pleasure to the brothers of Rural lodge and their ladies. The program as arranged by Worshipful Master H. Everett Crane includes the Temple male quartette, with Miss Elsie May Gordon, reader, and Miss Edith S. Roubound, violinist. Miss Roubound was one of the artists who appeared at the entertainment given by the lodge several weeks ago, and all who heard her at that time will be glad of an opportunity to hear her again. Following the entertainment there will be a banquet served by C. C. Whittemore and the evening will close with dancing.

NO LARGE WARD COMMITTEES.

This will be the last year of large ward committees, the amended election laws passed by the 1915 legislature and accepted by the voters at the state primaries specifically stating the number of members on a committee. This prevents committees enlarging their membership in the future.

The amendment, chapter 790, section 89 of the Acts of 1914 reads: Each political party shall, in every ward or town, annually elect at the state primaries, a committee to be called a ward or town committee to consist of not less than three nor more than seven persons, who shall hold office for one year from the first day of January next following their election and until their successors shall have organized.

"The members of the several ward committees of a political party in a state shall constitute a committee to be called a city committee.

CHURCH WANTS MR. WILLMOTT.

Rev. Benj. A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church has been notified by the Central Congregational church of Atlanta, Ga., that it will extend a call to him if he is favorable. Rev. Mr. Willmott has declined.

MRS. MABEL EDNA FRENCH.

Young Bride of William R. French Dies In Her 19th Year.

Mrs Mabel Edna French, a popular member of Rebecca Wiswell tent, Daughters of Veterans, who last July became the bride of William R. French, commander of Col. Abner B. Packard camp, Sons of Veterans, died this morning at her home on Independence avenue after a short illness, in her 19th year.

Mrs. French was the daughter of Mrs. Annie G. Grignon, an active worker in patriotic societies of the city. She was born here and attended the public schools. Her marriage last summer was the culmination of a romance which commenced at a patriotic gathering.

Her funeral will take place at the home on Friday afternoon. The camp of which Mr. French is commander will attend the services and there will also be a large delegation of members of the Daughters of Veterans tent, present together with sorrowing relatives and friends.

The monthly meeting of the School Committee will be held this evening at their rooms in the Hancock Chambers.

B. COFFIN WRITES ON PORTO RICO

Quincy Boy Now in Government Service There Describes Island

WAR AFFECTS BUSINESS

An interesting description of Porto Rico has been written for the Ledger by Albert G. Coffin, formerly of this city who left here last fall. "Bert" is a teacher in the service of the U. S. government.

Porto Rico is an island about 100 miles long and 36 miles wide. It is situated in West Indies and is about 1200 miles north of the equator: It is semi-tropical in climate, being warm in winter and very hot in summer. It is in the path of the trade winds so that there is no time during the year which there is not a fine cool breeze. The surface is very mountainous and beautiful, everything being covered with heavy vegetation.

The Spanish language and customs are in vogue here. The surprising thing is that although the Americans have occupied it for nearly 16 years, it is only very recently that our ideas and methods are being used to any extent. The people here are now commencing to realize that American methods, especially of doing business are superior to what they have been used to, and are adopting them. Since the American occupation the sanitation and educational systems put into force by the government have improved conditions to a great extent. The sewerage and water systems which have been installed have done away with a great deal of typhoid fever and malaria which was formerly very prevalent.

The buildings here are built principally from concrete and the stores are often called "Holes in the Wall" because of their smallness. The best example of the old Spanish architecture is found in the old fort "Morro Castle."

The people are hospitable and polite although in some sections of the interior there is a strong anti-American sentiment, this being true because of the lack of contact with Americans, who the people think are trying to hold them back instead of aiding their advancement.

The principal occupations are raising sugar-cane and its manufacture into sugar, coffee and tobacco, from which are made some very fine cigars. The European war has had considerable effect on business. The European market for tobacco and coffee has forced the price of those commodities down, especially the price of coffee. On the other hand the war has raised the price of sugar and it is this which seems to be holding the business of the island up to somewhere near normal.

There is also considerable fruit raised consisting of oranges, bananas, cocoanuts and pineapples, considerable of which is exported to the United States.

It may be of interest to Quincy people to know that last week while in San Juan I had an opportunity to meet some of the officers of the Argentine Transports which are carrying the crew for the new battleship "Moreno" to Philadelphia, and who reported that they had passed the "Rivadavia" at the equator going South.

MISS RUTH MAE THOMAS.

Miss Ruth Mae Thomas, a waitress at the Thompson cafe, Boston, died at the Quincy City Hospital Monday afternoon after a short illness. She was in her 24th year and the daughter of Mrs. Maria and the late Thomas Thomas of 60 Farrington street, Wollaston. Her funeral will take place Thursday afternoon.

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HOLD LAST TRAIN FOR QUINCY PARTY

Former Parishioners of Fr. Grady Attend Celebration in His Honor

NEARLY HAD TO WALK

About 150 parishioners of St. Marys church journeyed to Somerville Monday evening to attend the 25th anniversary of the ordination of their former pastor, Rev. Henry T. Grady. The anniversary was held in conjunction with the reunion of St. Benedict's parish of which Fr. Grady is now pastor. The affair was held in Knights of Columbus hall which was crowded to its utmost capacity. A large delegation was also present from Chelsea where Fr. Grady labored before he came to Quincy.

Atty. J. MGilvray was spokesman for the local delegation and brought to Fr. Grady the greetings of those who were not present. He also told of the great work Fr. Grady had accomplished in West Quincy and of the regret that was felt when he was transferred.

The party left the hall to return home at 11.15 P. M. and the car on which they were riding from Somerville to Sullivan's square was held up by faulty brakes and did not reach the square until after twelve o'clock. The 12.05 A. M. train had just left the South Station when a telephone call was sent to the train despatcher to try and hold it up a few minutes. The despatcher got busy and telephoned to South Boston and had the train backed up to the station to wait for the party. A special car was on hand at Quincy square to carry the party to their homes in West Quincy.

BUSY BEES HOLD ENJOYABLE SOCIAL

It was indeed a busy swarm of bees which collected at the home of Marion R. Hewson, 24 Newcomb place, Monday evening.

Gentlemen's night was observed by the Busy Bee Club and each of the bees, eleven in number was in fancy costume.

Crinoline Girl—Annie McLay.
Fairy—Dorothy Cain.
Ireland—Chrissie Cunnigham.
Scotch Highland lassie—Agnes Cunningham.
America—Madeline D. Hewson
Indian Girl—Marion R. Hewson.
Eskimo—Ida Newman.
Spanish Girl—Dora Newman.
Japanese Girl—Dorothy Wolfe.
Butterfly—Christina Lints.
Dutch Girl—Annie Leming.

The guests of the evening were: Philip Wolfe, George McLay, Gordon Gunderson, Frank Leming, Carl Holkinson, Anthony Cheverie, Jerome Kerrigan, Maurice Newman.

A peanut race was run, first prize for girls being won by Agnes Cunningham, for the boys by Philip Wolfe. There was also a contest in parlor bowling, prizes being secured by Annie McLay and Frank Leming.

Refreshments were served during the evening, music and games enjoyed and judging by the "buzzing" of the bees a very pleasant evening was spent.

Officers of the club are: President Annie McLay; secretary, Marion R. Hewson; treasurer, Chrissie Cunningham.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS
New Half-Year

The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

ALBERT L. BARBOUR,
Superintendent.
Jan. 26-5t

LIVES ENDANGERED IN TENEMENT HOUSE FIRE

Man Arrested for Arson Enters Plea of Not Guilty

The lives of two women, two children and a number of boarders were endangered for a time today when fire was discovered in the three tenement block at 543 and 547 Washington street. There were many thrilling incidents at the fire, which is believed to have been caused by an incendiary, and later in the morning Sam Sawaya, one of the occupants of the building was placed under arrest. William Leahy, driver for Chief Billings, received a bad cut on the left arm by broken glass and he lost considerable blood before the flow was stopped by Dr. E. H. Bushnell, who had been called.

The building is owned by Peter Antone and is occupied on the first floor by Sam Sawaya, who conducts an ice cream parlor on one side and a pool room on the other side. The two upper floors are occupied as boarding houses, that at entrance 545 by Louis Simon, his wife, young child and four boarders, and that at entrance 545 1-2 by Tony Simon, his wife and child, and three boarders.

The fire started on the first floor and the first that was known of it was when the owner, Antone, who occupied a room directly over the store, was aroused by smoke. As he awoke he found the room filled with smoke, and not waiting to dress he ran through the house shouting the alarm. This aroused the two families and with difficulty they managed to grope their way through the smoke to the street. In the meantime Antone had run down Washington street to Box 73, from which he sent in an alarm at 1.25.

When the firemen arrived they found but little fire on the surface, although there were great quantities of suffocating smoke, which made the fight a difficult one. After the first stream of water had been thrown onto it no more blaze was seen although it was apparent that the fire was still burning.

There was considerable excitement as the families and boarders came rushing into the street in their scanty attire and for a time it was thought by some of the spectators that people had been overcome and were still in the house. The firemen made a trip through every room but were unable to locate any one.

After the first excitement had died down one of the two women wanted to go back into the house. The firemen tried to persuade her to remain outside but she persisted. It was understood she had some valuables which she wanted to guard, and she was allowed to go back. The firemen kept their eyes on her however so that in case the fire should make its appearance on the upper floor she could be rushed to safety.

The fire burned a space about 4 feet square between the two rooms on the first floor. The damage by fire will not be heavy.

It was while at work at the fire in the poolroom that fireman Leahy received a bad cut on his left arm between the wrist and elbow which severed an artery and for a few minutes he bled profusely.

After the fire was over and the firemen were making up, one of the occupants of the upper floor gave Chief Billings a tip which led him to believe that the fire was of incendiary origin.

Officers Broberg and Black who were on duty at the fire were consulted and an hour later they visited the house on Germain avenue where Sawaya lived and placed him under arrest. It is reported that Sawaya was not at the fire although when arrested by the police he was dressed.

It is also understood that there is another person wanted in connection with the fire and early this morning Inspector Goodhue started out to round him up.

Sawaya was arraigned in court this morning for arson. He entered a plea of not guilty and the case was continued until Friday in $3,000 bonds.

His two brothers whom the police were looking for in connection with the same case appeared in court of their own accord. They were questioned by the police and fire marshal and then allowed to depart as it was evident that they had no hand in the fire.

PLAN FOR PLAY.

The Galahad club of Christ church met in the Parish House Monday evening at which time plans were made for a play to be given in the near future.

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A MORAL FROM LILLIPUT.

In selecting their representatives in public office the American people have fallen into the habit of paying too little attention to real qualifications. Altogether too frequently they give their suffrage to the man who is bloated with promises, the man who says he will see to it that the city appropriates money to fix up this street or that sidewalk. This is not a real qualification for office. Indeed, it comes mighty near being a disqualification. Not it would seem pretty obvious that the calibre of the candidate should play some part in the decision of the voter. "From what I know of this man have I reason to believe that he has the mentality and the morality to make a good public official?" is the question which the voter should ask himself.

How frequently does the voter instead put to himself this question: "Will this candidate give me what he promises?"

Lilliput had a better way of selecting its public officials, for at least they had to show some sort of ability. In "Gulliver's Travels" we come upon this sentence:

"When a great office is vacant, either by death or disgrace (which often happens) five or six of those candidates petition the emperor to entertain his majesty and the court with a dance on the rope; and whoever jumps the highest, without falling, succeeds in the office. Very often the chief ministers themselves are commended to show their skill, and to convince the emperor that they have not lost their faculty."

ON PENMANSHIP.

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Good penmanship pays, saves time and energy and produces pleasure. Learn to write well.

THAT FIRE DRILL AGAIN.

It is a cause for regret that the Wollaston Parents and Teachers association saw fit at the meeting Monday night to reopen the fire drill question. Rev. Mr. Partridge declared at the meeting that the health of the child comes first, that the parents' intended to have their rights and would not be hoodwinked or sat on by the school committee or anyone else.

The health of the children does not come first. Some slight danger to their health should not be considered beside the greater danger to their very lives if the petition requesting a change in the fire drill should go into effect.

A fire drill which permitted the children to get their wraps would be nearly useless. As City Solicitor Pinkham said at the meeting the matter is safe in the hands of the school committee. He well observed that it was foolish to have the children understand that fire drills would only be held in pleasant weather.

The petition is impracticable and the school committee is to be commended for turning it down when first presented. It is to be hoped that the matter will be dropped.

The aeroplane is not wholly an instrument of terror and destruction. Hydroaeroplanes are to be sent out from Ottawa to search for the eight missing men of the Stefansson expedition.

THAW IS SENT BACK TO TOMBS

Court Has Motion of His Counsel Under Consideration

QUESTION OF SANITY RAISED

Jerome Opposes Plan to Have Prisoner Sent to Bellevue Hospital For Observation — Defense Accuses Prosecution of Trifling With Mandate of United States Supreme Court

New York, Jan. 26.—A motion to have Harry K. Thaw sent to Bellevue hospital so that the doctors there might pass on the subject of his sanity was made by Thaw's attorneys when he was arraigned in the supreme court on the charge of conspiring with others to effect his escape from Matteawan in August, 1913.

Decision was reserved and Thaw was remanded to the Tombs until such time as Judge Davis shall call upon him to answer to the indictment. There was no effort made to obtain bail for the prisoner.

The justice ruled that it was not material where Thaw was confined pending his trial. He withheld fixing the date while he spent a few days looking up cases covering the statutes cited by Thaw's attorneys.

Thaw entered the courtroom for his formal arraignment, beaming smiles on a large crowd of spectators. He took a seat with his attorneys, John B. Stanchfield and Morgan O'Brien, and turned his eyes toward William T. Jerome as Stanchfield rose to address the court.

"We are anxious for a speedy trial," said Stanchfield, "but we do ask that pleadings on this conspiracy indictment be deferred three or four days while the court considers recent legislation with reference to insane persons charged with misdemeanors.

"This legislation makes it mandatory upon the court to commit a person who is insane at the time of the arraignment to Bellevue the allied hospitals to determine his sanity. We will move that this action be taken in Thaw's case."

Jerome was on his feet in an instant. "The statutes are not applicable in this case," he argued. "We ask the court for an early trial and ask that in the meantime Thaw be confined in Matteawan."

Thaw's brow wrinkled perceptibly when Jerome mentioned Matteawan. He tapped on the arm of his chair with evident nervousness while his attorneys argued to the court that Jerome was "trifling with a mandate of the United States supreme court," and that Jerome had used the mandate "as a subterfuge to bring Thaw within the jurisdiction of the court."

Davis halted further argument by ordering Thaw recommitted to the Tombs. Thaw turned an amused smile toward Jerome, but Jerome's eyes were glued upon the justice.

NELSON MADE THREATS

Witnesses Thus Testify In Coroner's Probe of Maine Murder

Skowhegan, Me., Jan. 26.—Stories of threats against Bert Ireland, who was found dead in his home in Canaan, were told to the coroner's jury.

Ireland met his death by blows on the head from a club and by strangulation from a rope twisted about his neck, the jury found. The responsibility for the crime, however, was not placed.

Among the witnesses heard was Mrs. Verdie W. Nelson, whose husband was arrested in connection with the case. Mrs. Nelson and other witnesses testified that they had heard Nelson make threats against Ireland. Nelson has denied all knowledge of the case.

BACK IN OLD QUARTERS

Boston Custom House Employes Resume Work In Big Sky-Scraper

Boston, Jan. 26.—After an absence of more than four years, the customs officials resumed business in the old custom house at the foot of state street.

To all appearances, however, it is a new custom house, for although the old building has been preserved as to the exterior, the interior has been entirely changed and a brand new tower 500 feet high has been set up with the old building for a base.

BARRED AS EXECUTRIX

Duchess of Manchester Cannot Handle Estate of Her Father

Cincinnati, Jan. 26.—The Duchess of Manchester learned from Judge Lueders of the Hamilton county probate court that she cannot be appointed executrix of the estate of her father, the late Eugene Zimmerman.

It was explained to her that in marrying the Duke of Manchester, a citizen of Great Britain, she, too, became a citizen of that kingdom, and therefore could not serve as executrix in this country.

Death of Daniel Morss

Boston, Jan. 26.—Daniel D. Morss, treasurer of the Boston chamber of commerce and for many years the leading expert on grain and flour in New England, died of heart failure following an attack of pneumonia. He was 66 years old.

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

Second Greatest River In Alaska Has a Navigable Channel

Washington, Jan. 26.—Official announcement was made by Secretary Redfield of the discovery of a practical navigable channel from the Behring sea into the mouth of the Kuskokwim river, thus opening the second greatest river in Alaska to commerce. The discovery was made by Captain Lukens of the coast and geodetic survey.

In a statement announcing the discovery, Redfield says it is not unreasonable to suppose that the near future will see the Kuskokwim river of commercial importance compared with that of the Yukon river.

"The Kuskokwim river," says the secretary, "is nine miles wide at its mouth and navigable for over 600 miles inland. The great submerged flats of the delta of this river extend 100 miles out to sea, and it was through this uncharted delta that the surveying steamer Yukon made the discovery of the channel which means so much to the commerce of that section of Alaska."

VANNAH GETS LIFE TERM

Punishment of Maine Grand Army Veteran For Murder

Augusta, Me., Jan. 26.—Francis A. Vannah, a veteran of the Civil war, was sentenced to state prison for the remainder of his life for the murder of Edward E. Hardy, a soldier of the Spanish-American war, who was shot in his camp near the National Soldiers' home at Togus.

Vannah was convicted a year ago after having been examined and found to be sane. The case went to the Maine law court on a question of the jurisdiction of the superior court in which he was tried, but the point was not sustained.

CUSHING ANSWERS M'CALL CHALLENGE

Announces Candidacy For Governorship of Bay State

Boston, Jan. 26.—Lieutenant Governor Grafton D. Cushing issued a statement announcing that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor this year.

The Cushing statement was in answer to an announcement made Saturday by Samuel W. McCall, the Republican candidate last year, stating that he would again be a candidate this year.

The statement makes it certain that there will be a sharp fight for the nomination between Cushing and McCall, and may result in several other Republicans declaring their candidacy.

The Cushing statement caused surprise, not because he announced his candidacy, but because of his promptness in meeting the challenge, which many construed the McCall statement to be.

BRYAN SUGGESTS OPTION

United States May Want to Build Another Interoceanic Waterway

Washington, Jan. 26.—Suggesting that it was not unlikely that the United States some day would build another interoceanic waterway to supplement the Panama canal, Secretary Bryan explained that he regarded it as a wise precaution for the American government to negotiate treaties with Nicaragua and Costa Rica, giving this country an option on a canal route across that section of Central America.

He also spoke of the importance of a naval base in the bay of Fonseca, and announced that the state department was prepared to treat for this with Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua.

MANY AFTER MAYOR'S JOB

Nine Candidates Have Filed Their Petitions at Chicago

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Nine candidates for mayor of Chicago filed petitions to appear on the primary ballots Feb. 23, when the party nominations are to be made.

They are R. M. Sweitzer, county clerk; Carter Harrison, mayor; T. O. Dwyer and F. J. Wilson, on the Democratic ticket; Harry Olsen, chief justice of the municipal court; Jacob Hey, alderman, and W. H. Thompson, on the Republican ticket; Harry Olsen and Congressman Thompson, on the Progressive ticket.

SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

They Have Amounted to Over Half a Million In Ten Years

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—Rev. Billy Sunday has collected more than $500,000 in the ten years he has been in the soul-saving business. And from September, 1913, to June, 1914, he took in $150,000.

This was revealed from a summing up of the collections made in the different cities in which he has been conducting revival services.

Gilliooly Goes to State Prison

Boston, Jan. 26.—Frederick L. Gilliooly, for many years chief clerk in the overseers of the poor department of the city, was sentenced to the state prison for a period of not more than four years nor less than three years for the larceny of about $8000 from the funds of which he had charge.

TELLS OF VISIT TO HOLY LAND

Dr. William Gallagher Speaks Before Knights Templar

Dr. William Gallagher of Thayer Academy gave an interesting talk on the Holy Land before Quincy Commandery, Knights Templar, Monday evening. At the business session the illustrious order of the Red Cross was exemplified after which an adjournment was taken to the banquet hall where refreshments were served. At this time Em. Sir Morgan announced that word had just been received that Quincy Commandery had been given an "excellent" on its last inspection night, a record that had not been excelled by any commandery in the jurisdiction.

An adjournment was then made to the lodge room where Dr. Gallagher gave the Sir Knights an interesting talk illustrated by the stereopticon. Dr. Gallagher said that twenty years ago when he was broken in health he took the trip and it had always remained fresh in his memory.

The speaker took his hearers through Jerusalem to the sea of Galilee, the Dead Sea, Samaria, River Jordan, Jericho and other places. He said a visitor there could find almost anything he wanted. There were many things that were impressive but much depended upon the spirit of the visitor. If he was deeply religious then he was in a condition to believe all that the guides told.

Dr. Gallagher showed fully one hundred views, each of which he explained interestingly. Particularly so was his description of the church of the Holy Sepulchre. What impressed him most was the fact that just inside of the church there were four Turkish soldiers on guard to keep the different religious sects from cutting each others throats. His views included many of the scenes familiar to readers of the Bible and his description of these was most interesting. He also spoke of the people of the Holy City and their habits and customs.

At the conclusion of the talk Lieut. Downes, who is forming the machine gun squad, spoke briefly and a rising vote of thanks was extended to Dr Gallagher for his interesting talk. The evening closed with all joining in singing "America."

SCISSORS PASTE

NO SCHOOL ON STORMY DAYS.

Referring to the no-school signal on stormy days Supt. Chalmers of Fitchburg says: "The cost of the schools in Fitchburg including interest on sinking fund, schoolhouse loans and so on, is more than $1000 a day. This must be paid by the city whether school keeps or not. It is to be hoped that the schools are worth what they cost. We need every school day in order to do the work outlined in the course of study. We cannot do less and keep abreast of the more progressive cities. Very few cities retain the no-school signals—an examination of school catalogues would indicate that the number throughout the country is so small as to be negligible. The few cities where the plan was once in use are rapidly dropping it. Considering the cost of the schools and the amount of work to be done it is very doubtful whether it is wise public policy to give the no-school signals."

Brockton retains the no-school signal system on stormy days. There are many people in the city who believe in it thoroughly. They consider the health of the children ahead of everything else. It seems as though the great question is, what do the pupils do with their session or day off? Do they stay home and keep dry and conserve their health? Or do they in a great many cases dash out into the storm and go visiting each other and playing around the yards and barns and getting joyfully enthusiastically bedraggled and wet? Do they have snowball battles on snowy days when school isn't in session? The theory of the no school on stormy days plan seems excellent if pupils and their parents carry out the intent. But do they? Or is it with most of the youngsters just a day off, in which they walk through water and snow and mud and stay out longer than they would if they merely walked to and from school? What do the parents think?—Brockton Enterprise.

TWO ASSOCIATIONS HOLD MEETINGS

The Quincy Public School Janitors' association and the Norfolk District Association of the State Association held their annual meetings in the Johnson building Saturday evening.

The Quincy association elected Louis R. Dunham, president, George I. F. Linton, vice president; W. C. Caldwell, secretary-treasurer; Robert Neill, and Fred Cahoon, trustees.

The district association elected Mr. Robinson of Brockton, president; Mr. Hanlin of Quincy, vice president; Mr. Chadwick of Brockton, sergt.-at-arms, W. C. Caldwell, secretary-treasurer.

ADMIRAL BETBEDER DIES.

Vice Admiral Onofre Betbeder of the Argentine Navy and president of the naval commission which superintendended the constructions of the dreadnought Rivadavia at the Fore River shipyard and her sister ship, Moreno at the New York Shipbuilding Co., died suddenly in New York Sunday. Dr. Romulo Naon, the Argentine Ambassador in Washington reached his bedside just before death.

Vice Admiral Betbeder was the special guest at the launching of the Quincy built dreadnought and was a frequent visitor at the Fore River shipyard. His body will probably be sent to Buenos Aires by steamer leaving New York on Feb. 6. Before his body is placed aboard the ship the United States government will give it full military honors.

PRESENT PURSE OF GOLD.

The members of the Junior Ladies Aid of the Washington Street Congregational church at Quincy Point assembled Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Stephen Lang at 87 Edison Park. Music and games were enjoyed and during the evening Miss Helen Lee was presented with a purse of gold. Miss Lee's home was recently destroyed by fire. Refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. Stephen Lang, Mrs. M. S. Wight, Edith McCreedy, Isabella Foster, Mattie Chisholm, Helen Lee, Ella Melville, Elizabeth Scouler, Helen Sherburne, Martha Schlenker and Cora Barnes.

RESIGNS POSITION.

Andrew Stewart of this city has tendered his resignation as sexton of Bethany church. An effort is being made to have him reconsider his position. Mr. Stewart was appointed four years ago and in that time has been most efficient.

John Reardon, a scholar at the Washington school, is seriously ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Reardon.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM MILTON

FOR SUFFRAGE LEAGUE.

An effort is being made by several young people of Milton to organize a Junior Suffrage league. Saturday evening a few of those interested in the cause of women's rights met at the home of Miss Edith Swift on Central avenue. Mrs. Lindsay, president of the Milton Equal Suffrage league spoke to the young people and Mrs. Scanlon, a junior league organizer gave some arguments why she believed women should be granted the vote. Miss C. L. Lewis, formerly head of the history department at the High school now of Springfield High school, spoke on the economic side of the question. Miss Swift was elected temporary chairman and Kenneth D. Johnson temporary secretary.

Harry Kimball of the Massachusetts Savings Bank Insurance Co. spoke to the pupils of the High school in the school hall Friday. He emphasized very strongly the value of thrift and urged the school body to realize the results of saving and of life insurance.

The Cunningham Gym "Midgets" defeated the Makaria basket ball team of Quincy Saturday evening on the home floor, 25-13.

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BOSTON STILL AFTER BILLY SUNDAY

Monday afternoon, at 3.00, there will be a meeting of the Evangelical Alliance of Greater Boston in Park street Congregational church, Boston, to select a committee to go to Philadelphia and present a formal invitation to "Billy" Sunday, to conduct a great revival here in Boston.

HOLD WHIST PARTY.

Houghs Neck Associates Begin Series

The Houghs Neck Associates held the first of a series of whist parties Saturday night. The souvenirs were awarded to William G. Norteman, Mrs. C. H. Howe, Mrs. Arthur Dunham, A. E. Medros, Mrs. James E. Wall, Mrs. Oakes, Roy Wilcox, W. E. Kingsbury, Mrs. W. H. Sturgis, Mrs. H. Norteman The consolation prizes went to Mrs. Helen O'Toole and E. H. Howe. The series is being conducted under the direction of Walter Buchan.

CHANGE AT FORE RIVER.

Chief Machinist E. A. Manck, who has been a government inspector at the Fore River shipyard, has been detached and Chief Machinist C. A. Rowe has been assigned here in his place. The changes become effective on Feb. 15. Chief Machinist Rowe will be attached to the U. S. S. Nevada, under construction at the shipyard.

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PARK AND DOWNS CHURCH.

The pastor Rev. William B. Ayers has been preaching for the past month on the "Sermon on the Mount" the text Sunday was; "Thy Will be done on earth as it is in Heaven."

The speaker said the will of God was not a perfect standard which God imposed upon mankind under all conditions of birth and circumstance but an ideal, a hope for man up to which God was trying to lead the race. Every father should have an ideal for his boy. He does not expect the child to attain at once the fulfillment of this standard of excellence but through the years of boyhood the father tries to lead the child step by step toward his ideal.

Somewhere between the two extremes of Unitarianism and Orthodoxy lives the truth.- -- Or is it to be found in the basic principle underlying both If men are naturally good they do not need redemption, they need only to be let alone to develop to the fullness of their powers. On the other hand if man is totally depraved he cannot grasp an ideal.

If man is born to corruption then birth is an outrage and hope is a farce and God is cruel. Man is weak and incapable but he is not depraved. The fact that God has a hope for us, an ideal, a standard is proof of that. There are comparatively few very bad men ,but a great many who are indifferent or lazy, and who are not realizing the manhood to which Jesus calls them. He needs to stir up in our hearts noble impulses and divine desires. - - - He seeks to make us divine.

In the evening the pastor continued the lectures on "Great Religious Lessons from the War." The lecture was on English traits and government. The pastor said that England controls over a fifth of the land in the world and a quarter of its population The service was attended by a Boston Historical Society.

The musical program was well rendered, especially the solo by Mrs Hazzard and the trombone solo by Mr. C. A. Richardson ,accompanied by Miss Bjorkman, organist.

FINNISH CONGREGATIONAL .

At the evening meeting of the Christian Endeavor society the speakers were the chairman, Emil Riihimaki, and the pastor Charles E. Stenman.

The latter took as his subject the days text, from the Psalms, in which he outlined how the people of Israel were wonderfully led by God into the "Land of Promise," and also how we should follow his lead and his way.

At the evening service the pastor had as his subject "Christs second Coming."

This evening there will be a meeting of the Bible study class which has just been formed under the leadership of the pastor.

The Ladies Aid society will meet Wednesday evening.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST.

Mrs. S. V. Odiorne conducted the services of the First Spiritualist church Sunday evening at Electa hall. The meeting opened with a song service, Bible reading and prayer. Dr. Hubert Le Roy Clough delivered a splendid discourse on "Faith, Hope Love and Wisdom." Circle meetings will be held at the home of Mrs. S. V. Odiorne, 8 Mechanics street on Tuesday evening and on Thursday evening a developing class, open to all will be held. Come and be convinced.

CORRECT NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

The correct no school signals, as adopted by the school committee, are as follows:

The signal 2-2 blown 3 times at either 7.30 or 11.45, is a signal that all schools below the high school will have their next session suspended. The signal when blown at 8 or at 12.30 means that the next session of the four lowest grades is to be suspended. The High school never suspends its session for stormy weather and no signal ever applies to that school or to the Industrial School.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Inspector of Buildings Merrill issued the following building permits last week:

John G. Habelt, garage East Elm avenue.

Fred C. Massey, addition, Fayette street.

John Lindgren, dwelling, Rawson road.

Agnes Wymen, boot shop, Linden and Sagamore streets.

George Thompson, addition, Arlington street.

Ethel C. A. Sears, dwelling, Bass street.

John T. Murphy, addition, Rustic place.

A. E. Walker, dwelling, Ellerton road.

C. F. Cook, alteration, Sea street.

William E. Lee, repairs, Thompson street.

Mrs. Ida M. Keenan, alteration, Turner street .

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BRAINTREE CHURCH CALLS MINISTER

At a meeting or the parish of All Souls' church, Universalist-Unitarian Braintree it was voted to call Rev. Frank A. Powell of Manchester. N. H. at a salary of $2500. Officers elected for the year are:

President, Alva Morrison.
Treasurer, George H. Wetherbee.
Clerk, John W. West.
Parish committee, the above and Daniel E. Cain, Mrs. E. L. Emerson, Miss Edgcomb, Horace R. Drinkwater and Harry F. Arnold.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS.

The examination for the position of Census enumerators for the coming decennial census of the commonwealth for this city will be held in city hall Saturday evening, February sixth at seven o'clock. The rate of pay for this city is 2 1-2 cents for each person, one cent extra for each family and one cent extra for each civil war veteran. There are to be nineteen enumratoers to covr the city of Quincy.

WELLESLEY WANTS TO JOIN.

Wellesley High school has asked to join the Triangular league, made up of Newton, Brookline and Cambridge High and Latin schools. It is said it wants to join a speedy combination.

It is generally admitted that Wellesley has rapidly developed in base ball foot ball and basket ball, the past few years. Her showing in the latter has been particularly good in the interscholastic league, with which Quincy is affiliated, and the indications are that the senior team will take the championship for the second time. It is probable Wellesley will be admitted and that the old name of the league, Preparatory, will be revived.

Wellesley's step is taken in this city to be somewhat of a defense move, since the Quincy high representations, now affiliated with the newly organized South Shore Interscholastic league, will probably mean the withdrawal of the local teams from the league of which they and Wellesley are a part. Although definite plans for basket ball have not been completed the new league will also include that sport.

Mrs. William E. Warmington and son, William H. Warmington of Springfield, are visiting parents and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Furnald of Newcomb street.

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ON TRIAL FOR CONSPIRACY

Son of Late Mayor Miller one of Three Involved

George W. Miller, formerly of Quincy and son of the late Mayor Miller, Fred L. Green and Thomas L. Kingston, former employees at a Boston morgue, went on trial in the Boston Superior Criminal Court Monday afternoon. The three men are charged not only with conspiracy to discredit the administration of public justice and to deprive Dr. Francis X. Magrath, medical examiner of Boston, of office, but also with the larceny of $230 from Timothy X. O'Brien, a dead man. Dr. Magrath was not appointed to office.

The government will show the conspiracy existed according to Asst. Dist Atty Daniel McIsaac in opening his case before Judge Aiken and "that these three defendants conspired to prevent the appointment of their chief, Dr. Magrath, and signed charges that were presented to the Governor in opposition to that re-appointment in January of last year."

Mr. McIsaac said that no hearing had been held on those charges up to June 17, 1914, when one Timothy X. O'Brien of East Newton street, a painter, fell dead in the Bay State Trust Company Building. Mr. McIsaac said that the Government would show that men named Walsh and Wyman hired by Lewis Jones & Son, undertakers, removed the body to the morgue; that Walsh asked Green, one of the defendants, to search the body for money which he heard the dead man had on his person; that Green did so and found a roll which was counted by both as $350 beside a coin.

The Government would show, he continued, that Dr. Magrath did an unusual thing in instructing Kingston another defendant, to search the body and make note of the contents and received from him upon his return early in the morning an accounting including $120.80.

It would be shown, he said, that Miller, the third defendant, went to Officer Kelly of Station 16, a relative of the dead man, to find out how much money was turned over to him and on being told $120.80, told Kelly that there had been $350; that Miller then got Wyman, another Jones employee, to sign an affidavit that he had seen $350 taken from the body and tried to get Walsh to do so; but that Walsh, refusing, informed Dr. Magrath, and the latter notified the district attorney's office.

WERE PRISONERS ON HOLY GHOST

That Mrs. Edna Marshall, victim of a peculiar shooting in Boston, her mother, Mrs. Florence Whittaker of Houghs Neck and two brothers, were prisoners on the Holy Ghost Barkentine Kingdom, of the religious denomination of Rev. Frank W. Sandford about five years ago and was rescued after an appeal had been made to the court, became known Monday when a reporter informed the mother of the plight of her daughter.

Then sensational features surrounding the young lady became known and the story of how her family were taken from the barkentine by a deputy sheriff was told.

The police although they have worked on the shooting since Saturday have been unable to uncover what they believe to be a satisfactory story

PERMANENT QUARTERS.

Machine Gun Squad to Drill in Alpha and Union Halls.

Alpha and Union halls have been approved by the quartermaster's department of the Massachusetts National Guard and will soon be placed at the disposal of the Quincy machine gun company.

The surgeons examinations of applicants will commence next Monday evening and as soon as applicants are accepted requisitions for outfit will be made.

The state will pay the rental of the hall, $900 annually, to Quincy, and Quincy, through an appropriation by its council will pay that amount to Col. Henry L. Kincaide, owner of the building. Quincy's only expense will be the purchasing of lockers and other slight equipment, which will be taken over by the state if standard equipment is purchased, when an armory is erected.

FALLS AND GETS FRACTURE OF LEG

James Lally of Edison Park, one of the most prominent members of the Granite City club and a painting and decorating contractor, fell shortly after noon today and suffered a fracture of the right leg. He is now at the Quincy City Hospital.

Mr. Lally was engaged in painting at the rectory of St. John's parish and fell but a short distance. First aid treatment was administered and Dr. F. Ramon Burke was summoned. He ordered his removal to the hospital.

BRIEFS

Thomas Turner of 109 Independence avenue is ill with appendicitis. Mr. Turner is an employee of the water department of the city.

The trophy offered the winner of the Elks' league matches by Capt. George Wardwell, at whose alleys the schedule is underway, was placed on exhibition in the window of the Thompson cafe today. The trophy is of silver and handsome design.

A new serial story starts tomorrow in the Ledger, "The Exploits of Elaine," now being shown Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays in motion pictures at Kincaide's Theatre. It is a most amazing, gripping and wonderful story as clever detectives solve the mystery of "the clutching hand."

The Y. P. S. of the Swedish Congregational church, held a business meeting Monday evening, and decided to accept the invitation extended by the Boston church, to have a joint meeting and social time, Feb. 21. Arrangements were also made for a supper to be held on Washington's birthday.

Much satisfaction is expressed over the raising of the sum of $125 at the Swedish Congregational church which will be turned over to the Squantum church which has voted to give permission to the Swedish residents of the Squantum district to use the church for Sunday school sessions to be conducted in the Swedish language. The sum contributed will be turned over to the church and will be used in liquidating the debt.

OFFER SILVER CUP.

The Seneca Club of South Quincy has departed from its usual custom and has offered a silver cup to the most popular club at the annual dancing party to be held in April. The cup is on exhibition in the window of Charles F. Pettengill.

POWER OF ELOQUENCE.

Financial Effect of Whitefield's Sermon on Ben Franklin.

Whitefield made seven visits to America. He brought great blessings to our land. Whittier wrote of him thus:

The flood of emotion, deep and strong,
Troubled the land as it swept along,
But left a result of holier lives.

In Philadelphia he preached with such effectiveness that the dancing rooms were discontinued, and the ball and concert rooms were shut up "as inconsistent with the gospel."

Benjamin Franklin tells that in Philadelphia 30,000 heard him with ease. Ben was caught with the matchless delivery of his sermons. "I happened in a meeting in the course of which I perceived," writes he, "that he intended to finish with a collection, and I silently resolved that he would get nothing from me. I had in my pocket a handful of copper money, three or four silver dollars and five pistoles in gold. As he preached I began to soften and concluded to give the coppers; another stroke of his oratory made me ashamed of that and determined me to give the silver; and he finished so admirably that I emptied my pockets wholly into the collection dish, gold and all."—Christian Herald.

Spanish Boys' Game.

Spanish lads have a game which they call "Hobbybull," and it has something on the American kiddies' hobbyhorse, according to those who have seen it. The boys of Malaga and other Spanish cities find an immense amount of excitement and amusement in mock encounters with the hobbybull, which is merely a framework mounted on wooden wheels and has a pair of horns lashed to its forward end. Armed with a scarlet cloth, one of the boys infuriates the hobbybull, while another operates the "animal."

If the matador has talent in the art of taunting and teasing and the other lad is spirited the game may become serious. Boys in training to become matadors practice regularly with the hobbybull and consider such play a part of their training.—Philadelphia North American.

What's in a Name.

"There's a gentleman in the parlor, sir," said the maid.

"Did he give you his name, Katie?" asked the man of the house.

"Oh, no, sir; but I think it's the one who wants to give his name to your daughter, sir."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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MISS ABBOTT TO WED.

Popular High School Teacher To Marry Pawtucket Man.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Abbott of Atlantic, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Edith L. Abbott to Henry J. B. Stitt of Pawtucket, R. I.

Miss Abbott is one of the most popular teachers at Quincy High school and was appointed four years ago.

Mr. Stitt is a graduate of Brown University, '09, and at present is teacher of mathematics and teacher-coach in the Pawtucket High school.

OTTOWANA SOCIAL CLUB.

The Ottowana Social club held its regular weekly meeting Monday evening at the home of Miss Celia Connors Garfield street. The first part of the evening was devoted to sewing after which all enjoyed a social evening. Celia Connors and Marion Duffy alternated at the piano while Elizabeth Ross and Grace Brownrigg entertained those present by several solos. The girls have decided to devote the first hour of their meeting nights to embroidering some useful articles. Refreshments were served.

DES MOINES AT HINGHAM.

The cruiser Des Moines, built at the Fore River yard, under command of Commander Blakely arrived at the navy yard from Portsmouth, Monday afternoon and after taking on her complement of men proceeded to Hingham to take on a quantity of ammunition. When this is completed she will steam for Cristobal, in the canal zone, to relieve the cruiser Tacoma.

BEGINS RE-WEIGHING COAL.

The annual reweighing of coal, the returns to be made to the state department of sealer of weights and measures, was commenced Monday in Quincy by James M. Cantfill, sealer of weights and measures.

Mr. Cantfill's activities in the reweighing of coal commenced with the opening of the winter season. In that time he has found no discrepencies in the weight of coal delivered.

The Exploits of Elaine is the subject of a great serial story which starts in Wednesday's Ledger. A mystery to be solved by our readers.

WILL RETRACT APPEAL.

Henry Clayton, the negro who was sentenced to a year in the house of correction, for the larceny of a dollar bill at the rehearsal of the opera "Priscilla" at Music hall last Thursday night and entered an appeal has signified his desire to retract his appeal. He will be brought back from Dedham Wednesday morning to retract his appeal and take his sentence Inspector Goodhue who has been looking up the young man's record finds that he has a bad one.

Read the opening chapters of "The Exploits of Elaine" in Wednesday's Ledger, the big serial story of gripping interest.

PRESENT PLAY TONIGHT.

The Quincy Catholic Club presents its annual dramatics in Alpha hall this evening and the indications are the attendance will be large. The play, "The Real Thing" will be under the direction of Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis and included in its cast are prominent young women of the city. The entire proceeds are to be devoted to the charitable fund.

DEMOCRATIC CITY COMMITTEE.

The organization of the Democratic City Committee will take place in Wilson hall tonight and Edward J. Parker, chairman the past year, will be a candidate for re-election.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

DAN McCORMACK STAR AT TOURNEY

Dan McCormack, boxing in the 135 pound class, was the feature of the Quincy A. A. amateur tourney in Quincy Adams hall Monday night. McCormack fought his way through the class and made the fans sit up and take notice.

John Wrenn of South Quincy 110 lbs. made his debut in the roped ring. He beat Joe Curley of Boston in three rounds but could not go on in the semi-final because of an injury to his hand.

Darcy, McCormack and Thomas were the winners of the respective class.

110-POUND CLASS.

Trials

First bout—Bill Dooley of Roxbury beat Frank Petro of Beachmont, three rounds.

Second Bout—Tom Darcy of Dorchester beat Patsey Azzato of South Braintree, two rounds

Third bout—John Wrenn of Quincy beat Joe Curley of Boston, three rounds.

Semifinals.

First bount—Tom Darcy beat Bill Dooley, three rounds.

Second bout—J. A. Perry of Roxbury won from John Wrenn by default.

Final.

Tom Darcy beat J. A. Perry, three rounds.

135-POUND CLASS.

Trials.

First bout—Dan McCormack of East Boston beat George Wells of Beachmont, three rounds.

Semifinals.

First bout—Jack Everett of South Boston beat Bill Hallett of Dorchester, one round.

Second bout—Dan McCormack beat Sam Bell of Boston, three rounds.

Final.

Dan McCormack beat Jack Everett, three rounds.

145-POUND CLASS.

Trials.

First bout—George Harrison of Brighton beat Joe Nelson of Cambridge, three rounds.

Semifinals.

First bout—Bill Thomas of Boston beat George Hoyt of Quincy, two rounds.

Second bout—John Park of Roxbury beat George Harrison, three rounds.

Final.

Bill Thomas beat John Parks, three rounds.

Officials—Jack Norton, Forest Hills A. C., referee; C. C. McHugh, Quincy A. A., and Frank X. McGrath, judges; James Brogan, Quincy, timer; Mathew Cummings Jr., Quincy A. A., announcer.

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PROFITS SHOULD BE SUBORDINATE

Rockefeller Thinks Welfare of Labor First Consideration

WORKING TOWARD THAT END

Combinations of Labor as Well as Those of Capital Sometimes Deserving of Public Censure—Declares Good Unions Must Permit Open Shop and Defends His Company

New York, Jan. 26.—John D. Rockefeller espoused the cause of "good unions" before the federal commission on industrial relations, but limited his approval to those unions which permit the open shop.

"I believe it to be just and proper and advantageous for labor to associate itself into organized groups for the advancement of its legitimate interests as for capital to combine for the same object," said Rockefeller.

"Such associations of labor manifest themselves in promoting collective bargaining, in an effort to secure better working and living conditions, in providing machinery whereby grievances may easily and without prejudice to the individual be taken up with the management.

"Whatever their specific purpose, so long as it is to promote the well-being of the employes, having due regard for the just interests of the employer and the public, having every worker free to associate himself with such groups or to work independently, as he may choose—I favor them most heartily.

"Combinations of capital are sometimes conducted in an unworthy manner, contrary to law and in disregard of the interests both of labor and the public. Such combinations cannot be too strongly condemned or too vigorously dealt with.

"Although combinations of this kind are the exception, such publicity is generally given to their unsocial acts that all combinations of capital, however rightly managed or broadly beneficent, are thereby brought under suspicion.

"Likewise it sometimes happens that combinations of labor are conducted without just regard for the rights of the employer or the public, and methods and practices adopted which, because unworthy or unlawful, are deserving of public censure."

Rockefeller asserted that his company, the Colorado Fuel and Iron, controlled only a small percentage of the mines involved in the Colorado strike, and could not have dictated their policies. His company's earnings, including bonds held by the Rockefellers, never exceeded 3½ percent per annum, he said.

"Doubtless mistakes have been made and conditions are still imperfect," he declared. His efforts are being devoted, he testified, to developing increasing good will and to improve existing conditions as far as possible.

"Frankly," he said, "I confess I felt there was something wrong in a condition of affairs which rendered possible the loss of human lives, engendered hatred and bitterness, and brought suffering and privation upon hundreds of human beings."

To relieve this condition, he said, he had recommended the study of labor problems by the Rockefeller foundation. Co-operation between the Colorado miners and the company management already has reached a highly satisfactory state, he said.

"The welfare of employes should be constantly in mind," he said, "and profits at times should be subordinate to this. If fair wages and reasonable living conditions cannot otherwise be provided dividends must be deferred or the industry abandoned. Neither labor nor capital can prosper unless the just rights of both are conserved.

"I further believe that in matters of industrial relations the public is entitled to confidence and consideration. My appreciation of the conditions surrounding wage earners and my sympathies with every endeavor to better those conditions are as strong as those of any man.

"If, with the responsibilities I have and the opportunities given me, I am able to contribute toward promoting the well-being of my fellow-man, through the lessening of injustice and the alievation of human suffering, I shall feel that it has been possible to realize the highest purpose of my life."

Weeks Boomed For President

Washington, Jan. 26.—A presidential boom for Senator Weeks of Massachusetts was launched by Congressman-elect Rodenburg of Illinois. Rodenberg, a "regular" Republican, says the Republican party has never been in better shape and that the trend in the country is toward its restitution to power.

Killed by Gasolene Fumes

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 26.—Adelbert B. Bryant, 43, a well-to-do carriage manufacturer, living at Dracut, was asphyxiated by gasolene fumes while repairing his automobile in his garage.

Makes Noose of Apron Strings

Boston, Jan. 26.—Edwin J. Cronan, 48, married, committed suicide by hanging himself with his wife's apron strings to a bedpost in his home. He had been ill and despondent.

LEDGER WINS IN CLOSE MATCH

The first of a series of matches between the Ledger and Telegram teams was rolled at the Wardwell alleys Monday night and at its close but three pins separated the Telegrams from victory. Curtin with 95 had high single. A second match is being arranged.

LEDGER

Elder	55	58	63	176
Asklund	67	88	70	225
C. Curtis	55	67	82	204
Curtin	74	77	95	246
Crooker	88	83	92	263
	339	373	402	1114

SPARGO PRINT.

Tinney	69	67	67	203
O'Brien	61	69	80	210
W. Curtis	69	69	72	210
Rogers	69	86	83	238
Marini	94	79	77	250
	362	370	379	1111

SULLIVANS ARE AGAIN VICTORS

Six Teams Bowl in K. of C. League

Results Last Night:
R. Sullivan 3—Fallon 1.
P. Avery 4—Cantfill 0.
Coyle 3—F. Avery 1.

Capt. Russell Sullivan's team took another hold on first place in the Quincy council, K. of C. matches at Wardwell's Monday night. Plenty of excitement enlivened the rolloffs. "Admiral" Mahon, of the crew of the submarine Fallon, was the only man to triple. Bill sighted the mark in his first single, changed his position in the second and made his hits in the last effective.

CAPT. COYLE.—3

Tierney	97	95	104	296
Murphy	83	79	93	255
Thompson	94	72	93	259
Magee	80	99	86	265
Coyle	98	85	82	265
	452	430	458	1240

CAPT. F. AVERY—1.

Carey	52	77	73	202
Driscoll	93	106	77	266
Fallon	65	64	101	230
Welch	84	91	96	271
F. Avery	90	102	89	281
	384	440	436	1260

CAPT. SULLIVAN—3.

Powers	87	106	79	272
Myatt	75	75	87	237
Hogan	76	88	82	246
Driscoll	92	69	78	239
Sullivan	97	94	100	291
	427	432	426	1285

CAPT. FALLON—1.

Cain	70	76	71	217
Mahon	107	98	104	309
Flaherty	83	74	78	235
Ford	94	81	95	270
Fallon	84	85	75	244
	438	413	423	1274

CAPT. P. AVERY—4.

W. Avery	75	75	75	225
Brown	88	83	90	261
Lavelle	82	105	94	281
Walsh	83	83	74	240
P. Avery	84	95	95	274
	412	441	428	1281

CAPT. CANTFILL—0.

Brown	78	73	74	225
McDermott	79	77	90	246
Heaney	83	96	107	288
McGrath	74	105	74	253
Cantfill	93	89	82	244
	409	440	427	1276

On Friday evening the entertainment in the course of the First Parish Y. P. R. U., postponed from a week ago will be held in the chapel.

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TALK ACROSS CONTINENT

Men In Boston and San Francisco Hear Each Other With Ease

Boston, Jan. 26.—Boston talked with San Francisco last evening for the first time in history. The human voice was carried with ease over telephone wires for 3505 miles in one-fifteenth of a second.

Henry L. Higginson extended the greetings of the city to Thomas A. Watson, who received the message in San Francisco. Watson, forty years ago, received the first message ever taken over a telephone. The telephone building in this city was the scene of the remarkable demonstration.

The large audience in the room were thrilled as they listened to the message that marked the greatest attainment in the history of the telephone and consummated one of the highest achievements of science.

After an address of greeting by President Spalding, in which he expressed regret at the enforced absence of Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telegraph and Telephone company, who is at Jekyll island, Fla., recovering from an injured knee, Higginson was introduced.

He immediately lifted the receiver from the telephone and the conversation began. Higginson and Watson had barely exchanged the first words of greeting when a third person cut in on the line and interrupted.

To the surprise of all those present, Higginson announced that he was talking with Vail over a line that had been connected with Jekyll island to the main line, making a complete circuit of 3600 miles.

"BRUTE FORCE" IN RUSHING SHIP BILL

Root's Charges Draw Fire of Democratic Members of Senate

Washington, Jan. 26.—Grave fear that the pending government ship purchase bill, if carried into effect, would involve the United States in serious international controversies, was expressed in the senate by Senator Root.

Addressing himself largely to the legal aspects of the measure and what the administration plans to do under it, the senator also charged the Democrats with attempting to rush the bill through by "brute force and weight of votes," and solemnly warned his colleagues against the danger of reducing the senate to a mere "registering, instead of a legislative body."

Root's speech aroused the majority members who for several days had remained silent while Republican speakers attacked the bill, and drew sharp replies from Senators Williams, Stone and Simmons.

HUBBY IS STILL ALIVE

Wife Wears Mourning Because He Was Reported Killed

New York, Jan. 26.—Mrs. James M. Oswald, who was Miss Roberts of St. Paul, now the wife of Captain Oswald of the Seventh Scotch Royal fusiliers, reached New York on the steamship Cameronia, wearing mourning for her husband, who stood at her side as the ship docked.

She had not had time to purchase other garments before the Cameronia left Glasgow, where she had been wearing black because her husband's name had been listed among the dead in the trenches in France. Oswald was only wounded, however.

FOLSOM PAYS CASH

Criminal Complaint Against Unfrocked Clergyman Is Dropped

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 26.—The criminal complaint brought against Rev. Harold A. Folsom, unfrocked rector of St. John's Episcopal church, because of his alleged relations with a 19-year-old member of the church choir, was dropped as the result of a cash settlement.

The amount paid by Folsom to the girl is not known, but that there was such a settlement was admitted.

Penrose Escapes Pneumonia

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—Senator Penrose, who is ill at his home here of bronchitis, shows some improvement and danger of penumonia has passed.

Mutinous Prisoners Killed

Bombay Jan. 26.—Eighteen Berada tribesmen were killed and six wounded following a mutiny in the prison at Belgaum.

TELEGRAPH'C BREVITIES

Alarie Chabot, 66, learning he had a cancer, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid at Somerville, Mass.

Two of the best specimens of black pointed elk that could be found in the state of Washington have been added to the Franklin park zoo at Boston.

The United States supreme court announced that it would take a recess after announcing opinions, Feb. 1 until Feb. 23.

President Wilson nominated to be postmaster at Brockton, Mass., Edward Gilmore; at Milford, Mass., Marianna J. Cooke.

James Davidson of Somerville, Mass., who had been conducting a pony express business, committed suicide by hanging.

Ethel Barrymore, actress, has joined the Women's National "Made in U. S. A." league.

FORE RIVER LEAGUE STANDING

FORE RIVER LEAGUE.

M. Gallery	64	12
Yard	51	17
Electricians	47	29
N. Dept.	43	25
D. Dept.	40	36
Shipfitters	37	31
Blacksmiths	32	44
Ex. Apprentices	29	39
M. Floor	27	49
U. S. N.	26	42
Treas. Office	22	30
Pur. Agents	13	55

High single Olindy 153.
High 3 string, Olindy 360.
High team single Yard 506.
High total, M. Gallery 1442.

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

M. Gallery 3—E. Dept. 1.
M. Floor 3—B. Dept. 1.
D. Dept. 4—Treas. Office 0.

The Machine Gallery team, leader of the Fore River league, added three more points to its string at the Coliseum Monday night. The D. department added four, the Machine floor three, the Blacksmiths and Electricians one apiece. Tirrell was the only man to triple.

M. FLOOR—3.

Ford	97	75	85	257
Mahoney	92	95	81	268
Cockett	94	92	92	278
Vose	86	88	86	260
Russell	102	88	89	279
	471	438	433	1342

B. DEPT.—1.

McLellan	79	86	82	247
Flanigan	85	81	70	236
Furnald	81	94	92	267
Neil	87	105	91	283
White	80	81	80	241
	412	447	415	1274

M. GALLERY—3.

Djerf	84	104	76	264
Morgan	98	82	97	277
Moran	90	79	89	258
Carlson	102	84	81	267
Tirrell	105	103	94	302
	479	452	437	1368

E. DEPT.—1.

Lincoln	94	71	102	267
Souden	70	89	95	254
Ago	110	91	94	295
Smith	80	98	113	291
Malnati	83	79	92	254
	437	428	496	1361

D. DEPT.—4.

Lawton	93	89	85	267
Hamilton	88	68	74	230
Teasdale	81	84	99	264
Regan	86	99	96	281
Kateon	102	99	87	288
	450	439	441	1330

TREAS. OFFICE—0.

Coutts	89	85	83	257
Desmond	84	103	93	280
Duncan	86	87	82	255
Gullickson	80	83	90	253
Stone	81	69	91	241
	420	427	439	1286

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WOMEN BOWL AT COCHATO CLUB

The Monday night weekly bowling tournament for ladies at the Cochato Club, Braintree, resulted in three points for team 1, two points for team two and seven points for team four. Miss Abercrombie's total of 249 was high for the evening. Mrs. Andrews secured high single with 96.

TEAM ONE—2

Mrs. Andrews	78	73	96	247
Mrs. Wetherbee	73	73	73	219
Mrs. Patten	56	69	63	188
Mrs. Olin	80	78	85	243
Miss Crocker	72	76	75	223
Mrs. Hollis	49	56	59	164
	408	425	451	1284

TEAM TWO—2

Mrs. Keating	77	78	77	232
Miss Abercrombie	79	85	85	249
Mrs. Woodsum	63	76	86	225
Mrs. Clapp	69	63	64	196
M. Kneeland	49	69	55	173
Miss Rogers	64	67	69	200
	401	438	436	1275

TEAM FOUR—7

Mrs. Hall	78	78	78	234
Mrs. Perry	77	77	77	231
Mrs. Jenkins	62	74	72	208
E. Kneeland	81	66	67	214
Mrs. Richards	81	74	83	238
Mrs. Robbins	53	63	77	193
	432	432	454	1318

FINED $10 EACH.

Edward Waterman and Joseph Kiley, the two young men who were arrested in city square Sunday night and arraigned in court Monday for peddling without a license were in court again today, their cases having been continued from Monday morning to give the police of station 11, Boston an opportunity to see if they were wanted by the Boston police. This morning the Boston police reported that while they knew the men and that they had records they were not wanted at the present time. The court then imposed a fine of $10 each for peddling without a license at Quincy.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain unclaimed at the Quincy post office for the week ending Jan. 23, 1915:

E. Austin, Enrico Barsella, W. P. Carpenter, Frank Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dubois, Victor Dubois, William Edwards, Minnie Fayles, M. J. French, H. Hackney, E. T. Harrigan, Master Kauko Johnson, Miss L. Johnson. Herbon C. Kimball, Fred Klein, Mrs. Hilda Liinamaa, John McCloud, J. McDonough, H. Preston, Miss Elizabeth Robertson, Christine Thoren, Miss Elsa Tiitinen, Fortunato Troy, John B. Whelan, B. F. Williams.

HOLD SPECIAL MATCH.

West Side of Pattern Shop Defeats East Side.

The West side of the pattern shop defeated the east side in a special match at the Wardwell alley Monday night. Bishop had high single 119.

EAST SIDE.

Bishop	97	119	75	291
Wheeler	68	86	92	246
Nicholson	80	74	83	237
Maibach	73	83	72	228
Lee	94	99	76	260
	412	452	398	1262

WEST SIDE.

Frost	87	81	93	261
Hayden	79	89	80	248
Bartlett	81	94	73	248
Johnson	93	90	81	264
Williamson	99	89	77	265
	439	443	404	1286

ELKS LEAGUE STANDING.

Capt. David Hansons' team is leading the Elks league but the margin between his quintette and the Larkin five is a narrow one. Maloney, properly speaking is also a first division team, but Hildebrands. The standing:

Capt. Hanson	31	17	15363
Capt. Larkin	30	18	15348
Capt. Maloney	28	20	15151
Capt. Hildebrand	7	41	13939

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by John Corcoran to John Kilmartin, dated the sixteenth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on Thursday the eleventh day of February nineteen hundred and fifteen, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Grove street so-called in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and being lot No. 7 according to the plans in the possession of the Granite Railway Company, said lot being described as follows, viz:—Commencing at a point on the northeasterly side of said Grove street, at a private way and running northwesterly, eighty-one and 5-100 feet; thence northeasterly along the line of No. 6. to the land now or formerly of Jeremiah Corcoran sixty-nine and 25-100 feet; thence southeasterly along the line of land belonging to said Jeremiah Corcoran eighty-seven and 37-100 feet; thence along the line of said Grove street, northwesterly and southwesterly thirty-four and 6-100 feet and also thirty-five and 7-100 feet to the point of beginning, and containing fifty-seven hundred and forty-two square feet of land more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to John Corcoran by the Granite Railway Co., by deed recorded with the Norfolk Deeds book 642 page 119.

Two hundred (200) dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance of the purchase price on the delivery of the deed.

The above described property will be sold subject to all taxes, liens, and assessments if any such there be.

BRIDGET KILMARTIN,
Executrix of the will of John Kilmartin.

3t Jan. 19-26-Feb.1

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Joel Sargent late of Quincy in said County, deceased:

Whereas, Theodore H. Tyndale the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D. 1915 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application. And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
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AUSTRIA MAKES GREAT GAINS

Belief That Russian Offensive Has Been Checked

CZAR'S FORCES LOSE HEAVILY

Pursue Enemies Until Carpathians Are Reached When They Are Savagely Turned Upon For Third Time Under Similar Circumstances—Scant News of Conditions In Western War Zone—British Contraband Policy Irritates Swedish Press—Hungary Not Desirous of Seeking Peace

London, Jan. 26.—The sudden stiffening of the Austrian front in the eleventh hour, to check the Russian invasion of Hungary as a natural sequence of the occupation of Bukowina, seems for the present to be the event of chief military importance.

The Russians seem to recognize this, and all recent dispatches from Petrograd have emphasized the Austro-German offensive in the southeastern theatre.

Austrian gains in Galicia, Bukowina and in the Carpathian passes to Hungary were reported. The Russians are said to have been defeated with heavy losses in the upper Ung valley, where they have met disaster before; and at the Kirlibaba pass as well.

Furthermore, the Austrians have seized again some trenches at Tarnow. The Russian assaults against Przemysl are said to have ceased, and Vienna expresses the opinion that the entire Russian offensive aimed at Hungary and Transylvania has ended in failure.

This is the third occasion on which the Austrian forces have withdrawn before the Russians until the Carpathians were reached. Each time the Austrians proceeded to turn on their pursuers in a most savage manner.

In view of these facts, it appears that the Austrians realize the difficulties of defending a country like Galicia, where roads and railroads are few and of little strategic importance. On this last occasion the Russians penetrated farther into Bukowina than on either if the prior invasions, but their advance now seems to have been halted again.

North of Warsaw a large Russian force is reported near Przasnyaz. Berlin thinks that this may mean a new plan of campaign for the Russian army, but it is asserted that all danger is passed so far as Prussia is concerned. A Russian defeat at Gumbinnen is said to have cost the invaders heavy.

Second in importance, perhaps, are the Russian movements near the east and west Prussian sections, movements of which the German statement, received by wireless, takes cognizance, at the same time insisting that no advances into German territory are now feared.

In the western theatre there has been so little change that the British newspapers print the official communications with scant comment, fearing to feature the Sunday naval battle. The facts concerning this engagement are not detailed as might be desired, and the admiralty has added nothing to the official announcement.

With great battles known to be fought out at her door, Roumania has not yet decided to join in the conflict. It is patent that the situation in the Balkans is simmering and it is believed action will come suddenly.

The Swedish press is showing renewed irritation against the British contraband policy, and some of the Stockholm papers suggest reprisals in the way of forbidding the transportation of goods destined for Great Britain over Swedish railways. One paper says the country should strengthen defenses by means of which she would be able to command respect for her neutrality.

Count Andrassy, former premier and minister of the interior of Hungary, according to a dispatch from Budapest, characterizes as utterly mendacious a report that Hungary is tired of the war and is desirous of seeking a separate peace, and declares that peace will be concluded only in union with Germany and on terms satisfactory to both countries.

One of the chief tasks of the new Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, the dispatch credits Andrassy with saying, will be to give the neutral countries a better understanding of the Austro-Hungarian foreign policy and win their approval of it.

GERMANS CLAIM VICTORY

Berlin Thinks British Cruiser Was Sunk In North Sea Battle

The news of the sea fight in the North sea was received in Germany with much satisfaction despite the loss of the German cruiser Bluecher.

The Berlin newspapers assume, pending receipt of the English report, that a British battle cruiser reported sunk in the engagement was a vessel considerably larger than the Bluecher.

While the names of the British participants in the battle are not yet known, it is also asserted that the five battle cruisers mentioned greatly outnumbered the Germans in tonnage and armament, and, in consequence, the Berlin newspapers affirm that the withdrawal of the British ships from the fight means a German victory against odds. They believe also that the retirement of the British was necessitated by the damaged condition of their vessels.

Meagre unofficial details available in Berlin concerning the engagement indicate that torpedoes may have been responsible for the sinking of the Bluecher and a British cruiser.

GEN. VON FALKENHAYN.

His Resignation as German War Minister Accepted and Successor Named by Kaiser



Photo by American Press Association.

The Norddeutsche Allemeine Zeitung, the German official newspaper, announces that General von Falkenhayn, who succeeded General von Moltke as chief of the general staff, has resigned as minister of war and that the Kaiser has accepted the resignation and has appointed General von Hohenborn to the post.

LOST WITH HER CREW

British Converted Cruiser Goes Down Off Coast of Ireland

It was officially announced by the admiralty that the British armored merchant vessel Viknor had been lost off Ireland with all hands. The vessel, it was stated, either struck a mine or foundered. The admiralty in its statement says:

"She has been missing for some days and must now be accepted as lost with all her officers and men. The cause of her loss is uncertain, but, as some bodies and wreckage have been washed ashore on the north coast of Ireland, it is presumed that during the recent bad weather she either foundered or, being carried out of her course, struck a mine in seas where the Germans are known to have laid them."

PROTEST FROM GERMANY

Would Stop Shipment of Aerial War Craft Made In United States

Germany protested to the state department through her ambassador, Count Bernstorff, against shipments of American hydro-aeroplanes to the European belligerents, on the ground that such air craft are war vessels. A statement issued by the embassy says:

"The Curtiss works at Hammondsport, N. Y., have sold and sent to England the well-known hydro-aeroplane 'America' and five hydro-aeroplanes of the same type. Thirty-six hydro-aeroplanes of a different type have been ordered by England and are under construction by the same firm. Also, Russia has ordered a number of these vessels from Curtiss for use in her navy."

CONSULS "SUSPENDED"

How German Sovereignty In Belgium Is Dodged by United States

Secretary Bryan made public the text of the note from Germany annulling the exequaturs, or certificates of authority, of neutral consuls in Belgium, and issued a paraphrase of the American government's reply.

While the German note considers the exequaturs of neutral consuls to have "expired," the American government takes the view that they merely have been "suspended."

In this way, the Washington government avoids committing itself to the question of whether the sovereignty of Belgium had expired with the German military occupation.

New Bishop of New Jersey

Burlington, N. J., Jan. 26.—Rev. Paul Matthews, formerly of Faribault, Minn., was consecrated bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New Jersey, in St. Mary's church here.

No Dutch Warship at 'Frisco

The Hague, Jan. 26.—The Dutch government decided, in consideration of the present European situation, not to send a warship to San Francisco at the opening of the Panama canal.

Mt. Lassen on the Rampage

Redding, Cal., Jan. 25.—A spectacular demonstration was given by Lassen peak, which broke forth in what is perhaps the most violent eruption of the series that began last May.

BOSTON CALLS SAN FRANCISCO

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Poles on Line—Over 140,000.
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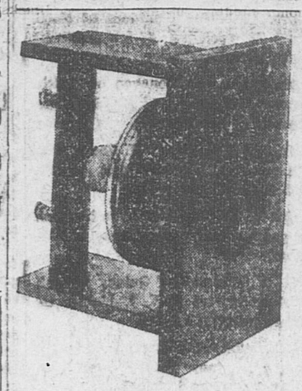
Crossing the continent—from Boston to San Francisco—in one-fifteenth of a second is an actual accomplishment. Direct conversation between the two cities so far apart was established for the first time, the other day, over the longest telephone line in the world—more than 3500 miles.

The successful consummation of this great work is an epoch in history—the acme of telephone attainment. It is an achievement made possible only by the scientific study and persistent effort of the engineers of the great Bell system.

Think for a moment what the opening of the Boston-San Francisco direct line means. It has made Massachusetts and California neighbors. It will carry the business message from the Atlantic to the Pacific quicker than a man can write a letter and it gives him an answer at once. It has annihilated distance. Its commercial value is priceless.

Boston Men Built the Line

Across twelve states! Do you realize what that means? Have you ever traveled to the far west? On the fastest trains it takes five days and five nights—120 hours—to go from Boston to San Francisco. And yet it will only be a little while before the business man can sit comfortably in his office and travel instantly by telephone between the two cities over tons of copper wire.



Professor Bell's First Telephone

The opening of this line has a peculiar significance to the people of Boston and New England, for it was in Boston that Professor Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone in 1876, less than forty years ago. A little later the longest toll line in the world stretched from Boston to Lowell and the service was poor and intermittent. How marvellous has been the progress.

And the men who were associated with Bell in those telephone pioneer days, and developed his great idea until one in every eight persons in the United States is connected by telephone, are Boston men. Many of them are living today.

Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, has been in the telephone business almost from the beginning. Today he is perhaps the greatest constructive business man in the world.

John J. Carty, chief engineer of the company, the master mind in scientific telephony, was a Cambridge boy who worked as an operator in the early days for $5 a week.

Thomas D. Lockwood, general patent attorney of the company, a telephone expert for nearly forty years, lives in Melrose.

Thomas A. Watson, the youthful mechanic who assisted Bell in his early experiments and who was the first person in the world to hear the human voice over a wire, lives in Braintree and in Boston.

Some Facts and Figures

At the present time there are two complete physical circuits, each 3505 miles long, between the two cities. Then, by means of a wonderful development of electrical study, in the transposition of these two circuits according to a certain scientific formula, a third circuit called a "phantom" circuit is created, making it possible for six people to talk at one time—three at each end—over these two pair of wires.

There are 14,020 miles of hard drawn copper wire in both of these circuits. Each circuit mile of wire weighs 870 pounds, so that the entire weight of both circuits—four wires—is over 3000 tons. This tremendous weight is supported by 140,000 poles.

Telephoning over such a great distance would have been absolutely impossible without another wonderful invention—the repeating, or loading coils. Without any technical description, it is sufficient to say that these loading coils are placed at various points along the line and give the electrical waves additional force and power.

The line from Boston to San Francisco runs direct to Buffalo, 440 miles; thence to Chicago, 605 miles, to Omaha 500 miles, to Denver 585 miles, to Salt Lake City 580 miles and to San Francisco 770 miles, a total of 3505 miles.

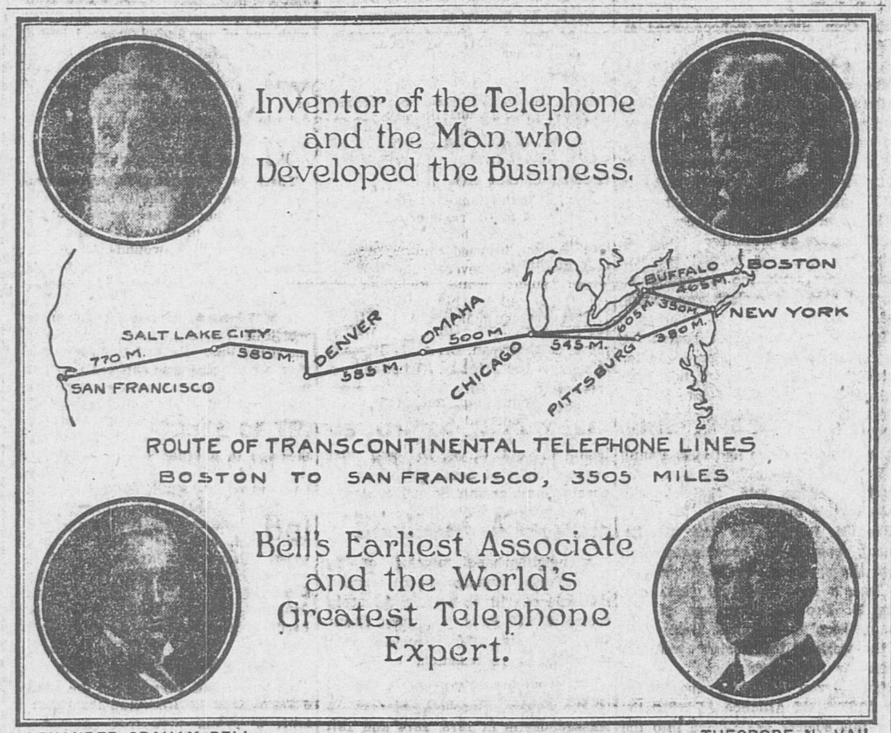
A spur line runs from Chicago to Pittsburg, 545 miles, and thence to New York, 390 miles. Another spur connects Buffalo and New York, 350 miles.

On the same day the line between Boston and San Francisco was opened telephone conversation was established between New York and San Francisco. Professor Bell talked from the New York end and his early associate, Thomas A. Watson, from San Francisco.

An interesting fact in connection with the opening of this line is that Professor Bell used at the New York end an exact reproduction of his first crude instrument. At first it could be used only a few feet. That that instrument could be used in talking between New York and San Francisco is due to the skill and inventions of those engineers who followed Bell after his retirement from the telephone business, in the perfection of the telephone and of switchboards, cables and the hundreds of other accessors to successful telephone transmission.

Looking Backward to the Beginning

On the evening of Oct. 9, 1876, the first long conversation over the telephone was made by Bell and Watson. They talked for three hours over a telegraph line between Boston and Cambridge. It was the wonder of the day. In May, 1877, a Charlestown man leased two telephones—the first money ever paid for telephone service. The same month the first tiny and crude telephone exchange was born with five telephones connected.



ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL
THOMAS A. WATSON
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JOHN J. CARTY

Four Telephone Pioneers Who Have Made It Possible to Talk From Boston to San Francisco, Over 3500 Miles, and to Whom the Opening of the Line Means More Than to Any Other Men In the World

As an event, it is on a parity with the opening of the Panama canal. It is another connecting link that physically binds the far east and the far west of America into one complete union.

Four Thousand Miles Instantly

One-fifteenth of a second! Like a flash of lightning goes the spoken word through storm and sunshine over thousands of miles. It starts in Boston at 4 p. m. and, paradoxically, reaches San Francisco three hours earlier. The time schedule has been turned topsy turvy. While you wink, your speech has been carried nearly half way around the world.

Imagine a giant with lungs powerful enough to carry his voice 3500 miles through the air. Picture him standing on the dome of the Massachusetts state house and yelling "Hello" as loud as he could. Four hours later it would be faintly heard at the Panama-Pacific exposition. Blow up a million pounds of dynamite on Boston common and the sound would travel but a few miles. And yet the telephone wizards with a tiny wire have outdistanced nature. Surely brains and [illegible] won a great victory.

In 1849 "Pike's peak or bust" was the slogan that dominated those hardy pioneers and urged them forward. In 1909, to paraphrase this, the slogan of the telephone engineers was "the Golden Gate or bust." That was the goal upon which they set their eyes more than five years ago. The long distance lines had already been extended as far west as Omaha. Two years ago Denver became a reality by telephone, and now, in one long jump of over 1500 miles, the Pacific coast has been reached.

By August there were 778 telephones in use—all in Boston—and four men had an absolute monopoly of the telephone business. A little later Theodore N. Vail was prevailed upon to resign from the government mail service and become general manager of a little telephone company that was hardly organized and had no money. Month after month the little Bell company lived from hand to mouth. No salaries were paid in full. Often, for weeks, they were not paid at all. In 1880 John J. Carty timidly asked for a job as operator in the Boston exchange. He showed such an aptitude for the work that he was soon made one of the captains.

In 1893 Boston and New York were talking to Chicago, Milwaukee, Pittsburg and Washington, and one-half the people of the United States were within talking distance of each other. The thousand-mile talk had ceased to be a fairy tale.

Several years later the line was pushed over the plains to Omaha, and subsequently nearly 600 miles were added, enabling the spoken [illegible] Boston to be heard in Denver.

The Boston-San Francisco line will probably not be opened for general commercial use until the early summer.

Telephone engineers have dreamed of the time when the wires would span the continent. That time has come. For the moment it seems as though there is no other great thing for which to strive. And yet progress in telephony in the United States is making such tremendous strides that no man can prophesy the wonderful things that may be done in the future.

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CITY HALL NOTES

There was little doing in the way of news line at city hall this morning. The mayor was in his office, bright and early as usual attending to the business of the city. Tis honor personally goes into details on everything so as to be well informed. This of course requires considerable time and in addition to this he also has a number of callers every day and these make the hours from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. pass very quickly.

Mayor Campbell said this morning that he would probably know by Wednesday morning whether or not he would call a special meeting of the city council for Friday evening.

Nothing further has as yet been done in connection with making the police station smell a little more sweet. The smell detected about the station is due in a great measure to the large amount of disinfectant which is sprayed about the cell room. The interior of the station will be repainted at an early date.

SPORTING COMMENT

The teams entered in the West Quincy Pool Tournament met Monday night but could not come to any agreement as to how the tournament should be run. The picking of partners was a question which could not be done satisfactorily to all teams so that team tournament had to be abandoned.

A new tournament was started however which seems to satisfy the players better. Each man is to play for himself and all players are eligible to compete. The managed of the pool roof has put on exhibition three valuable prizes to the winners. The players and a schedule will be announced later. This tournament is expected to start on Friday evening of this week.

DELL-OLINDY ARE VICTORS

Defeat McPherson-Walsh in Special Match

The biggest crowd that ever witnessed a special crowded into the Wardwell's alley gallery Monday night and saw McPherson and Walsh of West Quincy, two amateur bowlers, lose a ten string match to Dell and Olindy, two of the fastest professionals in the city by only 55 pins. The two former are high men in the West Quincy league. Walsh did some rolling the past few years but McPherson did not take up the game until the alleys were installed in the St. Mary's hall. Neither have had the benefit of much experience. Half a hundred rooters came down with the West Quincy boys. The total was 1951 to 1896.

Spider Kelley and Herb Smith, challengers of the winners, have been taken on, and their match will be rolled within a few days. The strings:

Olindy	100	84	102	120	101
	89	112	102	90	79—979
Dell	99	102	104	90	96
	105	118	84	95	79—972
Walsh	85	86	111	90	114
	88	84	89	82	102—931
McPherson	94	103	74	95	103
	97	106	100	88	105—965

FAIRBANKS FAMILY TO MEET

The Fairbanks Family in America association hold a special meeting to consider proposed changes in the by-laws, Wednesday afternoon at the old homestead in Dedham. There are a number of local members.

☞Read "The Exploits of Elaine" in the Ledger.

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10c Head Rice	3 lbs.	**25c**
12c Raisins--Fancy Cal. Seeded	per pkg.	**10c**
35c Boned Chicken--Blue Label, very best, newly packed	per can	**30c**
30c California Asparagus	long can	**25c**
20c Pineapple--Fancy Hawaiian Sliced	can	**15c**
20c Apricots--Fancy Evaporated	lb.	**16c**
15c Sweet Peas--Telephone	can	**12 1-2c**
15c Cream of Wheat	per pkg.	**13c**
20c Whole Beets--Matchless	can	**15c**
18c Tomatoes--Richardson & Robbins Fancy Packed	per dozen	**$1.55**
18c Crackers--National Biscuit Co.'s Choice Assorted, ten kinds	2 lbs.	**25c**
28c Raspberry Jam--Sears' Pure	bot.	**23c**
25c Graham Flour	5 lb. bag	big G. **20c**

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WORK TO START ON PARISH HOUSE

Wollaston Unitarian Society Held Annual Meeting Last Night

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

With the appointment of a committee to have in charge the exercises of dedication of the new parish house, which will probably be completed in April, those attending the annual parish meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian society, Monday evening, were brought to realize how soon they would be privileged to enjoy the benefits of a thoroughly modern church plant.

The building is now well up and presents a handsome unit in the general ensemble of the church property. Charles T. Baker, chairman of the building committee reported that the building would probably be completed the middle of April.

The following church officers were unanimously re-elected:

President—Eugene H. Sprague.
Clerk—William H. Boynton.
Treasurer—Walter J. Wellington.
Collector—CharlesE. Barker.
Parish Committee—Eugene H. Sprague, William H. Boynton, Walter J. Wellington, Charles E. Barker, G. Ernest Carr, William M. Burrell, Walter M. Baker, John E. Simmons, Herbert J. Polk.
Ex. Com. Sunday School—Fred M. Rollins.

A fine turkey supper at which the young men of the church acted as waiters, preceded the business of the evening. The meeting opened with the reading of the wararnt by clerk, and the reports of the treasurer and collector showed the church to be in good financial standing. With his report Walter J. Wellington completed his 26th year as treasurer of the society, having served in that capacity continuously with the exception of the first year the society was organized.

Edward J. Cummings reported for the repair fund and Clifton H. Baker stated that a small amount had been realized from the series of dances held by the entertainment committee. William M. Burrell gave the report of the music committee and Miss Fanny L. Johnson, editor of "The Dial," the church calendar, told the changes made in this organ.

Fred M. Rollins, for the Sunday school, reported the benefits accruing from the services of a paid superintendent, a new departure this year. Leon D. Browne, president of the Young People's Religious Union told of the work of this society and its plans for the future.

Miss Harriet L. Turner reported for the Ladies Aid Alliance. During the year this society has turned into the coffers of the church nearly a thousand dollars. Rev. Carl G. Horst read his annual minister's report and told of numerous donations made to the church and parish house.

A spirited blackboard campaign for subscriptions for the year to come was waged with Fred M. Rollins in charge. This resulted in a fair amount being realized. Thanks were voted for gifts made the society and it was voted that the parish committee appoint a committee to have in charge of the arrangements for the dedication of the parish house.

Charles T. Baker, chairman of the building committee, urged that the deficit of $400 necessary to complete the parish house fund be taken care of and a nominating committee for 1916 was elected consisting of:—James B. Geddes, Dr. John Merrill, Fred M. Rollins, Aylmer L. Hatch and Nathan S. Robinson.

TO TEACH HERE.

Miss Margaret Shyne, Miss Pauline Scollard and Miss Evelyn Steele, students at the Bridgewater Normal school, have been assigned as student teachers in Quincy schools. The appointments for practice teaching include a large number of students who are assigned to various towns and cities in the vicinity. The period extends from Feb. 1 to April 16.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Kincaide's Storage House.
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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Mrs. Arthur Harvey and daughter of Washington street are visiting relatives at Milltown on the cape.

Mrs. Catherine Saunders of North street is spending a few days with relatives in Dorchester.

Dr. Thomas R. Donavon of Fitchburg was the guest of Mr. John McAnarney of South street over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon have returned from a week's visit to Poland Springs, Me.

Mrs. W. H. Collier of Avon has been the guest recently of relatives in Wollaston.

W. D. O'Connell of Quincy is substituting for Mrs. F. X. Trudell at the Milford telegraph office.

An auction bridge party is to be given at the Quincy Women's club house Friday from 2 to 4 o'clock.

St. Francis Court, M. C. O. F., will hold its regular meeting tonight in their hall on Copeland street.

The Ladies' Society of St. Mary's church will hold a regular meeting this evening in the church.

The Finnish Temperance Society will hold its annual masquerade ball in their hall on Smith street Saturday evening, February sixth.

The meeting of the Delta Sigma club to have been held Monday evening was postponed two weeks on account of the rehearsal of the opera Mikado.

If any one desires an engraved invitation to the Panama exposition to forward to some friend they may obtain one by calling on the city clerk

Orrin W. Hollis of Braintree has bought Mrs. A. A. Brackett's place on Granite place, Milton, and will live there.

Mrs. Jacob Peterson of Grahan street is in Barre, Vermont where she went to attend the funeral of her uncle, Joseph Graham , a well known resident of that city.

Roy Paris of the Quincy Yacht Club was one of the speakers at the banquet of the Point Shirley Yacht club at the Quincy House, Boston last week.

The Ward One Republican committee has organized with Ira M. Whittemore, as chairman, Dr. A. H. Gilson as secretary and George Westland as treasurer. The City committee meets tonight for organization.

The third degree staff of Mt. Wollaston lodge I. O. O. F., will visit Puritan lodge at South Braintree this evening and exemplify that degree upon candidates for John Hancock Puritan and Mt. Wollaston lodge.

A neighborhood meeting of the First Parish Sunday school teachers and officers will be held in the social rooms at 7.30 P. M. Thursday. Braintree, Wollaston and Neponset will probably be represented.

Dr. A. H. Gilson attended a reunion of the Junior Baseball players of Massachusetts in 1873, 1874 and 1875 which was held at Arlington Saturday Dr. Gilson was a member of the old King Philips.

Madame Cara Sapin who aroused such great enthusiasm as soloist at the concert of the Wollaston Glee Club was an interested spectator at the operetta of "Priscilla" last Friday evening. Madame Sapin was the guest of Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney.

☞A new serial starts tomorrow in the Ledger. Don't miss it.

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DEATHS

THOMAS—In Quincy City Hospital, Jan. 25, Miss Ruth Mae Thomas, daughter of Mrs. Maria and the late Thomas Thomas of 60 Farrington street, in her 24th year.

FRENCH—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mabel Edna, beloved wife of William R. French and daughter of Mrs. Annie G. Grignon in her 19th year of 105 Independence avenue.

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LATE STORIES FROM WAR FRONT TEEMING WITH HUMAN INTEREST

German Officer, Mortally Wounded In Trench, Kept Diary of Anguish Ten Days.

Rich Aunt Demanded Real Heroism From Nephew. Devotion of Dog For Master.

FROM numerous sources stories from the front in the European war are reaching this country.

The devotion of a dog for his wounded master is described in a letter just received in New York city from Laurence V. Benet, a member of the committee of management of the American ambulance hospital in Paris:

"A very interesting case turned up a few days ago. A private soldier of a zouave regiment was severely wounded near the Belgian frontier. When he left Algiers he was followed by his dog, a very handsome white and liver colored setter, and this dog followed his company throughout the campaign and into the trenches, every night sharing his master's blanket, so that they managed to keep fairly warm and comfortable together. During a violent bombardment by the German artillery a heavy shell struck the parapet of the trench, killing about a dozen men and burying this man deeply under the earth. The dog managed to dig him out, exposing his face, before he was completely suffocated, and then managed to call the attention of men in the adjacent trench by seizing their clothing with his teeth and dragging them toward his buried master. The man was finally dug out and was found to be very badly wounded with fragments of shell, pebbles and pieces of earth that were driven into his body. He has lost one leg so far, and we may have to take the other off.

"The dog managed to force his way into the hospital train and reached Aubervilliers, near Paris, where man and dog were brought into our hospital with one of our ambulances. I had a kennel built for the dog, and he is now living near the kitchen and visits his master in the ward once or twice a day. It is really touching to see his devotion and his evident distress at his master's suffering."

Boasts of Twenty-six Wounds.

There is a friendly rivalry among the wounded in the Berlin hospitals for the distinction of having the worst shot up man in the war. One who claims twenty-six wounds holds the present record, but Horst Pfeiffer is envied for his remarkable combination of peril and luck.

Near Dixmude he received an order which he was to take on his bicycle to the firing line. He had to pass on his way a road that was exposed to a hot machine gun fire from the enemy. He was hit eight times and dropped off into a ditch at the side of the road, but succeeded nevertheless in handing his message to another soldier, who carried it to its destination. One bullet had grazed his skull, another passed through the upper jaw, one through the chin, one through the bone of the right arm, and one struck his left wrist. Two others struck his helmet and his shoes. His comrades finally succeeded in rescuing him from his dangerous position and sent him to Berlin, where he has been awarded an iron cross.

Auntie Wanted Real Hero.

An automobile drew up at the Quai d'Orsay, says Le Rire, and the chauffeur, a young man well groomed, shaved to perfection, wearing the uniform of a private and with a brassard on his arm bearing the letter A (auto service), jumped out and embraced an elderly woman who was walking along.

"My dear aunt! How are you? It is four months since I have seen you."

"Yes, I only got back to Paris yesterday. And you, my dear boy, how proud of you I am!"

"You ought to be. There are not many fellows who have gone through what I have."

"Tell me."

"In the first place, I was not anxious to carry a knapsack and trudge along. So I volunteered for service with my automobile and was at once accepted. Then came the first setback. They wanted to put a machine gun in the tonneau. I did not care for that sort of work, so I bought another machine, a light runabout, and abandoned my fifty horsepower. It cost 20,000 francs ($4,000), but my skin is worth that. The little machine struck the eye of a general in charge of a fortified camp and he made me his chauffeur. Fine. But at the end of September he caught cold and began to complain of the air at high speed.

"I said to myself, 'He is going to leave me for a closed machine.' In war, you know, one needs resolution and energy. I displayed both. I bought another machine, a big limousine, fitted de luxe, with a light motor, running smoothly and silently. It tickled him to death. It cost me 30,000 francs ($6,000) more, but what of that? My skin is worth it. So now, you see, my dear aunt, how your nephew extricated himself from difficult situations."

"And you really carried all this out yourself, my dear?"

"I certainly did, aunt."

"Tell me, my boy, you expect to be my heir, don't you?"

"I certainly hope so, my dear aunt; particularly after all these expenses."

"Well, remember, I am a woman of my word. If you do not leave your automobiles and your generals and the rest of your coddling, and if you don't try to get yourself killed before this war is over you shall not get a cent."

And the indignant dowager moved off, head in air.

His Wife's Allowance.

Illustrative of the social leveling influence of war, the following incident is told of two Englishmen:

A new commanding officer was questioning a smart young corporal.

"Are you married?" asked the officer.

"Yes, sir."

"Don't you think you ought to make her some allowance out of your pay?" continued the officer.

"If you think it necessary, sir," replied the private, "I will, sir. I'm keeping up the house and car and allowing her £600 a year, but if you think an extra sixpence a day would be any good to her I am perfectly willing."

War Redeems an Apache.

Not long before the war a notorious apache asked a Paris police captain for a job as stool pigeon, burglary being dull for the moment. The captain accepted, whereupon the apache held out his hand, but the captain turned away.

The other day the captain got a postcard from the apache at the front. It read:

"You refused to shake my hand lately. You were quite right. But now I think you'd consent to shake my hand, for I've only one left."

The captain admits he would shake hands now.

Put Batteries In White.

A device by which the Germans have helped winter mask their batteries in the field in northern France is described in a letter written to the Frankfurter Zeitung by a journalist now serving as an artillery officer at the front.

For weeks, he said, the German batteries in shifting positions had been hurling their iron hail against the French near Lille. Then snow fell, covering the landscape with white. In vain the French officers on observation sought to discover the German batteries as on the day before by watching for the sun glint on the metal parts. Everywhere there was but an unbroken stretch of white.

The Germans, the writer explains, had turned each battery into white by wrapping the wheels and gun carriage with white towels, sheets and curtains and stretching a white sheet in front of it. Suddenly a central patch in the white sheet was drawn away, and the white nose of the cannon was pointed upward through it. The very artilleryman who touched it off, the correspondent adds, was dressed in white from top to toe in a ludicrous long nightgown, and the entire battery and its crew were quite indistinguishable amid the white of the snow covered landscape.

Kept Diary of Anguish.

For ten nights during the recent heavy fighting in the vicinity of Ypres the soldiers in the opposing trenches listened to the plaintive cry of a wounded man. The trenches on both sides of a narrow, muddy canal were not more than 100 yards apart. Both Germans and French knew the cry was that of a wounded man in need of water.

Whenever a German or a Frenchman tried to creep out of a trench to reach the sufferer bullets found the would be rescuer. On the tenth day the battle tide rolled onward, and the French found in a hollow a German officer, his head pillowed on a knapsack, an open diary by his side. A smile was on his face. Between the leaves of the diary was a photograph of his wife and two little children.

A bayonet had pierced him through, but for nine days and nights before the end came he had devoted his ebbing strength to writing a record of anguish, physical and mental.

The diary has been sent to the lady of the photograph. On a blank page a French commander has written, "To the wife of a noble gentleman who died a hero."

Earl Thrice Wounded.

Lieutenant the Earl of Kingston, of the First Irish guards, ought, according to his own estimate, to be dead. He is now lying at the military hospital, Denmark hill, in southeast London, suffering from the effects of three bullet wounds and a fractured thigh. Telling how that came about, he said:

"We had a bad day on Nov. 1. About half past 7 o'clock in the morning the most damnable shell fire started, salvos of their big high explosives intermittently with what they call 'universal.' It has three distant bursts—one forward, one segmental and straight down, third segmental backward. This lasted till half past 1 o'clock. I called the roll in the trench and found I had only one killed and two wounded in spite of the spiteful fusillade. Of course, if we had not had a good trench we were all in.

"I walked down to the next trench, where Captain Mulholland was, reported all well, etc., and that I expected an attack. He had not had such a bad shelling, but had lost two more men than I. About 2 o'clock suddenly they started shelling again. Our guns answered their fire, but there was no sign of an attack. The howitzers, however, had our range exactly. Suddenly I saw the Gordons retiring, followed by thousands of Germans. We could do nothing. If we shot there was as much chance of killing our own men as the enemy, as they seemed all mixed up—Gordons, Oxfords and Germans.

"They were enfilading our trenches, so we drew back on our left fifty yards and I made our men start throwing up a lie down trench as best they could, but the enemy turned a Maxim on us and I went down before it was completed. I had a rotten time. They shot at me on the ground, and shells burst all round. I had had my hat shot away before I fell. Then my sergeant and a drummer carried me away. I hear since both chaps have been killed. It seems wonderful to be alive. Even when our medical officer was dressing me two shells came through the roof and he dropped my injured leg. How it did hurt! And, poor chap, he got covered with boiling water. I am afraid there are few left in the regiment."

Knew Where It Would End.

An officer attached to the British headquarters in a letter to his wife writes:

"In war the views and ideas of your enemy are at least as instructive and interesting as any comments you may hear from your own people. Therefore the following notions from the lips of a German officer recently captured are certainly worthy of your consideration, as the conclusion he drew contained a strong element of common sense.

"He was asked how long he thought the war would last. He replied that he was unable to form a definite opinion, but that he would be very pleased to prophesy where it would end. So he was asked to proceed and then said, 'Within forty yards of where I was captured.'"

What Worried Him.

Maurice Donnay has received at the French academy a letter from a friend in a dugout at the front. It contained not a word about the fighting or the "Jack Johnsons" or the weather in the trenches. The writer was troubled about only one thing—he was afraid that the academy, which has been revising its dictionary of the French language for about threescore years, might have already reached the letter "I," and about one word under the letter "I" this orthographer in the trenches holds strong views.

The word is that commonly and, according to him, wrongly written "inlassable" (indefatigable). He implored M. Donnay to bring all his influence to bear upon the academy to insure the word being written "llassable" in the revised edition of the dictionary. That was the only topic he wrote about. It was apparently the one uppermost in his mind.

M. Donnay assured him that the academy was working on the letter "E" and that the war would be over long before it got to "I."

Pictures Night Alarm.

The modern battlefield at night does not lack picturesqueness, according to a German officer whose opportunities to be impressed have been many. In a letter to a friend he wrote:

"Being on observation duty at night is not as lonely a job as you think. Time passes very quickly. There are nights, however, when every minute seems an hour. All that depends upon circumstances and your own frame of mind.

"War here is more intense than it is in the east. My observation post lies close to the lines of the French on a hill. From there I report the movements of the enemy and direct our artillery fire. Over me fly hundreds of shells and shrapnel from both sides.

"A shower of them came last night. Until about 10 o'clock all was quiet. From out of the night came the usual battlefield noises, if noises one could call them. Somewhere men spoke in an undertone, what language I don't know. Then came the sound of footfalls. A man coughed in a suppressed manner, and the steps of another were recorded by the faint voice of two metallic substances striking together. Then the steps and other sounds vanished, and I replaced my revolver.

"There was nothing to be seen until to my right the rifles in a French trench began to sputter. Little tongues of purplish fire seemed to leap across the ground, and through the air went the wail of thousands of bullets. What they shot at I could not discover—false alarm, of course. But they kept it up valiantly, and the excitement communicated itself to the trenches in front of me and to those beyond on my left.

"Headquarters wanted to know what was the matter. After confessing my ignorance I returned to my task of observing things in the dark. Soon the fire became general. The battlefield assumed an aspect which I would call beautifully terrible. There were moments when it resembled a large city in which the inhabitants passed the night by pulling up and down the shutters of their windows. Of a sudden whole rows of houses would be lighted up, as the men in the trenches fired volleys. For a moment a part of this city would lie in utter darkness, and then would rise from it the columns of fire emitted by the howitzer batteries. The pillars of fire would rise almost perpendicularly, giving the impression that you were looking upon a vast number of steel ovens.

"For the greater part of an hour the thrashing continued. Then the outbreaks lessened in volume and frequency and finally died out altogether."

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OPPOSE NOMINATION BY MORE THAN ONE PARTY

Ira M. Whittemore Chairman of Republican City Committee

Ira M. Whittemore will guide the destinies of the Republican city committee during the coming year, and as Ira is a hustler the committee hopes to obtain some of its old time activity. Mr. Whittemore was unanimously elected chairman of the committee at



IRA M. WHITTEMORE.

the annual meeting held Tuesday evening in the Johnson building. There was a good attendance of members from the different wards and considerable enthusiasm shown, and the committee expressed themselves as very optimistic as to the future of the party.

John R. Richards, chairman of the 1914 committee presided during the first part of the meeting. Before the city committee got down to business the several ward committees organized for the year. These organizations were as follows:

Ward One—Ira M. Whittemore, chairman; Dr. A. H. Gilson, secretary; George T. Westland, treasurer.

Ward Two—Harry G. Studley, chairman, Daniel Scouler, Jr. secretary and treasurer.

Ward Three—Robert B. Craig, chairman, Arthur Sylvester secretary and treasurer.

Ward Four—William H. Teasdale, chairman, William A. Beattie, secretary and treasurer.

Ward Five — Louis G. Cleaves, chairman, Percy L. Davidson secretary, Arthur B. Hillman, treasurer.

Ward Six—Frank E. Badger, chairman, James Thomas, secretary and treasurer.

In ward one it was announced that Charles H. Johnson had resigned from the committee and that Ross Y. Woodbury had been elected to fill the vacancy.

Before proceeding to organize, chairman Richards said that he had served for two years. He had tried to do his duty both as a member of the city council and on the city committee and had continued to take an active part to aid in bringing back the party to its proper standard. Now he believed the party was in the ascendancy and he wanted to step down and give some one else a chance.

The committee then organized as follows the election in every case being unanimous.

Chairman—Ira M. Whittemore.
Vice Chairman—Herbert G. Beeman.
Secretary—Dr. A. H. Gilson.
Treasurer—Russell T. Anthony.

In taking the office of chairman, Mr. Whittemore thanked the members for the honor conferred upon him. He said: "I considered it an honor to be elected president of the Republican city committee, but would not consider it an honor to be head of a dead committee. I hope that the members of the committee will attend the general meeting during coming year and that they will back me up. The future looks very bright for a Republican President, senate and congressmen in 1916. It is the duty of the committee to get together before the caucuses and select the best men for the positions and then stand by them."

Herbert G. Beeman in taking office said there were some things he wanted to say. He believed that if a member of the committee was a candidate for office he should resign from the committee.

Col. A. L. Whitman said that the committee should get together before the caucuses and then stand by the men nominated. He believed that a committee of three should be appointed to see our representatives in the legislature relative to the enactment of a law so that no man could run for nomination in a Republican caucus unless he was a Republican. The motion was voted and Messrs. Gilson, Whitman and Beeman were appointed.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Westland, Beattie and Burke were appointed to revise the rules of the committee.

Then followed an informal talk in which ex-Mayor Eugene R. Stone, Councilmen Robert B. Craig and Chas. S. Yule, George T. Westland, John R. Richards and others took part. The theme of their talk was that if a man intended to be a candidate for nomination by the Republican party that he should be affiliated with that party. It was the feeling that if a member of the committee did not desire to support the party nominee he should get off the committee and it was the general opinion that the rules should be provided that if a member of the committee refused to support the party candidate that he should be put off the committee.

It was also the general sense of the committee that the city committee should get together before the caucuses and select the best men and then work for their nomination.

A general stamp of disapproval was put on the scheme that was carried out last fall of a man seeking the nomination of three different parties and expecting the Republican committee to work for his election.

Ex-Mayor Stone believed that a little ginger should be injected into the committee and he believed that Ira Whittemore was the man who could do it. He sighed for the good old days when the committees got together and picked the best men and then went out and hustled for them.

Before adjourning President Whittemore asked that the several ward committees get together and that the chairmen try and get the members to attend meetings. He also expressed a desire to meet with the different committees.

Rising votes of thanks were extended to the retiring president, vice president and secretary.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Fair Thursday. Friday unsettled. Moderate winds.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.02
Sun sets	4.53
Length of day	9.51
Moon sets	5.31
High water, A. M.	9.16
High water, P. M.	9.45
Days increase	0 hrs. 45 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	34 degrees
Jan. 27, 1914,	38 degrees
Jan. 27, 1913,	51 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

TELLS EXPERIENCES AT WASHINGTON

Robert Lincoln O'Brien Speaker at Supper of Wollaston Club

MET MANY FAMOUS MEN

One of the most interesting evenings in the history of the Wollaston Congregational club was enjoyed, Tuesday evening, when Robert Lincoln O'Brien, for many years the Washington correspondent of a large Boston newspaper and now editor of the "Boston Herald," told of his experiences at the capitol and of the famous men with whom he had come in close personal contact.

From start to finish the talk was one of personal anecdotes, many humorous and all intensely interesting interspersed with comprehensive word portraits of the nation's presidents and others high up in the conduct of governmental affairs.

In opening he mentioned the latest news item from the White House which stated that the Sayre baby had received in all a bushel basket of footwear. The best part of the story he declared to be a fake. Some enterprising journalist had done the rest.

The extra work of the clerical force of the White House each time one of these fakes was put in circulation was described. He told of the fake report that some reporter started that the Cleveland baby had received 28 baby carriages. There were several hundred requests from all over the country asking for one of the extra carriages.

Mr. O'Brien called attention to our haphazard and care free selection of our chief executive. This often brings certain personalities out with dramatic suddenness in marked difference with the European custom where a life preparation is made.

McKinley hesitated long before appointing Roosevelt assistant secretary of the navy, fearing that he might be a bull in the china shop and little suspecting that the man would be his presidential successor. Garfield, when inaugurated, had not heard of Grover Cleveland who, four years later, was destined to hold the same office. The speaker showed how some of the ex-presidents fall back into obscurity telling anecdotes of U. S. Grant and Rutherford B. Hayes. Taft and Roosevelt are notable exceptions to this rule.

Speaking of the sudden ascension of presidential candidates Woodrow Wilson was mentioned, whose presidential qualities were first discovered by Colonel Harvey and who, but for his suggestion, might never have started on the road that leads to the White House. Colonel Harvey has another favorite in Senator Borah in 1916 but Editor O'Brien did not think that the selection would be successful.

It comes to be the general impression of newspaper men, he said, that there is a great deal of uniformity about the dust out of which all people are made and the so-called great men do not differ much from their humbler neighbors. He mentioned a certain vice-president about whom a newspaper man remarked "Adlai E. Stevenson, vice-president of the United States? Why, he would make a good selectman for the town of Abington."

There was one man who did not seem the same, said Mr. O'Brien. This was Theodore Roosevelt. He is an exceptional man with certain phases of genius that are little short of magical. He knew everything about everything that came along and had a magical capacity for absorbing the knowledge of what was round about him.

In his conversations he monopolized all talk and in a loud voice with absolutely no caution. He never cared what he said or who heard it. He is almost a mind reader in knowing what a person is going to say and generally interrupts them and an-

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EDWARD PARKER AGAIN CHAIRMAN

Democratic City Committee Hold Brief and Placid Session

REPORT ALL BILLS PAID

It required less than half an hour for the Democratic City Committee to organize for the year in Wilson's hall Tuesday night. Edward J. Parker was reelected chairman and Thomas Griffin, vice chairman. William J. Sullivan declined to run again as secretary and Edward Histon was chosen. James O'Dowd, councilman from Ward four, was elected treasurer. It was reported that the year was most successful and that all outstanding bills had been paid.

MAYOR CONFERS ON BOULEVARD

Mayor Campbell has held a conference with the Metropolitan Park Commissioners relative to commencing work on the extension of the Quincy shore boulevard from Wollaston beach to Hancock street at which he urged that work be commenced at once and that preference be given to citizens of Quincy who are out of employment. He is also to hold another conference with this board at an early date.

In connection with this work it will be of interest to note that the committee on Metropolitan affairs of the legislature reported favorably Tuesday on the bill for an appropriation to build a bridge over Black's creek in Quincy. This is the bridge that is necessary by the new route of the boulevard from Wollaston beach to Hancock street.

NAME OFFICIALS ON FRIDAY

Mayor Campbell has decided to issue a call for a special meeting of the city council for Friday evening. There are four items in the call. To receive a communication fro mthe mayor announcing his appointments, to receive a communication from the Mayor auative to the retirement of Lieut. Mark E. Hanson, to receive a communication appointing a special constable and to receive a communication with inclosure from the Port of Boston directors relative to a hearing on the erecting of a fence at tide water.

TO BEGIN CULVERT.

There is great rejoicing at Rock Island today when it was learned that at last work was to be commenced on the concrete bridge or culvert as it is called, over the river of water that crosses Winthrop street.

Work on this culvert was held up some time ago on account of objections of John T. Cavanagh, and the then acting mayor, Joseph L. Whiton, applied to the Directors of the Port of Boston for permission to build the culvert, which was granted. It was then necessary to obtain permission from the war department and the work has been held up waiting for that permission.

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QUINCY CATHOLIC CLUB GIVES PLAY

The "Real Thing" Proves To Be Just That on Tuesday Night

IS THREE ACT COMEDY

"The Real Thing," a comedy in three acts, was presented by the Quincy Catholic club at Alpha hall Tuesday evening. Although the stage was somewhat small for the requirements of the production and although the stage settings were meagre the play was a decided succees.

Men were barred but a good sized audience of the same sex as the players enjoyed the comedy.

The plot is a good one and the scenes are staged in New York and Arizona. The chief element of the piece, however, is the vein of bubbling humor which is nearly always manifest.

Miss Mary R. Lyons made her initial appearance in a female role, having appeared in male parts in previous productions by the club. She played the part of Mrs. John Mortimer Dr. Reister, the title role, with feeling and spirit, more than justifying the expectations of her friends.

Miss Elizabeth Mahoney as Aurora was girlish and attractive, helping Clifford in his love scene quite naturally.

Miss Nellie Desmond, the waiter, spoke her lines with precision.

Miss Anna J. Walsh as Jim Duffy was altogether too handsome for the bad chauffeur. The character was splendidly interpreted, nevertheless.

Madge, created by Miss Margaret eHaney, the haughty daughter, was finely done.

Miss Clara De Coste was a typical New York man of fashion and her cigarette lighting in the scene with Madge convulsed the house.

Harold, Madge's lover, as interpreted by Miss Lulu T. Crowley brought peals of laughter, which might easily have disconcerted many, but not this gay Lothario, who kept on talking, and perhaps only the coach knew how many of her lines were original.

Miss Corinne La Brecque was a most vivacious Dorothy.

Miss A. E. Picard was a dignified, aristocratic De Reister, bringing out the dramatic points in a convincing manner. She was the star of the evening.

The Luzette of Miss Josephine McCarthy was charming Miss Emma Bigness as Dick Murphy made a hit both in acting and costume a hard part well done.

The name of Mrs. A. Isabelle Davis, the reader, who coached the play, through an oversight did not appear on the program. Anyone who knows her work, however, could easily discern the careful coaching in the dramatic situations and stage positions. It was a finished performance.

The Catholic Club Orchestra the Misses McCarthy and Miss Harriet Pierce, rendered selections during the acts.

ERNEST WALLACE.

Ernest Wallace, 47, died this morning at his home at 124 Centre street. His death was sudden although he has been ill the past six months with heart disease. Mr. Wallace was a granite cutter by trade. He leaves a wife and several children.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS
New Half-Year

The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

ALBERT L. BARBOUR,
Superintendent.
Jan. 26-5t

FEARS FIRE LESS THAN PNEUMONIA

School Committee Considered Several Important Matters

"I had rather take a chance of my child getting burned than to have her run from a school building without wraps and run the risk of getting pneumonia," was the argument put up by one of a delegation of citizens from Wollaston who appeared before the school committee Tuesday evening and urged that the rule regarding fire drills be changed so that children might have time to put on their outer wraps. After hearing what the delegation had to say the school committee took the matter under advisement.

A delegation of citizens residing on Adams street appeared before the committee urging that their children, who were naturally in the Gridley Bryant district, be allowed to attend the Wollaston school. One of the arguments was that it was dangerous for the children to cross the tracks. The request was granted.

The following resignations were accepted: Raymond Fenner and Miss Edith Grant of the High school both of whom have accepted positions in the Springfield High school, and Miss Edith Cummings of the Wollaston school.

Miss Genevieve Egan was elected as teacher for the John Hancock school, Miss Ruth Wilkes for the Adams school, Miss Annie Cumming for the Wollaston and Miss Frances Kelley for the Coddington school.

An invitation was received and accepted from Dr. F. S. Andrews to attend a meeting relative to school dentistry to be held Friday evening at Hancock hall.

The chairman was authorized to arrange for a conference of the school committee with the Mayor, president of the city council and chairman of the finance and public buildings committees of the city council to discuss the needs of new school buildings.

A communication was received from the Quincy Women's club offering to defray the salary of a school nurse for the balance of the year. The offer was accepted and the committee appointed Miss Marion Jackson as school nurse. Miss Jackson is a graduate of Dr. Jeffrey R. Bracketts school for nurses. She has been in service at the Massachusetts General and also at the Quincy City Hospitals, where she has frequently acted as matron.

The statement of expenditures of the school department up to Jan. 26, were reported as follows:

Instruction	$15,088.83
Administration	509.26
Text Books	76.76
Stationery	559.42
Operation of Plant	3,688.34
Maintenance	18.50
Miscellaneous	130.60
Evening Schools	396.30
	$20,468.01
Industrial School	$1,117.03
Industrial Evening School	314.11
Total	$21,899.15

Chairman Mackay announced the following standing sub-committees for year 1915:

Books, Supplies and Sundries—Messrs. Foster, McPherson, Hunting.

Text Books— Messrs. Bushnell, Bruce, Curtis.

Transportation — Messrs. Diack, Newcomb, Mackay.

Evening Schools—Messrs. McPherson, Diack, Bruce.

Special Subjects—Messrs. Newcomb, Hunting, Foster.

Rules and Regulations— Messrs. Curtis, Bushnell, Foster.

Teachers—The Chairman , Messrs. Curtis, Hunting.

Finance and Salaries—The Chairman, Messrs. Hunting, Bushnell.

FOR THE DIFFERENT SCHOOLS.

High—Messrs. Mackay, Bruce Hunting.

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Atherton Hough—Messrs. Hunting, Foster, Bushnell.

Coddington—Messrs. Foster, Hunting, Mackay.

Cranch—Messrs. Hunting, Curtis, Diack.

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Lincoln—Messrs. Newcomb, Diack, Curtis.

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Montclair—Messrs. Bruce, Bushnell, Mackay.

Quincy—Messrs. Bruce, Hunting, Bushnell.

Washington—Messrs. Bushnell, Foster, Newcomb.

Willard—Messrs. McPherson, Curtis, Bruce.

Wollaston—Messrs. Curtis, Bruce, McPherson.

To serve with Chairman and Superintendent as a Committee on Use of School Halls—Mr. McPherson.

Advisory Committee on Industrial Education—Messrs. H. Gerrish Smith, Alexander W. Russell, Herbert S. Barker, Henry A. Marr, Charles L. Pratt.

RESIDENT MANY YEARS.

Mrs. John Evans Dies After Long Illness.

Mrs. John Evans died at her home 40 Copeland street Quincy, Tuesday after a prolonged illness. She was born in Wales, August 19, 1845.

Her death will be felt keenly by the few left of the early Welsh residents here. She will also be missed by the people of Bethany church of which she was a member for many years. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. H. Albertus Spear, Jr. of Walpole and Mrs. Arthur V. Curtis of Washington, D. C., and a son Frederick Evans and eleven grand-children.

The funeral will be held Friday.

RETURNS TO WORK.

Frank W. Perry of Arnold street, motorman of the Bay State Railway Company who injured the end of the index finger of his left hand the first of December so severely that a piece had to be amputated, went to work again this week. Mr. Perry is next to the oldest motorman in point of service.

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THE THUNDERER SPEAKS.

The American people are responding generously to the cries of war-ridden Europe, especially to the cries of Belgium, "the rag doll of Europe," as Irvin Cobb calls her. The bread which we thus in the kindness of our hearts cast upon the troubled waters will be returned some day. Already foreign nations are beginning to fall under the influence of American kindness and generosity. When the war is over the peoples who have suffered so grievously will remember that in their days of trial their best and truest friend was the great nation which remained at peace.

The greatest and most powerful newspaper in the world, the London Times, has this to say about America:

The Americans are neutrals in the great quarrel which rends the world and they have freely extended their charity to all whom it has visited. But to us as their kin by blood and still more their kin in manners and in thought, they have exhibited a special friendship that has touched us very nearly. We do not speak of the support which American opinion has given our cause, steady though it has been, and highly as we prize it. We refer to the material proofs of sympathy and of affection for us which they have shown in the noble work they have done for our wounded and for the victims of the war. In all our history there has been no work like it. Never before have we received from another people proofs so moving of interest and of regard. We are not an effusive nation. In sorrow and in trial, as in joy, we have kept less of the old Elizabethan expansiveness than our kinsfolk who took it with them across the Atlantic three centuries ago. But their munificence, and, still more than their munificence, the self-sacrifice and the warm kindliness that underlie it, have sunk deep into our hearts. We are slow to express our feelings even before our closest friends. The feelings, as we think Americans know, are not the less strong for that.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

The enactment of a federal child labor law, advocated so logically and intelligently, by Rev. Carl G. Horst in his Sunday morning sermon at the Wollaston Unitarian church, would be a wise as well as a humanitarian act. If constitutional Congress should pass such a measure. If not constitutional then let the regular machinery for a constitutional Amendment be set in motion.

As Rev. Mr. Horst points out "such a law will give to state officials the help of federal authorities in enforcing child labor laws will equalize competition between manufacturers engaged in interstate commerce, check the migration of factories in search of unrestricted employment of children, prevent the exploitation of children in certain industries, and awaken all the states to their obligation to conserve and develop good citizens."

THE MODERN WIZARD.

Many great inventors have not lived to see the full fruits of their labor. It must be a source of genuine pleasure to everyone that Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of that great adjunct to modern business and social life, has been spared to see the acme of telephone achievement, the crossing of the continent in one-fifteenth of a second. The great transcontinental wire is now completed. Boston can talk directly to San Francisco.

Quincy feels an especial interest in the long distance telephone conversation in Boston Monday evening because a citizen of a neighboring town, Thomas A. Watson of Braintree, as a young mechanic some 40 years ago assisted Bell in the early experiments. It was fitting, therefore, that the voice which came over the wire from San Francisco Monday night should be the voice of Mr. Watson.

What next in fashion's sphere? The latest thing is artificial flowers for millinery which enclose tiny incandescent lamps, the batteries being worn inside the hat's crown.

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FIRST EPISODE

The Clutching Hand.

"There must be something new in order to catch criminals nowadays. The old methods are all right—as far as they go. But while we have been using them, criminals have kept pace with modern science."

Craig Kennedy laid down his newspaper and filled his pipe with my tobacco. In college we had roomed together, had shared everything, even poverty, and now that Craig was a professor of chemistry in charge of the laboratory at the university and I had a sort of roving commission on the staff of the Star, we had continued our arrangement.

"It has always seemed strange to me," he went on slowly, "that no one has ever endowed a professorship in criminal science in any of the large colleges."

I tossed aside my own paper and retrieved the tobacco.

"Why should there be a chair in criminal science?" I replied argumentatively, settling back in my chair. "I've done my turn at police headquarters reporting, and I can tell you, Craig, it's no place for a college professor. Crime is—just crime. And as for dealing with it the great detective is born and bred to it. College professors for the sociology of the thing—yes; for the detection of it, give me a Byrnes."

"On the contrary," persisted Kennedy, his clean-cut features betraying an earnestness which I knew indicated that he was leading up to something of importance, "there is a distinct place for science in the detection of crime. Today we have professors of everything—why not professors of crime science?"

Still, as I shook my head dubiously, he hastened to clinch his point. "Colleges have got down to solving the hard facts of life, nowadays—pretty nearly all, except one. They still treat crime in the old way, study its statistics and pore over its causes and the theories of how it can be prevented and punished. But as for running down the criminal himself, scientifically, relentlessly—bah! we haven't made enough progress to mention since the hammer and tongs method of your sainted Byrnes."

"Doubtless you will write a brochure on this most interesting subject," I suggested, "and let it go at that."

"No, I am serious," he replied, determined for some reason or other to make a convert of me. "I mean exactly what I say. I am going to apply science to the detection of crime, the same sort of methods by which we trace out the presence of a mysterious chemical or track down a deadly germ. And before I have gone far, I am going to enlist Walter Jameson as an aid. I think I shall need you in my business."

"How do I come in?" I asked.

"Well, for one thing, you will get a 'scoop,' a 'beat'—whatever you call it in that newspaper jargon of yours."

"Fortunately, Walter," he pursued, "the crime-hunters have gone ahead in science faster than the criminals. It's to be my job to catch criminals. Yours, it seems to me, is to show people how they can never hope to beat the modern scientific detective."

"Go as far as you like," I exclaimed, convinced at last.

And so it was that we formed this strange new partnership in crime science that has existed ever since.

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"Jameson, here's a story I wish you'd follow up," remarked the managing editor of the Star to me one evening after I had turned in an assignment of the late afternoon.

He handed me a clipping from the evening edition of the Star, and I quickly ran my eye over the headline:

"THE CLUTCHING HAND" WINS AGAIN.

NEW YORK MYSTERIOUS MASTER CRIMINAL PERFECTS ANOTHER COUP.

City Police Completely Baffled

"Here's this murder of Fletcher, the retired banker and trustee of the university," he explained. "Not a clue—except a warning letter signed with this mysterious clutching fist. Last week it was the robbery of the Haxworth jewels and the killing of old Haxworth. Again that curious sign of the hand. Then there was the dastardly attempt on Sherburne, the steel magnate. Not a trace of the assailant except this same clutching fist. So it has gone, Jameson—the most alarming and inexplicable series of murders that has ever happened in this country. And nothing but this uncanny hand to trace them by."

The editor paused a moment, then exclaimed: "Why, this fellow seems to take a diabolical—I might almost say pathological—pleasure in crimes of violence, revenge, avarice and self-protection. Sometimes it seems as if he delights in the pure deviltry of the thing. It is weird."

He leaned over and spoke in a low, tense tone. "Strangest of all, the tip has just come to us that Fletcher, Haxworth, Sherburne and all the rest of these wealthy men were insured in the Consolidated Mutual Life. Now, Jameson, I want you to find Taylor Dodge, the president, and interview him. Get what you can, at any cost."

I had naturally thought first of Kennedy, but there was no time now to call him up and, besides, I must see Dodge immediately.

Dodge, I discovered over the telephone, was not at home nor at any of the clubs to which he belonged. Late though it was I concluded that he was at his office. No amount of persuasion could get me past the door, and, though I found out later and shall tell soon what was going on there, I determined, about nine o'clock, that the best way to get at Dodge was to go to his house on Fifth avenue, if I had to camp on his front doorstep until morning. The harder I found the story to get the more I wanted it.

With some misgivings about being admitted, I rang the bell of the splendid, though not very modern, Dodge residence. An English butler, with a nose that must have been his fortune, opened the door and gravely informed me that Mr. Dodge was not at home, but was expected at any moment.

Once in, I was not going lightly to give up that advantage. I bethought myself of his daughter Elaine, one of the most popular debutantes of the season, and sent in my card to her, on a chance of interesting her and seeing her father, writing on the bottom of the card: "Would like to interview Mr. Dodge regarding Clutching Hand."

Summoning up what assurance I had, which is sometimes considerable, I followed the butler down the hall as he bore my card. As he opened the door of the drawing-room, I caught a vision of a slip of a girl in evening clothes.

Elaine Dodge was both the ingenue and the athlete—the thoroughly modern type of girl—equally at home with tennis and tango, table talk and tea.

Near her I recognized from his pictures Harry Bennett, the rising young corporation lawyer, a mighty good-looking fellow, with an affable, pleasing way about him, perhaps thirty-five years old or so, but already prominent and quite friendly with Dodge.

"Who is it, Jennings?" she asked.

"A reporter, Miss Dodge," answered the butler, glancing superciliously back at me. "And you know how your father dislikes to see anyone here at the house," he added deferentially to her.

"Miss Dodge," I pleaded, bowing as if I had known them all my life, "I've been trying to find your father all the evening. It's very important."

She looked up at me surprised and in doubt whether to laugh or stamp her pretty little foot in indignation at my stupendous nerve.

She laughed. "You are a very brave young man," she rippled with a roguish look at Bennett's discomfiture over the interruption of the tete-a-tete.

There was a note of seriousness in it, too, that made me ask quickly, "Why?"

The smile flitted from her face, and in its place came a frank earnest expression, which I later learned to like and respect very much. "My father has declared he will eat the very next reporter who tries to interview him here," she answered.

I was about to prolong the waiting time by some jolly about such a stunning girl not having by any possibility such a cannibal of a parent, when the rattle of the changing gears of a car outside told of the approach of a limousine.

The big front door opened and Elaine flung herself in the arms of an elderly, stern-faced, gray-haired man. "Why, dad," she cried, "where have you been? I missed you so much at dinner. I'll be so glad when this terrible business gets cleared up. Tell—me. What is on your mind? What is it that worries you now?"

I noticed then that Dodge seemed wrought up and a bit unnerved, for he sank rather heavily into a chair, brushed his face with his handkerchief and breathed heavily. Elaine hovered over him solicitously, repeating her question.

With a mighty effort he seemed to get himself together. He rose and turned to Bennett.

"Harry," he exclaimed, "I've got the Clutching Hand!"

The two men stared at each other.

"Yes," continued Dodge, "I've found out how to trace it, and tomorrow I am going to set the alarms of the city at rest by exposing—"

Just then Dodge caught sight of me. For the moment I thought perhaps he was going to fulfill his threat.

"Who the devil—why didn't you tell me a reporter was here, Jennings?" he sputtered indignantly, pointing toward the door.

Argument, entreaty, were of no avail. There was nothing to do but go.

At least, I reflected, I had the greater part of the story—all except the one big thing, however—the name of the criminal. But Dodge would know him tomorrow!

I hurried back to the Star to write my story in time to catch the last morning edition.

Meanwhile, if I may anticipate my story, I must tell of what we later learned had happened to Dodge so completely to upset him.

Ever since the Consolidated Mutual had been hit by the murders he had had many lines out in the hope of enmeshing the perpetrator. That night, as I found out the next day, he had at last heard of a clue. One of the company's detectives had brought in a red-headed, lame, partly paralyzed crook, who enjoyed the expressive monniker of "Limpy Red." Limpy Red was a gunman of some renown, evil-faced and, having nothing much to lose, desperate. Whoever the master criminal of the clutching hand might have been he had seen fit to employ Limpy, but had not taken the precaution of getting rid of him soon enough when he was through.

Therefore Limpy had a grievance, and now descended under pressure to the low level of snitching to Dodge in his office.

"No, governor," the trembling wretch had said as he handed over a grimy envelope, "I ain't never seen his face—but here is directions how to find his hangout."

As Limpy ambled out, he turned to Dodge, quivering at the enormity of his



"Don't Let On How You Found Out!"

unpardonable sin in gangland: "For God's sake, governor," he implored, "don't let on how you found out!"

And yet Limpy Red had scarcely left with his promise not to tell, when Dodge, happening to turn over some papers, came upon an envelope left on his own desk, bearing that mysterious clutching hand!

He tore it open, and read in amazement:

"Destroy Limpy Red's instructions within the next hour."

Dodge gazed about in wonder. This was getting on his nerves. He determined to go home and rest.

Outside the house, as he left his car, pasted over the monogram on the door, he had found another note, with the same weird mark and the single word:

"Remember!"

In spite of the pleadings of young Bennett, Dodge refused to take warning. In the safe in his beautifully fitted library he deposited Limpy's document in an envelope containing all the correspondence that had led up to the final step in the discovery.

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It was late in the evening when I returned to our apartment and, not finding Kennedy there, knew that I would discover him at the laboratory.

"Craig," I cried as I burst in on him. "I've got a case for you—greater than any ever before."

Kennedy looked up calmly from the ruck of scientific instruments that surrounded him—test tubes, beakers, carefully labeled bottles.

"Indeed?" he remarked, coolly going back to his work.

"Yes," I cried. "It is a scientific criminal who seems to leave no clues."

Kennedy looked up gravely. "Every criminal leaves a trace," he said quietly. "If it hasn't been found, then it must be because no one has ever looked for it in the right way."

Still gazing at me keenly, he added: "Yes, I already knew there was such a man at large. I have been called in on that Fletcher case—he was a trustee of the university, you know."

"All right," I exclaimed, a little nettled that he should have anticipated me even so much in the case. "But you haven't heard the latest."

"What is it?" he asked with provoking calmness.

"Taylor Dodge," I blurted out, "has the clue. Tomorrow he will track down the man!"

Kennedy fairly jumped as I repeated the news.

"How long has he known?" he demanded eagerly.

"Perhaps three or four hours," I hazarded.

Kennedy gazed at me fixedly.

"Then Taylor Dodge is dead!" he exclaimed, throwing off his acid-stained laboratory jacket, and hurrying into his street clothes.

"Impossible!" I ejaculated.

Kennedy paid no attention to the objection. "Come, Walter," he urged. "We must hurry before the trail gets cold."

There was something positively uncanny about Kennedy's assurance. I doubted—yet I feared.

It was well past the middle of the night when we pulled up in a night-hawk taxicab before the Dodge house, mounted the steps and rang the bell.

Jennings answered sleepily, but not so much so that he did not recognize me. He was about to bang the door shut when Kennedy interposed his foot.

"Where is Mr. Dodge?" asked Kennedy. "Is he all right?"

"Of course he is—in bed," replied the butler.

Just then we heard a faint cry, like nothing exactly human. Or was it our heightened imaginations, under the spell of the darkness?

"Listen!" cautioned Kennedy.

We did, standing there now in the hall. Kennedy was the only one of us who was cool. Jennings' face blanched, then he turned tremblingly and went down to the library door, whence the sounds had seemed to come.

He called, but there was no answer. He turned the knob and opened the door. The Dodge library was a large room. In the center stood a big, flat-topped desk of heavy mahogany. It was brilliantly lighted.

At one end of the desk was a telephone. Taylor Dodge was lying on the floor at that end of the desk—perfectly rigid—his face distorted—a ghastly figure. A pet dog ran over, sniffed frantically at his master's legs and suddenly began to howl dismally.

Dodge was dead!

"Help!" shouted Jennings.

Others of the servants came rushing in. There was, for the moment, the greatest excitement and confusion.

Suddenly a wild figure in flying garments flitted down the stairs and into the library, dropping beside the dead man, without seeming to notice us at all.

"Father!" shrieked a woman's voice, heart-broken. "Father! Oh—my God—he—he is dead!"

It was Elaine Dodge.

With a mighty effort, the heroic girl seemed to pull herself together.

"Jennings," she cried, "call Mr. Bennett—immediately!"

From the one-sided, excited conversation of the butler over the telephone, I gathered that Bennett had been in the process of disrobing in his own apartment uptown, and would be right down.

Together, Kennedy, Elaine and myself lifted Dodge to a sofa and Elaine's aunt, Josephine, with whom she lived, appeared on the scene, trying to quiet the sobbing girl.

Kennedy and I withdrew a little way, and he looked about curiously.

"What was it?" I whispered. "Was it natural, an accident, or—or murder?" The word seemed to stick in my throat. If it was a murder, what was the motive? Could it have been to get the evidence which Dodge had that would incriminate the master criminal?

Kennedy moved over quietly and examined the body of Dodge. When he rose his face had a peculiar look.

"Terrible!" he whispered to me. "Apparently he had been working at his accustomed place at the desk when the telephone rang. He rose and crossed over to it. See! That brought his feet on this register let into the floor. As he took the telephone receiver down a flash of light must have shot from it to his ear. It shows the characteristic electric burn."

"The motive?" I queried.

"Evidently his pockets had been gone through, though none of the valuables were missing. Things on his desk show that a hasty search has been made."

Just then the door opened and Bennett burst in.

As he stood over the body, gazing down at it, repressing the emotions of a strong man, he turned to Elaine, and in a low voice exclaimed: "The Clutched Hand did this. I shall consecrate my life to bring this man to justice!"

He spoke tensely, and Elaine, looking up into his face, as if imploring his help in her hour of need, unable to speak, merely grasped his hand.

Kennedy, who, in the meantime, had stood apart from the rest of us, was examining the telephone carefully.

"A clever crook," I heard him mutter between his teeth. "He must have worn gloves. Not a finger print—at least here."

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Perhaps I can do no better than to reconstruct the crime as Kennedy later pieced these startling events together.

Long after I had left and even after Bennett left, Dodge continued working in his library, for he was known as a prodigious worker.

Had he taken the trouble, however, to pause and peer out into the moonlight that flooded the back of his house, he might have seen the figures of two stealthy crooks crouching in the half shadows of one of the cellar windows, one crook, at least, masked.

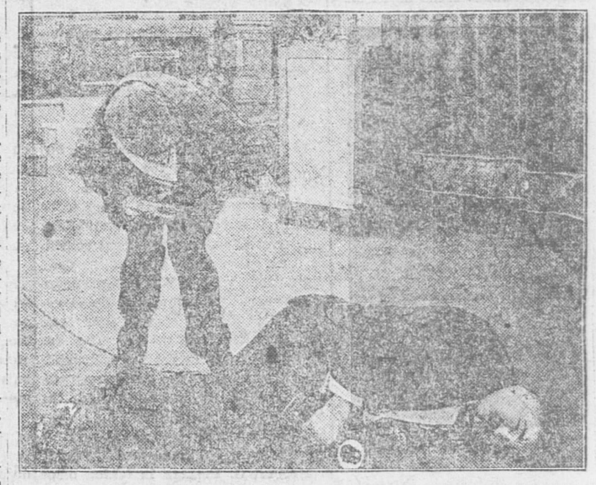
The masked crook held in his hands carefully the ends of two wires attached to an electric feed, and, sending his pal to keep watch outside, he entered the cellar of the Dodge house through a window, whose pane they had carefully removed. As he came through the window he dragged the wires with him, and, after a moment's reconnoitering, attached them to the furnace pipe of the old-fashioned hot-air heater, where the pipe ran up through the floor to the library above. The other wire was quickly attached to the telephone where its wires entered.

Upstairs Dodge, evidently uneasy in his mind about the precious Limpy Red letter, took it from the safe along with most of the other correspondence and, pressing a hidden spring in the wall, opened a secret panel and placed most of the important documents in this hiding place.

Downstairs the masked master criminal had already attached a voltmeter to the wires he had installed, waiting.

Just then could be heard the tinkle of Dodge's telephone, and the old man rose to answer it. As he did so he placed his foot on the iron register, his hand taking the telephone and the receiver. At that instant came a powerful electric flash. Dodge sank on the floor, clutching the instrument, electrocuted.

A moment later the criminal slid silently into Dodge's room. Carefully putting on rubber gloves and avoiding



The Criminal Slid Silently Into Dodge's Room.

touching the register, he wrenched the telephone from the grasp of the dead man, replacing it in its normal position. Only for a second did he pause to look at his victim as he destroyed the evidence of his work.

Minutes were precious. First Dodge's pockets, then his desk engaged his attention. There was left the safe.

As he approached the strong box, the master criminal took two vials from his pocket. Removing a bust of Webster that stood on the safe, he poured the contents of the vials in two mixed masses of powder, forming a heap on the safe, into which he inserted two magnesium wires.

He lighted them, sprang back, hiding his eyes from the light, and a blinding gush of flame, lasting perhaps ten seconds, poured out from the top of the safe.

It was not an explosion, but just a dazzling, intense flame that sizzled and crackled. It seemed impossible, but the glowing mass was literally sinking, sinking down into the cold steel. At last it burned through—as if the safe had been of tinder!

Without waiting a moment longer than necessary, the masked criminal advanced again and actually put his hands down through the top of the safe, pulling out a bunch of papers. Quickly he thrust them all, with just a glance, into his pocket.

Still working quickly, he took the bust of the great orator, which he had removed, and placed it under the light. Next, from his pocket he drew two curious stencils, as it were, which he had apparently carefully prepared. With his hands, still carefully gloved, he rubbed the stencils on his hair, as if to cover them with a film of natural oils. Then he deliberately pressed them over the statue in several places. It was a peculiar action, and he seemed to fairly gloat over it when it was done and the bust returned to its place, covering the hole.

As noiselessly as he had come, he made his exit after one last malignant look at Dodge. It was now but the work of a moment to remove the wires he had placed and climb out of the window, taking them and destroying the evidence down in the cellar.

A low whistle from the masked crook, now again in the shadow, brought his pal stealthily to his side.

"It's all right," he whispered hoarsely to the man. "Now you attend to Limpy Red."

The villainous looking pal nodded and, without another word, the two made their getaway, safely, in opposite directions.

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When Limpy Red, still trembling, left the office of Dodge earlier in the evening, he had repaired as fast as his shambling feet would take him to his favorite dive up on Park Row.

Had the Bowery "sinkers" not got into his eyes he might have noticed among the late revelers a man who spoke to no one, but took his place near by at the bar.

Limpy had long since reached the point of saturation and lurching forth from his new found cronies he sought other fields of excitement. Likewise did the newcomer, who bore a strange resemblance to the lookout who had been stationed outside at the Dodge house a scant half hour before.

What happened later was only a matter of seconds—and waiting until the hated snitch—for gangdom hates the informer worse than anything else dead or alive—had turned a sufficiently dark and deserted corner.

A muffled thud, a stifled groan followed as a heavy section of lead pipe wrapped in a newspaper descended on the crass skull of Limpy.

It was the vengeance of the Clutching Hand—swift, sure, remorseless.

And yet it had not been a night of complete success for the master criminal, as anyone might have seen who could have followed his sinuous route to a place of greater safety. Unable to wait longer, he pulled the papers he had taken from the safe from his pocket. His chagrin at finding most of them to be blank found only one expression of foiled fury—that menacing clutching hand—the real one!

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Kennedy had turned from his futile examination for marks on the telephone. There stood the safe, a moderate sized strong box, but of a modern type. He tried the door. It was locked. There was not a mark on it. The combination had not been tampered with. Nor had there been any attempt to "soup" the safe.

With a quick motion he felt in his pocket as if looking for gloves. Finding none, he glanced about and seized two pieces of paper from the desk. With them, in order not to confuse any possible finger prints on the bust, he lifted it off.

I gave a gasp of surprise.

There, in the top of the safe, yawned a gaping hole, through which one could have thrust his arm!

"What is it?" we asked, crowding about him.

"Thermit," he replied laconically.

"Thermit?" I repeated.

"Yes—a compound of iron oxide and powdered aluminum, invented by a chemist at Essen, Germany. It gives a temperature of over five thousand degrees. It will eat its way through the strongest steel."

Jennings, his mouth wide open with wonder, advanced to take the bust from Kennedy.

"No—don't touch it," he waved him off, laying the bust on the desk. "I want no one to touch it—don't you see how careful I was to use the paper, that there might be no question about any clue this fellow may have left on the marble?"

As he spoke, Craig was dusting over the surface of the bust with some black powder.

"Look!" exclaimed Craig suddenly.

"Finger prints!" I cried excitedly.

"Yes," nodded Kennedy, studying them closely. "A clue—perhaps."

"What—those little marks—a clue?" asked a voice behind us.

I turned and saw Elaine looking over our shoulders, fascinated. It was evidently the first time she had realized that Kennedy was in the room.

"How can you tell anything by that?" she asked.

"Why, easily," he answered, picking up a glass paper weight which lay on the desk. "You see, I place my finger on this weight—so. You could see it even without the powder on this glass. Do you see those lines? There are various types of markings—four general types—and each persons' markings are different, even if of the same general type—loop, whorl, arch or composite."

He continued working as he talked. "Your thumb marks, for example, Miss Dodge, are different from mine. Mr. Jameson's are different from both of us. And this fellow's finger prints are still different. It is mathematically impossible to find two alike in every respect."

Kennedy was holding the paper weight near the bust as he talked.

I shall never forget the look of blank amazement on his face as he bent over closer.

"My God!" he exclaimed excitedly, "this fellow is a master criminal! He has made stencils or something of the sort on which, by some mechanical process, he has actually forged the hitherto infallible finger prints!"

I, too, bent over and studied the marks on the bust and those Kennedy had made on the paper weight to show Elaine.

THE FINGER PRINTS ON THE BUST WERE KENNEDY'S OWN.

SECOND EPISODE

The "Twilight Sleep."

Kennedy had thrown himself wholeheartedly into the solution of the mysterious Dodge case.

Far into the night, after the challenge of the forged finger print, he continued at work, endeavoring to extract a clue from the meager evidence—a bit of cloth and trace of poison already obtained from other cases.

We dropped around at the Dodge house the next morning. Early though it was, we found Elaine a trifle paler, but more lovely than ever, and Perry Bennett, themselves vainly endeavoring to solve the mystery of the Clutching Hand.

They were at Dodge's desk, she in the big desk chair, he standing beside her looking over some papers.

"There's nothing there," Bennett was saying as we entered.

I could not help feeling that he was gazing down at Elaine a bit more tenderly than mere business warranted.

"Have you—found anything?" queried Elaine anxiously, turning eagerly to Kennedy.

"Nothing—yet," he answered, shaking his head, but conveying a quiet idea of confidence in his tone.

Just then Jennings, the butler, entered, bringing the morning papers. Elaine seized the Star and hastily opened it. On the first page was the story I had telephoned down very late in the hope of catching a last city edition.

We all bent over and Craig read aloud:

"CLUTCHING HAND"

STILL AT LARGE

New York's Master Criminal Remains Undetected—Perpetrates New Daring Murder and Robbery on Millionaire Dodge.

He had scarcely finished reading the brief but alarming news story that followed and laid the paper on the desk when a stone came smashing through the window from the street.

Startled, we all jumped to our feet. Craig hurried to the window. Not a soul was in sight!

He stooped and picked up the stone. To it was attached a piece of paper. Quickly he unfolded it and read:

"Craig Kennedy will give up his search for the 'Clutching Hand'—or die!"

Later I recalled that there seemed to be a slight noise downstairs, as if at the cellar window, through which the masked man had entered the night before.

In point of fact, one who had been outside at the time might actually have seen a sinister face at that cellar window, but to us upstairs it was invisible. The face was that of the servant, Michael.

Without another word Kennedy passed into the drawing room and took his hat and coat. Both Elaine and Bennett followed.

"I'm afraid I must ask you to excuse me—for the present," Craig apologized.

Elaine looked at him anxiously.

"You—you will not let that letter intimidate you?" she pleaded, laying her soft white hand on his arm. "Oh, Mr. Kennedy," she added, bravely keeping back the tears, "avenge him! All the money in the world would be too little to pay—if only—"

At the mere mention of money Kennedy's face seemed to cloud, but only for a moment.

"I'll try," he said simply.

Elaine did not withdraw her hand as she continued to look up at him.

"Miss Dodge," he went on, his voice steady, as though he were repressing something, "I will never take another case until the 'Clutching Hand' is captured."

The look of gratitude she gave him would have been a princely reward in itself.

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It was some time after these events that Kennedy, reconstructing what had happened, ran across, in a strange way which I need not tire the reader by telling, a Doctor Haynes, head of the Hillside Sanitarium for Women, whose story I shall relate substantially as we received it from his own lips:

It must have been that same night a distinguished visitor drove up in a cab to our Hillside sanitarium, rang the bell and was admitted to my office.

I am, by the way, the superintending physician, and that night I was sitting with Doctor Thompson, my assistant, in the office discussing a rather interesting case, when an attendant came in with a card and handed it to me. It read simply, "Dr. Ludwig Reinstrom, Coblenz."

"Here's that Doctor Reinstrom, Thompson, about whom my friend in Germany wrote the other day," I remarked, nodding to the attendant to admit Doctor Reinstrom.

I might explain that while I was abroad some time ago I made a particular study of the "Daemmerschlaf"—otherwise, the "twilight sleep"—at Freiburg where it was developed, and at other places in Germany where the subject had attracted great attention. I was much impressed and had imported the treatment to Hillside.

While we waited I reached into my desk and drew out the letter to which I referred, which ended, I recall:

"As Doctor Reinstrom is in America, he will probably call on you. I am sure you will be glad to know him.

"With kindest regards, I am,

"Fraternally yours,

EMIL SCHWARZ, M. D.,

"Director, Leipsic Institute of Medicine."

"Most happy to meet you, Doctor Reinstrom," I greeted the new arrival, as he entered our office.

For several minutes we sat and chatted of things medical here and abroad.

"What is it, doctor," I asked finally, "that interests you most in America?"

"Oh," he replied quickly with an expressive gesture, "it is the broadmindedness with which you adopt the best from all over the world, regardless of prejudice. For instance, I am very much interested in the new 'twilight sleep.' Of course, you have borrowed it largely from us, but it interests me to see whether you have modified it with practice. In fact, I have come to Hillside sanitarium particularly to see it used. Perhaps we may learn something from you."

It was most gracious, and both Doctor Thompson and myself were charmed by our visitor. I reached over and touched a call button and our head nurse entered from a rear room.

"Are there any operations going on now?" I asked.

She looked mechanically at her watch. "Yes, there are two cases, now, I think," she answered.

"Would you like to follow our technique?" I asked, turning to Doctor Reinstrom.

"I should be delighted," he acquiesced.

A moment later we passed down the corridor of the sanitarium, still chatting. At the door of a ward I spoke to the attendant, who indicated that a patient was about to be anesthetized, and Doctor Reinstrom and I entered the room.

There, in perfect quiet, which is an essential part of the treatment, were several woman patients lying in bed in the ward. Before us two nurses and a doctor were in attendance on one.

I spoke to the doctor, Doctor Holmes, by the way, who bowed politely to the distinguished Doctor Reinstrom, then turned quickly to his work.

"Miss Sears," he asked of one of the nurses, "will you bring me that hypodermic needle?"

"You will see, Doctor Reinstrom," I injected in a low tone, "that we follow in the main your Freiburg treatment. We use scopolamin and narkophin."

I held up the bottle, as I said it, a rather peculiar shaped bottle, too.

"And the pain?" he asked.

"Practically the same as in your experience abroad. We do not render the patient unconscious, but prevent her from remembering anything that goes on."

Doctor Holmes, the attending physician, was just starting the treatment. Filling his hypodermic, he selected a spot on the patient's arm where it had been scrubbed and sterilized, and injected the narcotic.

"And you say they have no recollection of anything that happens?" asked Reinstrom.

"Absolutely none—if the treatment is given properly," I replied, confidently.

"Wonderful!" ejaculated Reinstrom as we left the room.

Now comes the strange part of my story. After Reinstrom had gone, Doctor Holmes, the attending physician of the woman whom he had seen anesthetized, missed his syringe and the bottle of scopolamin.

Holmes, Miss Sears and Miss Stern all hunted, but it could not be found. Others had to be procured.

I thought little of it at the time, but since then it has occurred to me that it might interest you, Professor Kennedy, and I give it to you for what it may be worth.

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It was early the next morning that I awoke to find Kennedy already up and gone from our apartment. I knew he must be at the laboratory, and, gathering the mail, which the postman had just slipped through the letter slot, I went over to the university to see him. As I looked over the letters to cull out my own one in a woman's handwriting on attractive note paper addressed to him caught my eye.

As I came up the path to the chemistry building I saw through the window that, in spite of his getting there early, he was finding it difficult to keep his mind on his work. It was the first time I had ever known anything to interfere with science in his life.

"Well," I exclaimed as I entered, "you are the early bird. Did you have any breakfast?"

I tossed down the letters. He did not reply. So I became absorbed in the morning paper. Still, I did not neglect to watch him covertly out of the corner of my eye. Quickly he ran over the letters, instead of taking them, one by one, in his usual methodical way. I quite complimented my superior acumen. He selected the dainty note.

A moment Craig looked at it in anticipation, then tore it open eagerly. I was still watching his face over the top of the paper and was surprised to see that it showed, first, amazement, then pain, as though something had hurt him.

He read it again—then looked straight ahead, as if in a daze.

Suddenly he jumped up, bringing his tightly clenched fist down with a loud clap into the palm of his hand.

"By heaven!" he exclaimed, "I—I will!"

He strode hastily to the telephone. Almost angrily he seized the receiver and asked for a number.

"Wh-what's the matter, Craig!" I blurted out eagerly.

As he waited for the number, he threw the letter over to me. I took it and read:

"Professor Craig Kennedy,

"The University, The Heights, City.

"Dear Sir:

"I have come to the conclusion that your work is a hindrance rather than an assistance in clearing up my father's death, and I hereby beg to state that your services are no longer required. This is a final decision, and I beg that you will not try to see me again regarding the matter.

"Very truly yours,

"ELAINE DODGE."

If it had been a bomb I could not have been more surprised.

I could not make it out.

Kennedy impatiently worked the receiver up and down, repeating the number. "Hello—hello," he repeated. "Yes—hello. Is Miss—oh—good morning, Miss Dodge."

He was hurrying along as if to give her no chance to cut him off. "I have just received a letter, Miss Dodge, telling me that you don't want me to continue investigating your father's death, and not to try to see you again about—"

He stopped. I could hear the reply. "Why—no—Mr. Kennedy, I have written you no letter."

The look of mingled relief and surprise that crossed Craig's face spoke volumes.

"Miss Dodge," he almost shouted, "this is a new trick of the 'Clutching Hand.' I—I'll be right over."

Craig hung up the receiver and turned from the telephone. Evidently he was thinking deeply. Suddenly his face seemed to light up. He made up his mind to something, and a moment later he opened the cabinet—that inexhaustible storehouse from which he seemed to draw weird and curious instruments that met the ever new problems which his strange profession brought to him.

I watched curiously. He took out a bottle and what looked like a little hypodermic syringe, thrust them into his pocket and, for once, oblivious to my very existence, deliberately walked out of the laboratory.

I did not propose to be thus cavalierly dismissed. I suppose it would have looked ridiculous to a third party, but I followed him as hastily as if he had tried to shut the door on his own shadow.

We arrived at the corner above the Dodge house just in time to see another visitor—Bennett—enter.

"And, Perry," we heard Elaine say, as we were ushered in, "someone has even forged my name—the handwriting and everything—telling Mr. Kennedy to drop the case—and I never knew."

She stopped as we entered.

"That's the limit!" exclaimed Bennett. "Miss Dodge has just been telling me—"

"Yes," interrupted Craig. "Look, Miss Dodge, this is it."

He handed her the letter. She almost seized it, examining it carefully, her large eyes opening wider in wonder.

"This is certainly my writing and my note paper," she murmured, "but I never wrote the letter!"

Craig looked from the letter to her keenly. No one said a word. For a moment Kennedy hesitated, thinking.

"Might I—er—see your room, Miss Dodge?" he asked at length.

"Why, certainly," nodded Elaine, as she lead the way upstairs.

It was a dainty little room, breathing the spirit of its mistress. In fact, it seemed a sort of profanity as we all followed in after her. For a moment Kennedy stood still, then he carefully looked about. At the side of the bed, near the head, he stooped and picked up something which he held in the palm of his hand. I bent over. Something gleamed in the morning sunshine—some little thin pieces of glass. As he tried deftly to fit the tiny little bits together he seemed absorbed in thought. Quickly he raised it to his nose, as if to smell it.

"Ethyl chloride!" he muttered, wrapping the pieces carefully in a paper and putting them inside his pocket.

An instant later he crossed the room to the window and examined it.

"Look!" he exclaimed.

There, plainly, were marks of a jimmy which had been inserted near the lock to pry it open.

"Miss Dodge," he asked, "might I—might I trouble you to let me see your arm?"

Wonderingly she did so, and Kennedy bent almost reverently over her plump arm examining it.

On it was a small dark discoloration, around which was a slight redness and tenderness.

"That," he said slowly, "is the mark of a hypodermic needle."

As he finished examining Elaine's arm he drew the letter from his pocket. Still facing her he said in a low tone, "Miss Dodge—you did write this letter—but under the influence of the new 'twilight sleep.'"

"Why, Craig," I exclaimed excitedly, "what do you mean?"

"Exactly what I say. With Miss Dodge's permission I shall show you. By a small administration of the drug, which will injure you in no way, Miss Dodge, I think I can bring back the memory of all that occurred to you last night. Will you allow me?"

"Mercy, no!" protested her Aunt Josephine, who had entered the room.

"I want the experiment to be tried," Elaine said quietly.

A moment later Kennedy had placed her on a couch in the corner of the room.

"Now, Mrs. Dodge," he said, "please bring me a basin and a towel."

Aunt Josephine, reconciled, brought them. Kennedy dropped an antiseptic tablet into the water and carefully sterilized Elaine's arm just above the spot where the red mark showed. Then he drew the hypodermic from his pocket—carefully sterilized it, also, and filling it with scopolamin from the bottle.

"Just a moment, Miss Dodge," he encouraged, as he jabbed the needle into her arm.

She did not wince.

"Please lie back on the couch," he directed. Then turning to us he added, "It takes some time for this to work. Our criminal got over this fact and prevented an outcry by using ethyl chloride first. Let me reconstruct the scene."

As we watched Elaine going under slowly Craig talked.

"That night," he said, "warily, the masked criminal of the 'Clutching Hand,' bent over, his arm crooked, might have been seen down below us in the ally. Up here, Miss Dodge, worn out by the strain of her father's death, let us say, was nervously trying to read, to do anything that would take her mind off the tragedy. Perhaps she fell asleep.

"Just then the Clutching Hand appeared. He came stealthily through that window, which he had opened. A moment he hesitated, seeing Elaine asleep. Then he tiptoed over to the bed, let us say, and for a moment looked at her, sleeping.

A second later he had thrust his hand into his pocket and had taken out a small glass bulb with a long thin neck. That was ethyl chloride—a drug which produces a quick anesthesia. But it lasts only a minute or two. That was enough. As he broke the glass neck of the bulb—letting the pieces fall on the floor near the bed—he shoved the thing under Elaine's face, turning his own head away and holding a handkerchief over his own nose. The mere heat of his hand is enough to cause the ethyl chloride to spray out and overcome her instantly. He steps away from her a moment and replaces the now empty vial in his pocket.

"Then he took a box from his pocket, opened it. There must have been a syringe and a bottle of scopolamin. Where they came from I do not know, but perhaps from some hospital. I shall have to find that out later. He went to Elaine, quickly jabbing the needle, with no resistance from her now. Slowly he replaced the bottle and the needle in his pocket. He could not have been in any hurry now, for it takes time for the drug to work."

Kennedy paused. Had we known at the time, Michael—he of a sinister face—must have been in the hallway that night, careful that no one saw him. A tap at the door and the "Clutching Hand" must have beckoned him. A moment's parley and they separated—"Clutching Hand" going back to Elaine, who was now under the influence of the second drug.

"Our criminal," resumed Kennedy thoughtfully, "may have shaken Elaine. She did not answer. Then he may have partly revived her. She must have been startled. 'Clutching Hand,' perhaps, was half crouching with a big ugly blue steel revolver leveled full in her face.

"'One word and I shoot!' he probably cried. 'Get up!'

"Trembling, she must have done so. 'Your slippers and a kimono,' he would naturally have ordered. She put them on mechanically. Then he must have ordered her to go out of the door and down the stairs. 'Clutching Hand' must have followed, and as he did so he would have cautiously put out the lights."

We were following, spellbound, Kennedy's graphic reconstruction of what must have happened. Evidently he had struck close to the truth. Elaine's eyes were closed. Gently Kennedy led her along. "Now, Miss Dodge," he encouraged, "try—try hard to recollect just what it was that happened last night—everything."

As Kennedy paused after his quick recital, she seemed to tremble all over. Slowly she began to speak. We stood awestruck. Kennedy had been right!

The girl was now living over again those minutes that had been forgotten—blotted out by the drug.

And it was all real to her, too—terribly real. She was speaking, plainly in terror.

"I see a man—oh, such a figure—with a mask. He holds a gun in my face—he threatens me. I put on my kimono and slippers, as he tells me. I am in a daze. I know what I am doing—and I don't know. I go out with him, downstairs, into the library."

Elaine shuddered again at the recollection. "Ugh! The room is dark, the room where he killed my father. Moonlight outside streams in. This masked man and I come in. He switches on the lights.

"'Go to the safe,' he says, and I do it—the new safe, you know. 'Do you know the combination?' he asks me. 'Yes,' I reply, too frightened to say no.

"'Open it then,' he says, waving that awful revolver closer. I do so. Hastily he rummages through it, throwing papers here and there. But he seems not to find what he is after and turns away, swearing fearfully.

"'Hang it!' he cries at me. 'Where else did your father keep papers?' I point in desperation at the desk. He takes one last look at the safe, shoves all the papers he has strewn on the floor back again and slams the safe shut.

"'Now, come on,' he says, indicating with the gun that he wants me to follow him away from the safe. At the desk he repeats the search. But he finds nothing. Almost I think he is about to kill me. 'Where else did your father keep papers?' he hisses fiercely, still threatening me with the gun.

"I am too frightened to speak. But at last I am able to say, 'I—I don't know!' Again he threatens me. 'As God is my judge,' I cry, 'I don't know.' It is fearful. Will he shoot me?

"Thank heaven! At last he believes me. But such a look of foiled fury I have never seen on any human face before.

"'Sit down!' he growls, adding, 'at the desk.' I do.

"'Take some of your note paper—the best.' I do that, too.

"'And a pen,' he goes on. My fingers can hardly hold it.

"'Now—write!' he says, and as he dictates, I write"—

"This?" interjected Kennedy, eagerly holding up the letter that he had received from her.

Elaine looked it over with her drug-laden eyes. "Yes," she nodded, then lapsed again to the scene itself. "He reads it over, and as he does so says, 'Now, address an envelope. Himself he folds the letter, seals the envelope, stamps it, and drops it into his pocket, hastily straightening the desk.

"'Now go ahead of me—again.



"I've Got Him, Kennedy!"

Leave the room—no, by the hall door. We are going back upstairs. I obey him, and at the door he switches off the lights. How I stand it I do not know. I go upstairs mechanically into my own room—I and this masked man.

"'Take off the kimono and slippers!' he orders. I do that. 'Get into bed!' he growls. I crawl in fearfully. For a moment he looks about—then goes out—with a look back as he goes. Oh! Oh! That hand—which he raises at me—THAT HAND!

The poor girl was sitting bolt upright, staring straight at the hall door, as we watched and listened, fascinated.

Kennedy was bending over, soothing her. She gave evidence of coming out from the effect of the drug.

I noticed that Bennett had suddenly moved a step in the direction of the door at which she stared.

"By heavens!" he muttered, staring, too. "Look!"

We did look. A letter was slowly being inserted under the door.

I took a quick step forward. That moment I felt a rough tug at my arm, and a voice whispered: "Wait, you chump!"

It was Kennedy. He had whipped out his automatic and had carefully leveled it at the door. Before he could fire, however, Bennett had rushed ahead.

I followed. We looked down the hall. Sure enough, the figure of a man could be seen disappearing around an angle. I followed Bennett out of the door and down the hall.

Words cannot keep pace with what followed. Together we rushed to the back stairs.

"Down there, while I go down the front!" cried Bennett.

I went down, and he turned and went down the other flight. As he did so Craig followed him.

Suddenly, in the drawing room, I bumped into a figure on the other side of the portieres. I seized him. We struggled. Rip! The portieres came down, covering me entirely. Over and over we went, smashing a lamp. It was vicious. Another man attacked me, too.

"I've got him—Kennedy!" I heard a voice pant over me.

A scream followed from Aunt Josephine. Suddenly the portieres were pulled off me.

"The deuce!" puffed Kennedy. "It's Jameson."

Bennett had rushed plump into me, coming the other way, hidden by the portieres!

If we had known at the time, our Michael of the sinister face had gained the library and was standing in the center of the room. He had heard me coming and had fled to the drawing room. As we finished our struggle in the library he rose hastily from behind the divan in the other room, where he had dropped, and had quietly and hastily disappeared through another door.

Laughing and breathing hard, they helped me to my feet. It was no joke to me. I was sore in every bone.

"Well, where did he go?" insisted Bennett.

"I don't know—perhaps back there," I cried.

Bennett and I argued a moment, then started and stopped short. Aunt Josephine had run downstairs and was now shoving the letter into Craig's hands.

We gathered about him curiously. He opened it. On it was that awesome Clutching Hand again.

Kennedy read it. For a moment he stood and studied it, then slowly crushed it in his hand.

Just then Elaine, pale and shaken from the ordeal she had voluntarily gone through, burst in upon us from upstairs. Without a word she advanced to Craig and took the letter from him.

Inside, as on the envelope, was that same signature of the Clutching Hand.

Elaine gazed at it, wild-eyed, then at Craig. Craig smilingly reached for the note, took it, folded it, and unconcernedly thrust it into his pocket.

"My God!" she cried, clasping her hands convulsively, and repeating the words of the letter, "YOUR LAST WARNING!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)



There Were Marks of a Jimmy on the Window.

CONSIDER CALLING PASTOR.

Water Street Presbyterian Church to Hold Meeting.

The congregation of the Water street Presbyterian church will meet Thursday evening to consider the calling of a pastor to succeed Mr. Matheson who resigned last November. The Rev. Clarence E. Campbell of Paulding, Ohio, a promising young man who has been preaching very acceptably for several Sundays may be the choice of the people.

OBSERVES EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Miss Mary Rooney entertained a number of her small friends Tuesday afternoon, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. B. Rooney of Wollaston, the occasion being her eighth birthday. The little ones enjoyed themselves by playing games, singing, etc. Refreshments were served.

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Mrs. A. Hubert has returned to Quincy from Attleboro and will make her home on Bradford street.

The next meeting of Adams chapter Daughters of the Revolution, will be held with Miss Harriett B. Pierce, 242 Granite street, next Monday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gram, nee Hazel Schlehuber of Lynn, are receiving the congratulations of relatives and friends on the birth of a son, on Thursday, Jan. 21st. The wee stranger has been named Carl William Gram Jr.

A treat is in store for those attending the vesper service to be given Sunday at four o'clock in the Wollaston Congregational church. The Schumann quartet, which is known throughout this city for its excellent work, will sing.

John A. Severance of Prospect avenue was elected to assume the wardenship by the vestry of St. Chrysostoms church at the last meeting to fill the vacancy in the vestry occasioned by the resignation of Edward F. Parlee.

The theft of $48, the property of Mrs. Morgan, mother of Thomas Morgan, the Fore River bowler, from her room in the Greenleaf block is being investigated. The money was taken several days ago from the inside of a muff. The police are confident that no employee of the building is involved.

SENATOR LANGELIER PRESIDES.

Senator Langelier presided at the annual dinner of the legislative committee on harbors and lands Tuesday evening at the Quincy house, Boston. Twelve members were present. President Coolidge of the Senate and Speaker Cox of the House of Representatives were the guests. Remi Langelier of Quincy gave several piano solos and there was chorus singing by the company.

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E. H. Lowe, Washington St.
George E. Sprague, Cor. River St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Litchfield, Water st.
A. Person, 92 Granite St.
Miss C. Booth, Brooks Avenue.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
F. J. Pierson, 149 Granite St.
WEST QUINCY—Edward F. Drohan.
John C. Belanger.
HOUGHS NECK—A. H. Dunham, and his newsboys.
NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

NAVY INSPECTORS ARE VICTORIOUS

Two branches of the Federal service clashed at the City Square alleys Tuesday night. The honors were decisive. The Navy Inspectors defeated the Letter Carriers 1333 to 1243.

NAVY INSPECTORS.

Curtiss	79	78	98	255
Trapps	86	98	90	274
Zoost	108	106	79	293
Icenhower	78	82	90	250
Olson	88	85	88	261
	439	449	445	1333

LETTER CARRIERS.

Devlin	74	82	88	244
Hynes	92	83	87	262
Sullivan	73	66	71	210
Joyce	87	106	97	290
Cain	80	79	78	237
	406	416	421	1243

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

A miscellaneous shower was given Miss Lucy Ellucci at the home of Miss Helen Delano, Walnut street, Neponset. Piano selections given by Lola Hamm, and Mildred Byron, Buck and Wing dancing by Lena Coy and Helen Delano, vocal solos by Catherine Barrett, Esther Mulligan and Mae Newal.

Those present were Misses Josie and Rose Lamb, Annie and Catherine Hurley, Grace Pitts, Mary and Jennie Barton, Elizabeth Delano, Mary Corcoran, Lillian Cross, Isabelle Main, Nellie Murphy, Irvena Raymond, Louise Crown, Joseph Cellucci, Gordon Delano.

O. U. B. Meet.

The O. U. B. of the Universalist church held a meeting Tuesday evening at the church. The delegates who are to represent the organization at the annual convention at Springfield Saturday are Lester Spring, president and Merton Grant, vice president. Bartlett Spooner, secretary, and Elmer Sprague, treasurer, will also attend. Plans were made to hold a poverty party in the church on Tuesday evening, Feb. 16. A social hour followed the meeting.

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TWO TIED FOR FOURTH PLACE

Nicolls Team Still Leads Clan MacGregor League

CLAN MacGREGOR LEAGUE.

Capt. Nicoll	53	28
Capt. McKenzie	46	39
Capt. McLean	44	32
Capt. Hughes	31	45
Capt. Smith	31	45
Capt. Maver	23	53

High team total, Capt. Nicoll 1493.
High team single, Capt. Hughes 534.
High individual totals, J. Dell 369, P. Dackers 322, M. Nicoll 329.
Individual single, J. Dell 149, D. Drummond 127.
High average M. Nicoll 100, William McLean 94.

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

Nicolls 4, Hughes 0.
Smith 3, McLean 1.
McKenzie 3, Maver 1.

Two men tripled in the McGregor matches at the Coliseum alleys Tuesday evening. The Smiths jumped to a tie with the Hughes for fourth place.

CAPT. MCKENZIE.

Hunter	85	96	85	266
Gordon	100	93	84	277
McKenzie	80	93	89	262
Russell	87	91	98	276
Drummond	74	106	90	270
	426	479	446	1351

CAPT. MAVER—1.

Welsh	108	102	99	309
Maver	79	106	80	265
Giles	76	70	79	225
Birne	101	91	91	283
Hastings	85	89	91	265
	449	458	440	1247

CAPT. SMITH—3.

Stewart	102	100	85	287
Maver	83	82	87	252
Smith	103	82	106	291
Davidson	94	79	95	268
Martin	77	97	97	271
	459	440	470	1369

CAPT. MCLEAN—1.

Paterson	92	93	91	276
Mannock	98	79	80	257
Murray	66	88	87	241
McLean	109	110	85	304
Dell	80	86	95	261
	445	456	438	1339

CAPT. NICOLL—4.

Craig	94	66	82	242
J. Micheal	82	105	84	271
J. Stewart	86	93	92	271
J. Micheal	82	105	89	271
Nicoll	87	105	96	288
	443	449	440	1332

CAPT. HUGHES—0.

Hughes	82	96	98	276
McLeod	74	82	86	242
Mitchell	87	82	78	247
Raleigh	85	94	87	266
O'Neil	106	94	83	283
	434	448	432	1314

YACHT CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE TIME

On Tuesday evening the members of the Town River Yacht club were the guests of the newly elected commodore Joseph Carruthers. The entertainment consisted of a musical program in which the talent of various members for both classic and comic selections was displayed. Refreshments were served. There were about 50 present.

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GOOD FIGHTS IN CHURCH LEAGUE

POINT CHURCH LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost
Rocky Point	45	19
Beach Point	32	32
Cedar	28	36
Stage	23	41

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

Cedar Pt. 3—Beach Pt. 1.
Rocky Pt. 4—Stage Pt. 0.

Hoffses opened the eyes of the Point Church league bowlers Tuesday night by getting a single of 120 in their matches at Wardwell's. The contests were exciting.

BEACH PT.—1.

Hoffses	75	71	120	266
Melville	79	73	74	226
Putman	84	83	94	261
Jones	92	87	91	270
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	405	389	454	1248

CEDAR PT. —2.

Hayden	96	105	85	286
Scouler	68	82	87	237
Chisholm	108	92	96	296
MacQueen	83	92	88	263
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	430	446	431	1307

ROCKY PT.—4.

Waddell	70	110	85	265
Thayer	85	80	77	242
Mop	71	78	98	247
Wight	82	78	78	238
Lang	77	92	97	266
	385	438	435	1258

STAGE PT.—0.

Melville	74	73	90	237
Peterson	79	89	77	245
Hayden	66	79	72	217
Dummy	70	78	77	225
Dummy	71	78	78	227
	360	397	394	1151

FRIENDS GIVE TIN SHOWER

Miss Janet McLellan's Engagement Announced Tuesday

Miss Janet McLellan, whose engagement to William Kelly, the base ball player, was announced Tuesday was tendered a surprise tin shower by her associates of the Rice & Hutchins South Braintree factory on Tuesday evening. The affair took place at the home of the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McLellan of 133 Phipps street and was one of the most successful showers of the season.

Miss McLellan was resting quietly at home when her friends arrived. They proceeded to have the time of their life, with the young lady the centre of the fun. Miss Mary McLeod did the Higland Fling Miss Mary Joss and Miss Mabel Houston gave exhibition dancing (fox trot) piano solos were rendered by Miss Catherine Nimerskern and Miss Josephine Savoie was the pianist of the evening.

A buffet luncheon was served Miss McLellan was the recipient of many remembrances. Those present were: Misses Josie Savoie, Susie Devine, Catherine Nimerskern, Rose Donnelly Lillian Savoie, Mabel Houston, Catherine Kelly, Mary McLeod, Mary Joss Matilda Amet, Mrs. George E. Turner, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. James McLellan.

EXCITING TANDEM MATCH.

The Coliseum alleys was the scene of a most exciting tandem match between Dr. Harold Marsh, Charles Connor Hearn, Harry Hill and W. Howard Mills Tuesday night. The strings

Dr. Marsh	76	82	63	221
C. C. Hearn	69	74	58	201
				422
H. Hill	78	78	92	257
W. H. Mills	74	88	94	256
				513

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WIN GAME BY TEN POINTS

Quincy High Regulars Defeat Weymouth Boys

Quincy High divided basketball games with Weymouth Tuesday afternoon, the first team winning 31—21 and the second losing 17—9. The defeat was the first the second team has received this year but is partly due to the fact that Favreau was saved as a first team substitute, and Prout was out the first period for the same reason. Jenkins and Gilliat took their places. The shooting, however, was poor.

Both games were rough, and the small gymnasium put team work out of the question. It was a case of get the ball and shoot before an opponent was on your neck—and he was there most of the time.

As usual Quincy had to present a broken line up, this time Davis being the absentee because of sickness. Welsford filled in very acceptably, outpointing W. Whittle who to date has been Weymouth's best scorer.

Quincy started with a rush, Hamlin scoring first, quickly following his first shot with another one hand overhead shot. Welsford duplicated this basket a few minutes later. Both shots were very spectacular. The period ended 29—11, Quincy ahead.

The second period was all Weymouth's, Deane leading the attack with three pretty baskets. In the entire fifteen minutes Quincy scored but two points, a basket by Hamlin.

The scores follow:

Q. H. S.	W. H. S.
Hamlin, lf	rb, P. Whittle
Browne, rf	lb, Condrick
Crosscup, c	Dwyer
Welsford, rb	c, Deane
Beaton, lb	lf, W. Whittle
	rf, Gannon
	Mahoney

Goals from floor, Hamlin 5, Browne Crosscup 3, Welsford 5, W. Whittle 4 Gannon, Mahoney, Deane, 5.

Goals from fouls, Welsford 3, W. Whittle.

Referee Fabian. Scorer Mansur. Timer Jones. Time 20—15 min. periods.

Q. H. S. 2nd	W. H. S. 2nd.
Morrison, lf	rb, Palmer
Favreau rf	lb Richardson
Jenkins	c, Clark
Desmond, c	rf, Gorman
Baker rb,	lf, Curtin
Gilliat, lb,	
Prout	

Goals from floor Morrison 2, Gilliat, Curtin 4, Gorman, Clark, Richardson 2.

Goals from fouls Baker 3, Curtin.

Referee, Fabian. Time 15 min. periods.

SAMOSET CLUB LEAGUE BOWLING

SAMOSET CLUB LEAGUE.

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

Capt. Hill 3, Capt. Rhodes 1.
Capt. Armstrong 2, Capt. Campbell 2.

C. Hill set a single record in the Samoset Club league at the Wardwell alleys Tuesday night with 125. The matches were exciting.

CAPT. HILL—3.

Weston	80	69	62	211
J. D. Cahill	86	83	93	262
Lapton	84	98	82	264
Cranshaw	75	94	83	252
C. Hill	84	78	125	287
	409	422	445	1276

CAPT. RHODES—1.

W. Cahill	106	102	85	293
C. Smith	84	75	73	232
R. G. Stone	77	82	79	238
Pinkham	99	81	87	267
G. Rhodes	92	88	92	272
	458	428	416	1302

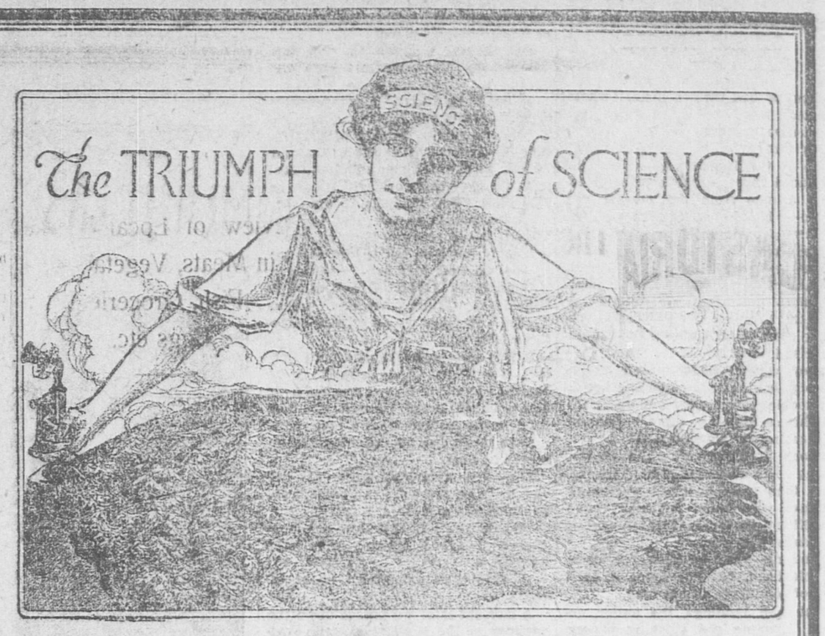
CAPT. C. ARMSTRONG—2.

C. Armstrong	96	85	81	262
L. D. Browne	81	75	80	236
A. H. Baker	98	82	84	264
W. Nichols	103	88	92	283
A. Armstrong	69	87	108	244
	447	417	445	1309

CAPT. CAMPBELL—2.

L. E. Pope	68	85	82	235
R. E. Conins	78	59	89	226
H. Swett	83	98	103	284
H. P. Johnson	78	88	95	261
Campbell	90	93	81	264
	397	423	450	1270

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THIS busy, progressive nation is today at the dawn of a new era of commercial and social development. The means by which the human voice, with its slightest inflections and indications of personality, can be carried across the continent instantly, have been provided. Talking by telephone from the Atlantic to the Pacific is now an accomplished fact.

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This contribution to the future happiness and prosperity of a more closely united people has not been brought about, however, by the overcoming of a few isolated, concrete difficulties. Its success has depended upon the exercise of the highest engineering and technical skill and the solution was found only in the cumulative effect of improvements great and small, in telephone, transmitter, line, cable, switchboard, and every other piece of apparatus or plant required in the transmission of speech.

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MANY ATTEND ELKS MEETING

Quincy lodge of Elks received an official visitation from James L. Johnson, past exalted ruler of Boston lodge and district deputy grand exalted ruler of the Massachusetts southeastern district on Tuesday evening in the lodge rooms in Colonial hall. Accompanying him as members of the suite were many of the most prominent men in Elkdom in the state. The entire board of officers of the lodge were in evening dress and a reception program was carried out in charge of Exalted Ruler John E. Hildebrand.

Elks from all parts of the district were present and among the visitors was Charles Shimer of Bethlehem, Pa., who some years ago submitted the application of Charles M. Schwab president of the Bethlehem Steel Co., of which the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation is a subsidiary, for membership in the lodge of that city.

All adjourned to the clubhouse on Foster street after the visitation for supper. A vaudeville show by professional artists was given under the direction of Capt. George A. Wardwell of the Kincaide theatre.

The members of the suite were:

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler James L. Johnson of the Massachusetts Southeastern district past exalted ruler of Boston lodge.

Harry E. Gleason, exalted ruler of Brookline lodge, acting grand esteemed leading knight.

Charles F. J. McCue, past exalted ruler of Cambridge lodge, acting grand esteemed loyal knight.

G. A. Porter, exalted ruler of Middleboro lodge, acting grand esteemed lecturing knight.

J. F. McCluskey, secretary of Middleboro lodge, acting grand secretary.

Herman A. Flemming, exalted ruler of Somerville lodge, acting grand trustee.

E. C. Carr, past exalted ruler of Boston lodge, acting grand trustee.

James F. Hennessy, past exalted ruler of Fitchburg lodge, acting grand trustee.

Richard D. Barry of Revere lodge, acting grand trustee.

William P. Shepard, past exalted ruler of Wakefield lodge, acting grand tyler.

R. H. Evans, of Everett lodge, acting grand chaplain.

Edward F. Burns, exalted ruler of Cambridge lodge acting grand inside guard.

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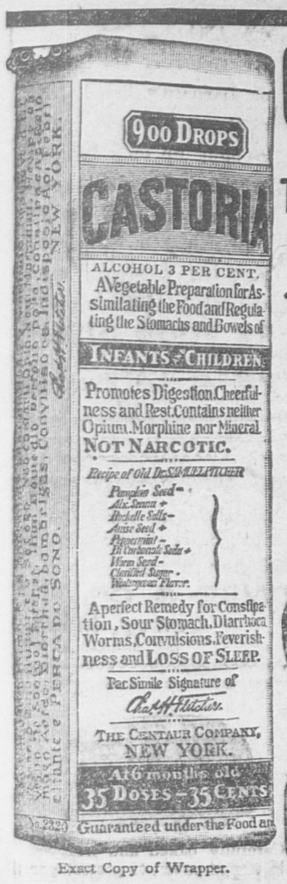
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The chairman of the committee in charge is Mrs. Herbert H. Albee, Mrs. Howard D. Fowler in charge of the music. The vestrymen will act as ushers. Several invited guests closely affiliated with the history of the parish, have signified their intention to be present.

The friends of Colonel Matthews of Fenno street, are glad to learn that he is rapidly recovering from several serious operations which he has undergone recently.

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BEEF PRICES ARE LOWER

Review of Local Market in Meats, Vegetables, Fish, Groceries, Eggs etc.

FEW FRESH VEGETABLES

Beef is lower, unless one insists on having the most expensive cuts. This is the good news which Quincy dealers are handing out to the housewife this week. Coupled with this is the statement that poultry is unusually low for this season of the year.

As a rule people today are buying their groceries and provisions on what might be called the hand to mouth plan. They are buying for immediate needs only. This is due partly to the scarcity of ready money and partly to the constant changing in the prices of staple articles.

The family buying nowadays is being largely done by the women of the family and it must be admitted that women are by far the shrewdest buyers. A woman in order to make a saving on her purchase will consume an hour or more of her time in travelling from store to store. On the other hand a man will enter the first store he comes to and pay whatever price is asked, without trying to learn if he can buy cheaper elsewhere.

Then again a woman will not hesitate a second to ask the grocer or provision dealer for a small quantity, a quarter of a pound of butter or a half pound of steak. A man seems to have the idea that if he asks for a small amount of anything that the store clerk will think him mean. A grocer can easily bluff a man by telling him one make of goods is as good as another but a woman wants to be shown.

Beef is lower. Today round steak can be purchased from 30 to 35 cents a pound, rump steak for 35 and 40 cents, but if one wants a special cut he will have to pay 45 cents. Sirloin steak can be bought for 38 cents.

If one desires a roast of beef, a face of the rump can be bought from 25 to 28 cents, back of the rump for 30 cents, rib roast for from 15 to 25 cents. Pork is also lower and today one can buy in our local markets good chops from 15 to 22 cents, chine roast for 15 cents and rib roasts for 15 cents. Smoked shoulders and corned shoulders can be had for 14 cents and whole hams for 20 cents. For sliced cooked ham one must pay 35 cents.

In the corned beef line one may buy a fancy brisket from 18 to 22 cents, thin and thick pieces from 15 to 20 cents and sticking pieces for 18 cents. Hind quarters of lambs are selling at 18 cents and forequarters at 13 cents, while one must pay 35 cents a pound for lamb chops. Salt pork sells for 15 cents, liver at 15 cents and tripe at 10 cents.

Poultry is lower than usual for this season of the year. Fresh killed chickens sell from 25 to 27 cents, fowl from 19 to 22 cents and good northern turkeys at 27 cents.

If one wants fish, as most people do on Friday, they will find prices reasonable. Steak cod is 15 cents; market cod, 8 cents; haddock, 10 cents; mackerel, 15 to 20 according to size; lobsters, 40 cents; eels, 18 cents; halibut, 25 cents; fresh opened oysters, 30 cents a quart; smoked salmon, 35 cents; smoked halibut, 30 cents; finnan haddie, 12 cents; salt mackerel, 10 cents; salt herring 5 cents; perch, 15 cents, smelts, 20 to 25 cents; tongues and sounds, 15 cents.

Eggs cost from 20 cents up to 50 cents (for fresh laid Quincy eggs) butter from 22 to 35 cents for the best print butter, flour $1.10 a bag or $8.50 a barrel. Sugar is selling for 6 cents in any amount less than 100 pounds.

There are few fresh vegetables in the market at the present time those few are high. For instance, hot house tomatoes sell for 20 cents a pound and cucumbers for 20 cents. Radishes can be bought for 5 cents a bunch and onions for 5 cents a pound. Lemons are selling from 20 to 25 cents a dozen and fine California oranges at 25, 35 and 40 cents according to the size. Grape fruit is cheap and can be bought from 3 to 6 for 25 cents, according to the size. Potatoes are selling for 20 cents a peck and 70 cents a bushel. Beans of all kinds are up and are now selling for 12, 14 and 15 cents a pound. Apples are selling for 35 cents a peck.

There are, however, vegetables of excellent quality which can be secured in the canned goods line and good quality of canned goods can be bought at 10, 12 1-2 and 15 cents a can, although some of the special brands are selling at 16 and 18 and 20 cents a can.

TELLS EXPERIENCES

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swers the point they are coming at before they reach it.

Cleveland's traditionally contemptuous attitude toward Congress was mentioned and the man was compared to Roosevelt in his direct outspoken manner. Taft was a man of totally different type. He, was of long distance preparation for the presidency. As president he acquitted himself with credit and always acted the part. As a public speaker he has clearly grown. The influence of Mrs. Taft had a large part in shaping his career toward the presidential chair instead of the Supreme Court bench.

Judge Harland, Chauncey M Depew Senator Vest, and Senator Morrill were others about whom anecdotes were told and the meeting closed with a rising vote of thanks to the speaker.

Preceding the meeting a fine supper was served under the direction of "Chef" Mann. Huge individual chicken pies were the order of the day and any who managed to entirely do away with one will go down in the club's history as possessed of a faultless appetite.

A new departure grected the members on entering the supper room when they discovered that the young men waiters had been supplanted by young women. At the close of the meal they were accorded a hearty vote of thanks for their deft services.

The singing of popular songs was enjoyed, those present entering in with great spirit. "Tipperary" proved a prime favorite. Treasurer Mandell reported net proceeds from the "Plantation Show" to be nearly $175.

ALARM FROM BOX 45.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Quincy Baxter of Adams street, East Milton, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home on Tuesday, by a largely attended reception, held from three until five o'clock in the afternoon and eight until eleven o'clock in the evening.

The marriage took place during the last year of the Civil War, and Mr. Baxter, an officer in Co. B, 4th Mass. Heavy Artillery, returned to Milton on a furlough, married his young bride, and took her with him to Fort Scott, Virginia, where his company was stationed. Mrs. Baxter remained at the officers' quarters until April 13, 1865, when she returned to Milton the night before the assassination of President Lincoln.

American flags were draped in such a way that they formed a beautiful artch under which the receiving party Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and Mrs. J. Henry Emery of Quincy, stood. Mrs. Emery, a life long friend, was present at the wedding fifty years ago.

The house was decorated with cut flowers and potted plants, the color scheme being yellow. Jonquils were used in the dining room, and the golden color appeared in the ices, cakes and candies.

Mr. Baxter wore the uniform in which he was married fifty years ago and it fitted him as well as in his younger days. A comrade who shared the army blanket at camp with him at the front was present to extend his congratulations James W. Pierce of Quincy. Their friendship has remained unbroken.

During the afternoon and evening, the following ladies poured: Mrs. Lavina H. Brackett, Mrs. John Emerson, Mrs. M. L. Rossi of Roxbury, Miss Annie S. Head of Brookline, Mrs. William D. Parsons, Miss Gertrude F. Sanderson of Littleton, Mass., Mrs. Henry S. Bunton of Hyde Park, Mrs. George A. Bunton of Arlington, Mrs. M. L. Abbott and Mrs. Ira M. Hill.

Mrs. Baxter has lived her entire life in Milton where she has since her youth been prominently identified with church, social and club interests. She has been active in the Milton Woman's club, and several years ago served the club as its president. She is a charter member of the Boston Tea Party Chapter, D. A. R., having held the office of regent, and is at the present time the Chapter historian.

Mr. Baxter served three years in the War of Rebellion and was engaged in many battles, the best known of which were Spottsylvania, Cold Harbor and Petersburg.

During the afternoon music was furnished by John Harris Gutterson of Brookline and groups of songs were sung by Mrs. Stephen P. Hurd. A poem, which was written especially for the celebration by an intimate friend of the family, was read by Mrs. Fred M. Hamlin. In the evening there was music by a stringed orchestra. The martial music and war songs of 1865 were played with spirit and enthusiastically received.

The union has been blessed with five children, three of whom are living They are Miss Orissa M. Baxter, Mrs. Stephen P. Hurd and Jesse B. Baxter. There were present three grand children, Miss Katherine F. Baxter, Miss Mary W. Baxter, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Baxter, and Master Richard P. Hurd son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen P. Hurd.

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What Local Clubs are Doing

News of Women's Clubs is a feature of the Daily Ledger every Wednesday. Secretaries of organizations should send notices of club activities, to reach the Club Editor not later than Tuesday night to insure insertion the next day.

Mrs. Chauncey J. Hawkins will be the speaker; Mrs. S. I. Wood conduct the devotions, and Mrs. Frank A. Page the soloist at the Feb. 3d meeting of Bethany Women's Union.

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Katharyn Crane Memorial Club meets next Tuesday afternoon with Harriot Barbour of Linden place.

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William N. Craig from the Ames estate in North Easton is to speak at the meeting of the Philergians of Braintree on Tuesday afternoon in Cochato hall, subject "The Beauty and Value of our Trees and Shrubs." The meeting will be open to the public, the attendance of any intereted in the subject being desired.

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February is surely an important month this season with members of the Quincy Women's club for on the 23d the tenth anniversary will be observed. Also two of the finest entertainments of the year are booked for this month, the dramatic Feb. 9. at Music hall in the regular club program and the opera Mikado on the evening of Feb. 10, also at Music hall an extra event given by the music committee, Mrs. John F. Hunt, chairman. This promises to be a big social event as well as a pleasurable musical entertainment. The soloists are artists of note while the well trained chorus will be made up of the best voices, men and women of the city.

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At the meeting of the Thursday Evening Study Club a paper was read by Miss Isabelle Moir on "German Literature" which was very interesting, dealing with such writers as Lessing, Wieland, Coethe, Schiller Jean Paul and others of more or less note and their works.

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The Hospntal Aid Association meets tomorrow afternoon at half past two with Mrs. Laurance H. Sturtevant, 230 Adams street, and all ladies interested in the Hospital are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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Miss Mary L. Hinkley is chairman of the meeting tomorrow afternoon of the Atlantic Shakespeare Society, when King Henry the Fourth, part II act IV will be taken up.

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A meeting of the Quincy Federation of Women's Club is to be held tomorrow morning at ten o'clock at the women's clubhouse.

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The third of the series of opera talks under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's Club is to be given this evening at eight o'clock in the Park and Downs church "The Meistersingers" will be Mr. Hubbard's subject and he will be assisted by Floyd Baxter at the piano. The fourth in the series will be on Feb. 3. at the Wollaston M. E. church, subject, "Parsifal."

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Friday afternoon from 2 until 4 a card party is to be held at the women's clubhouse, Presidents hill for the benefit of the school nurse fund being raised by the Education committee of the Quincy Women's Club, to supplement the memorial fund of the club. Bridge, auction bridge and whist will be played. There will be no prizes but some good scores and a good time may be expected.

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Junior Friday Club had a most delightful meeting Monday afternoon with Miss Edith Randall of Coddington street. Darwin proved an entertaining subject under the chairmanship of Miss Mary W. Holden, papers being given by Mrs. Burke, Mrs. Lawton, Miss Wood and Mrs. Litchfield. The date of the next meeting will be Feb. 8 at the home of Mrs. Albert H. Wright, 50 Saville avenue, subjects—Argentina and Chili, chairman Mrs. Thompson.

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The annual sale of the Massachusetts Society Daughters of the Revolution, for the benefit of its treasury is to be held Thursday Feb. 4 from 10.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. in the banquet hall of Hotel Westminster, Boston, with buffet lunch from 12.30 until 2 o'clock.

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The parliamentary law class of the Quincy Women's Club meets Monday afternoon at half past two at the clubhouse for the second lesson in the series. Mrs. Electa Sherman is the teacher, and Mrs. W. W. Whitcher chairman of the Legislative committee is in charge of the class. Over 20 tended the first lesson and an even larger number is expected next Monday. The lessons are free to all members of the club, an advantage they should be quick to make use of.

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More interest than usual attaches to the February meeting of Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution as it will be the twentieth anniversary of the formation of the chapter. Miss Harriet Bailey Pierce of Granite street is to open her house for the meeting and a large gathering of past and present members is anticipated. A pleasing program is being arranged by the committee.

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The February meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery Association will be held Monday afternoon at the women's clubhouse.

"What life means to me," will be the subject of Gertrude Breslan Fuller the speaker at the meeting Tuesday afternoon of the Wollaston Woman's Club in the Park and Downs church.

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Quincy Alliance holds its next regular meeting on Wednesday in the parlor of the First Parish church.

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Continuing the study of "The Child in the Midst," Wollaston Auxiliary Woman's Board of Missions will take up at its meeting next Wednesday. "The Child at School."

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Mrs. Zenas S. Arnold, Mrs. Otho A. Hayward, Mrs. Everett Crane, Mrs. Frank J. Emery and Mrs. Oscar A. Blaisdell form the committee to look over and put in shape for use any contributions of old sheets, towels, linen and cottons of all kinds, blankets, etc., that may be sent to the Women's clubhouse the next few weeks, for relief work in France for the soldiers. They would welcome other helpers who have the time to give to the work.

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It has been suggested that those attending the card party at the Women's clubhouse Friday afternoon take along with them a bundle of old linen to contribute to the use of the committee preparing a shipment to be sent to help the wounded soldiers in France.

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The next regular meeting of the Squantum Women's club will be held at the apartments of Mrs. Sturgis Wood, 991 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, the first Wednesday afternoon in February.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

There was a large attendance of club women Tuesday afternoon to greet Mrs. Maud Wood Parke who spoke on "The Woman Movement Around the World," under the auspices of the Legislative committee of the Quincy Women's Club.

The President Mrs. Chandler W. Smith called the meeting to order for a short business session. An invitation was read from the Wollaston Woman's Club to a lecture to be given by Prof. Hudson, Feb. 5 in Wollaston School hall. Attention was called to the Henry Jewett players who were giving a series of Shakesperian plays at the Boston Opera house. Again members were asked to look over their old linen, cotton, blankets, etc. and send to the clubhouse where a committee would prepare it to send to northern France to aid in the work of Dr. Landone among the wounded soldiers. The president would also gladly receive money contributions. Members were asked not to invite guests for the afternoon, Feb. 23, on the club anniversary as with the Federation officers and officers of neighboring clubs the clubhouse would be taxed to its limit. In the evening a guest may be invited.

Mrs. Herbert W. Pinkham reported progress in raising the memorial fund to mark the tenth anniversary of the club which was to take the form of establishing a school nurse. The city had been divided into districts and all present and past members asked to give toward the fund. It was hoped every one would respond before Feb. 1.

Miss Edith Randall for the Program committee said a fine cast was rehearsing for the play "A Rose O' Plymouth Towne," to be given Feb. 9 at Music hall. Unlimited guest privileges were to be given club members. The doors would open at one o'clock, business session to be held at two and the play given at half past two.

Mrs. J. R. Mellen announced a card party under the auspices of the Education committee to be held Friday at 2.30 at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Wilson Marsh for the Philanthropy committee said a candy sale would be held by her committee the afternoon of the play. She also told of the successful rally held by the Young Women's Club and of securing Adams Academy from the trustees as a recreation house. Thanks to Mrs. Pfaffmann there was over $400 on hand. Five hundred was needed to start the heater and repair the building for the use of the young women. She asked for the help and co-operation of club members. A dance is to be given by the young women Feb. 5 to assist the fund.

Mrs. Whitcher called attention to the parliamentary law class under the auspices of the Legislative committee, which was free to members. The second lesson would be held Feb. 1 at 2.30 P. M. at the clubhouse. She also called attention to several important hearings to be held at the state house.

Mrs. John F. Hunt for the Music committee said that beside the regular evening performance of Mikado on Feb. 10 there would be a dress rehearsal the afternoon before which children under 14 years could attend by payment of 25 cents.

Besides members from the Quincy Federation of women's clubs there were guests present from the Milton, Braintree and Wollaston clubs.

A musical program preceded the speaker of the afternoon, two songs the "Song of the Arab," by Phillips and "Irish Love Song" by Lang being sung by Warren A. Brown of Milton, with Mrs. Hunt at the piano. Mr. Brown has a baritone voice of pleasing quality and his singing gave much pleasure and received hearty applause.

Mrs. Whitcher in introducing the speaker said club members should be particularly interested as each was a part of the subject to be discussed by Mrs. Parke whose subject was "The Woman Movement Around the World."

Mrs. Park spoke of her observations of the advance of women as seen in a trip around the world. She found that the tendency was always away from the oriental idea of seclusion and domination by men toward the freedom, participation and responsibility in the affairs of life held by the women of the western world.

Everywhere it was plain that the opposition to the progress of women was not to specific reforms, but to anything which was different from that made familiar by custom. In fact, the greatest obstacle to the advance of women has always been conservatism.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward, who, when visiting this country, expressed surprise that women here did not have municipal and county suffrage, as they had in England, is now opposed to parliamentary suffrage for women in her own country. This means merely that she has become used to municipal and county suffrage, and is too conservative to support an enlargement upon present conditions. She says that women can think municipally, but not imperially.

The oriental idea concerning women Mrs. Park said, is based on the three obediences, to father, husband, and son. A woman is to reach heaven by faithfully serving her husband.

The Japanese, who desire to be considered in accord with western civilization, have promoted the organization of women's clubs, but the purposes of the clubs are those which will be of most benefit to men. The Japanese cannot imagine the education of girls for the benefit of girls, but only to make them useful to men.

By way of showing to what degree conservatism means enslavement to ancient customs, however absurd or injurious, the intense opposition in China to the abolishment of foot-binding might be cited. A serious newspaper article in that country contended that women with normal feet would become more masculine, that men would never tolerate masculine women, and that no such woman could make a rich marriage.

Here we have a hint of some of the opposition to the participation of young women in the suffrage movement, lest they be considered less womanly and thereby injure their chances of marriage. The final argument against foot-binding was that the women could travel more easily and would go gadding about.

In New Zealand the women have been voting for 18 years, and they are as much astonished when they are asked whether woman suffrage is desirable as we are when someone asks us if the education of women is desirable. But they are less familiar with the formation of women's clubs, and they ask of us how it is possible to have any family life in America when there are so many organizations of women.

All over the world the great obstacle to women's progress is the timidity and self-distrust of the women themselves, but the various movements on behalf of women mean that they are eventually to take their place with full responsibilities of human beings, as opposed to a position of dependency and restraint.

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STATE FEDERATION NOTES.

The Home Economics department calls attention to a series of four talks to homemakers to be given in Perkins hall, Women's Educational and Industrial Union, 264 Boylston street, Boston. Each lecture will begin promptly at 3 P. M., and will be followed by discussion.

These talks are free to all club members.

Jan. 29.—The Buying of Meat, illustrated with charts, by Frederick S. Snyder. Discussion led by Mrs. Harriet L. B. Darling.

Feb. 26.—The Spending of the Income, by Stuart Chase. Discussion led by Miss S. Agnes Donham.

March 26.—Women's Costumes, by Dr. Joel E. Goldthwait. Discussion led by Miss Constance Gutterson.

April 30.—Home Economics Programs. Members of the State Committee.

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D. A. R. WOLLASTON.

The Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter D A. R. of Wollaston with the Old State House Chapter of Melrose, entertained at a tea Monday afternoon in the Laughton studio, Pierce building, Boston.

Mrs. I. F. Whterhouse, regent and Mrs. W. F. Jones, vice regent of the Abigail Phillips Chapter, Mrs. Franklin P. Shumway, regent, Mrs. Grant Drake, vice regent of the Old State House Chapter, received the guests.

Mrs. Chilton Crocker and Mrs. E. E. Jameson acted as ushers. Pourers at the tea table, which was decorated with yellow jonquils, were Mrs. Benjamin Sargent and Mrs. Flemming.

CLUB EVENTS

JANUARY.

28—Hospital Aid Asso.—Mrs. L. H Sturtevant.
28—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
28—Quincy Federation of Women's Clubs.
29—Q. W. C. Whist, Clubhouse.

FEBRUARY.

1—Q. W. C. Parliamentary Law class
1—Adams Chapter D. R., Miss Pierc
1—Q. Day Nursery Asso. Clubhouse
2—K. C. M. Club—Harriot Barbour.
2—W. W. Club—P. & D. Church.
3—Q. W. C. Mrs. Woods Cambridge.
3—Wol. Aux. W. B. of M.
3—Bethany Women's Union.
3—Quincy Alliance.
3—W. W. Club Parsifal M. E. church
4—Q. W. C. Board meeting.
8.—Junior Friday, Mrs. Wrights.
8—A. P. Q. Chapter, Mrs. Jameson.
9—Q. W. Club—Q. Music Hall.
10—Wollaston Alliance.
10—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
10—Q. W. Club—Opera Q. M. Hall.
11—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
11—St. Chrysostom's Guild Fair.
11—W. W. Club—Board meeting
15—Q. W. C. Parliamentary Law Class
15—Charitable Ten—Miss Newcomb
16—K. C. M. Club—Miss Holden.
16—W. W. Club—Q. M. Hall.
17—Quincy Alliance.
22—Junior Friday, Mrs. Thompsons.
23—Q. W. Club—10th Anniversary.
24—Wollaston Alliance.
24—Ladies' Ben. So. Wol. Cong.
25—Atlantic Shakespeare Society.
25—Hospital Aid.

EXEMPLIFY DEGREE.

A delegation of fifty from Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., accompanied the third degree staff of the lodge to South Braintree Tuesday evening when the degree was exemplified on half a dozen candidates from John Hancock lodge of Wollaston and Puritan lodge of Braintree.

MALNATI—BERNIER .

Popular Young West Quincy Couple Marry.

Miss Mary Bernier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bernier of Buckley street and G. Edmond Malnati son of Mrs. Erminia Malnati, 20 Trafford street, were married in West Quincy Tuesday evening in the presence of their immediate families.

The ceremony was performed at the St. Mary's parish house by Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, pastor. Miss Adelaide and Wilfred Bernier, sister and brother, of the bride were the attendants. A reception followed at the home of the brides parents.

The bride is a popular resident of that section. The groom is a popular South Quincy resident and is a member of the sales force at the furniture store of W. G. Shaw. They will live on Bradford street.

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Fr. Michal J. Owens, who succeeded Fr. John J. Coan as pastor of St. John's parish will be the guest of honor at a banquet tendered him by Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, in Colonial hall Thursday evening. The festivities will commence at eight o'clock and previous to that Father Owens will be given an informal reception when he will be able to meet all of the members.

The invited guests were Fr. Thomas R. McCoy of St. Mary's parish, Fr. John P. Cuffe of the parish of the Sacred Heart, State Deputy Louis A. Watson, State Secretary Daniel J. Gallagher, former deputy to the council and District Deputy Supreme Knight William J. Byrne, his successor, District Deputy Supreme Knight, Edward D. Barrett of Quincy, past grand knight of the council and James E. Geary, grand knight of Ave Maria council.

MAYOR DENIES REPORT.

Just at this season when the matter of mayor's appointments is of paramount interest, imagination sometimes works wonders in the minds of some people. So it was that the gathering of citizens held at city hall last Saturday of several men led to the report, which was given out as a fact that the mayor was holding a conference with business men regarding appointments.

The fact is however that although a meeting was held, it was for another purpose entirely and had nothing whatever to do with appointments. The meeting was one of the directors of the Wollaston Masonic Building association of which the mayor is a member. Mayor Campbell stated this morning that no such meeting as reported was held Saturday and that he regretted that it should have been given out that such was the case.

MOHAMED IN TROUBLE.

Mohamed Dray in court this morning pleaded not guilty to assault on Gregorious Gegor and Gegor not guilty of assault on Dray. Both cases were continued until Feb. 5.

BIRTHS

GRAM—In Lynn, Jan. 21, a son to Carl W. and Hazel Schlehuber Gram.

MARRIAGES.

MALNATI—BERNIER—In West Quincy, Jan. 26, by Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, G. Edmond Malnati and Mary F. Bernier, both of this city.

DEATHS

EVANS—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mrs. John Evans, of 40 Copeland street, aged 70 years.

FRENCH—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mabel Edna, beloved wife of Wm. R. French and daughter of Mrs. Annie G. Grignon, 18 years, 8 months, 9 days.
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20c Whole Beets--Matchless	can	15c
18c Tomatoes--Richardson & Robbins Fancy Packed	per dozen	$1.55
18c Crackers--National Biscuit Co.'s Choice Assorted, ten kinds	2 lbs.	25c
28c Raspberry Jam--Sears' Pure	bot.	23c
25c Graham Flour	5 lb. bag	big G. 20c

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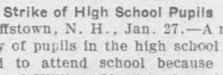
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Perry Lawton Does Not Care to Serve as Academy Trustee.

At last a member of the present official family of the city of Quincy has been found who does not desire reappointment. Strange as this may seem it is only too true. The gentleman is Perry Lawton who for many years has been a member of the Board of Managers of the Adams Academy. There was a time when this board was an important one but as far as can be learned it has been years since the board has held a meeting.

MOVE OF PEACE SOCIETY

Japanese Endeavoring to Remove Friction With United States

New York, Jan. 27.—The East and West News Bureau received a cablegram from Tokio which says:

The Japan Peace society, whose president is Premier Okuma, has organized a committee of fifteen members, consisting of prominent men, to investigate what are the causes of friction in the relations between America and Japan, and to take necessary steps to remove them.

The American branch of the peace society here has adopted the same course.

Strike of High School Pupils

Goffstown, N. H., Jan. 27.—A majority of pupils in the high school refused to attend school because the place of William Martin, the principal, whose resignation has been requested, was taken by John Gowan, who has been appointed his successor. Martin's resignation was to take effect next Saturday.

Gas Kills Justice of Peace

Boston, Jan. 27.—Otto Kalmas, 61, justice of the peace and collector, was found dead from gas poisoning in his office, with gas pouring from an open jet. The police believe he took his own life because of despondency over business troubles.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The H. C. Frick Coke company placed its 15,000 employes on full time.

Miss Nellie Wright of St. Louis killed her pet dog in order that she "might take it to heaven with her," and then committed suicide.

Mrs. Esther Primrose got a separation from George H. Primrose, minstrel, on a charge of desertion.

Fire destroyed the Hillside school for boys, the house of Principal Shapleigh and a stable, at West Lebanon, Me. The loss is $25,000.

A set of artificial teeth saved the life of Miss Cora L'Hommedieu at Atlantic City when James McDevitt fired a revolver at her.

The United States Steel corporation passed the quarterly dividend on its common stock.

Of the many reasons advanced why women should have equal suffrage one of the best was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Maud Wood Parke at the meeting of the Quincy Women's Club—that women may become equal shareholders with man in the business of life. We doubt if there could be a more just or better definition of the woman movement.

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RICHARD OLNEY IS SPEAKER

Braintree Council, K. of C. Tenders Reception to Rev. Hugh F. Blunt

DANCING CLOSES EVENING

One of the pleasantest functions witnessed in Braintree in a long time was the reception tendered by Braintree council No. 1462, Knights of Columbus, to its chaplain, Rev Hugh F. Blunt pastor of the St. Francis church and his assistant Rev. James J. Mc Morrow, the affair taking place in the Town hall Wednesday evening, shortly after 7 o'clock it being the fifth anniversary of the institution of Braintree Council.

In the receiving line were G. K. Joseph V. Cuff of Braintree council, Rev. Hugh F. Blunt, Rev. James J. McMorrow, Rev. Edward Kenny, Rev. John A. Sheridan, Rt. Rev. Monsignor Peter Ronan, S. D. Louis A. Watson, S. S. Daniel J. Gallagher, D. D. Edward D. Barrett, Hon. B. Herbert Woodsum, Henry M. Storm, George H Holbrook, Hon. Richard Olney, 2nd., Senator Louis F. R. Langelier, Rep. Hartley L. White.

Following the reception a banquet was served in the lower hall, there being about 275 present. The tables were festive with captive ballons and lighted candles while at each cover was a carnation and menu card bearing a fine likeness of Rev. Fr. Blunt From the ceiling, hung streamers and colored bells. The divine blessing was invoked by Rev. Edward Kerney.

Music was furnished by an orchestra and by the K. of C. serenaders: Messrs. Cuff, Burgess, Barnes, Mulcahy, Greelish, De Coste and Fouche who sang popular songs.

After the banquet came the speeches. A short address of welcome was delivered by G. K. Joseph V. Cuff who introduced as the first speaker, Hon. B. Herbert Woodsum, whose subject was "Town Welcome." He said in part:

"We meet here tonight as friends. We welcome these priests and congratulate them. Over all is the loyal feeling of townspeople towards all who are fair and just.

"Their mission is to lead, direct, and serve and to assist in betterment of the whole town. Braintree's financial condition is sound and credit of the best. People as a whole are comfortable and prosperous. We cordially again welcome you."

State Deputy Louis A. Watson responded to the toast "Knights of Columbus." He complimented the committee, congratulated Braintree on having such a progressive council and such able priests as Frs. Blunt and McMorrow. He alluded in a witty way to the ladies present and their beauty and brought the greetings of 30,000 loyal knights. He scored the "Menace" as a scurrilous sheet and stated that K. of C. obligation is public property and that the

(Continued on Page Three.)

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Friday fair and colder.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	7.00
Sun sets	4.55
Length of day	9.55
Moon sets	7.00
High water, A. M.	10.45
High water, P. M.	11.15
Days increase	0 hrs. 49 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	34 degrees
Jan. 28, 1914,	51 degrees
Jan. 28, 1913,	38 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

LARGE NUMBER AT PARISH REUNION

Sacred Heart Celebrates Twelfth Annual Reunion at Atlantic

GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

The twelfth annual reunion of the Sacred Heart parish was held Thursday evening in the Atlantic Music hall and not within the memory of the oldest inhabitant has the capacity of the structure been so severely taxed. This was the first time the affair was within the parish lines, in some years, Alpha hall usually being chosen for the affair, and hundreds took advantage of the nearness to home to be present.

Fr. John P. Cuffe, pastor and the dean of the Catholic clergy of the city, and Fr. P. J. McNiff, assistant pastor, were the centres of the immense throng. Guests were present, from all parts of the city, several extra cars being required to accommodate the Wollaston and Norfolk Downs parishioners and many from Metropolitan Boston, most of them former members of the parish, were among those present.

All varieties of decorations transformed the interior of the hall into a place of beauty, potted plants, palms and bunting being the foundations for the scheme.

The program was in three divisions, a concert by local artists opening the evening, dancing following and the supper bringing it to a close.

The concert opened with an orchestral selection. Miss May Stevens organist at the church then gave several piano solos and was followed by little John Chrisom who rendered a vocal solo which brought continuous applause. Miss Margaret Reardon and Miss Anna Kennedy then contributed a Highland fling and Miss Ruth St. Onge of Norfolk Downs gave a soprano solo which received thunderous applause. James Kennedy and "Too Much Mustard" had next position on the program and John Goodneau and his cornet solos were well received Miss Margaret White, violinist, Miss Florence White, her sister, cellist and J. C. Germain, pianist, with Truls B. J. Laderquist of Brockton violinist, brought the program to a close.

John A. McGowan was general manager of the reunion and Richard A. Cole was his assistant. The aids were William Drea, John Sullivan, William Shea, Carl Maibach, F. X. Germain, William Moran Wendell Sprunk, James McCarthy and Bernard Cullen.

The supper committee was John J. Herne, chairman, William Coughlin, senior assistant, Edward Ames, William T. Moran.

The matrons were Mrs. Martin Burns Mrs. Michael McGrath, Mrs. Victoria Goyette, Mrs. Fred Rhines, Mrs. Edward Harris, Mrs. Bartholomew Marshall, Mrs. D. J. Nyhan, Mrs. John Halloran, Mrs. John J. Herne, Mrs. Miles Creamer Mrs. John Campbell, Miss Margaret Cavanaugh, Mrs. Bernard Cullen, Miss Mary Collins.

The dancing was under the direction of Henry Granahan, floor marshal with Jeremiah Donovan, assistant. The aids were William McGonagle, James Keohane, Charles Duggan, John J. Cusick, J. C. Germain, Cornelius Duggan, Jr., Edward Welch Francis Martell, Joseph Duggan John F. Teenan Alphonse Pickering, Edward Sullivan.

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SAVINGS BANK BOOKS

Savings Bank Books as listed below have been lost and application has been made for payment of the accounts in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 20445	Book No. 38526
Book No. 25547	Book No. 41095
Book No. 28602	Book No. 42444
Book No. 36736	Book No. 43048

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SHOE MERCHANT TAKES BRIDE

Daniel J. Hartrey Weds Miss Katherine McEacheran

Miss Katherine A. McEacheran, daughter of Mrs. Margaret McEacheran of 261 Water street and Daniel J. Hartrey, son of Mrs. Bridget Hartrey of 100 Phipps street, and one of the shoe merchants of Quincy centre, were married Wednesday evening in the presence of their immediate relatives and friends.

The ceremony was performed at the St. Johns parish house by Fr. John J. Casey. Mae Duffy of West Quincy was bridesmaid and William J. Sullivan of Quincy was best man. The bride was dressed in a blue travelling suit, trimmed with fur, and her bridesmaid wore a black travelling suit, trimmed with fur. Both wore hats to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartrey held a reception at the home of the brides parents after the ceremony and were greeted by many of their friends, and were the recipients of many handsome gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Hartrey are now on a honeymoon trip to New York city and other points of interest. They will live at 98 Revere road where they will be at home to their friends after March 1 .

The bride is a popular young woman of this city and until a few weeks ago had charge of the pastry department at the Adams Market. Mr. Hartrey formerly travelled for a Boston shoe house. He recently purchased the shoe store at 1471 Hancock street.

CLUB HOLDS ITS FIRST BANQUET

The Nonpareil Social club, which has headquarters at Brewers corner, held its first annual banquet in the Quincy house on Wednesday evening. There was an attendance of 42, most of them members and several guests.

The post prandial exercises were under the direction of Albert Marteil and the speakers included Carl Larson and patrolman Jeremiah Dineen. An entertainment was provided by the members and consisted of piano solos by Gilbert Booth, Fred Johnson cornet solos by Thomas Djerf.

The committee in charge was Fred Dolan, Albert Marteil and Thomas Djerf.

PETERSON—HALLBERG.

John R. Peterson of 43 Jackson place connected with the oil business in this city and Judith Adina Hallberg of Braintree were married here on Tuesday evening by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church, according to a return filed with City Clerk Crane this morning.

DEVLIN—LEE.

Edward Devlin of 6 Massachusetts avenue, a driller at the Fore River shipyard, and Julia Lee, a South Boston young lady were married Tuesday evening in South Boston by Fr. John F. Burns, according to a return filed with City Clerk Crane this morning.

ELECT DONOVAN PRESIDENT

Div. 5, A. O. H., Building Association Holds Meeting.

Div. 5, A. O. H., Building association held its annual meeting in Hibernian hall Wednesday evening and elected William Donovan, president. The other officers chosen were Timothy Sullivan, vice president; Daniel Ahearn, clerk; Edward Powers, treasurer; Daniel Donahue, Patrick Graham, James Doherty, Michael Mahan, Martin O'Shaughnessy, David Warner, trustees.

WILL OBSERVE.

Paul Revere Relief Corps No. 103 and allied patriotic societies will observe McKinley Day at the home of Mrs. Kate A. Blaisdell, 93 Hancock street, Atlantic, Friday evening. The public are cordially invited.

LADIES NIGHT AT RURAL LODGE

Masons and Their Guests Enjoy Evening With Entertainment and Dancing

LARGE NUMBER ATTEND

The apartments of Rural Masonic lodge proved none too large Wednesday evening to accommodate the brothers, and their ladies who had gathered to participate in the annual ladies' night of the lodge. It was an unusually pretty party and the evening went a long way to establish a reputation of the lodge as royal entertainers. The entertainment itself was excellent and was furnished by the Temple male quartette, E. E. Bullock and A. L. Hipson tenors; F. A. Varney, baritone and G. E. McGowan bass. They were assisted by Miss Elsie Mae Gordon, reader, and Miss Edith S. Roubound, violinist.

Albert L. Hayden was chairman of the committee in charge and extended the welcome of the Worshipful Master, H. Everett Crane, the officers and members of the lodge. He said that he was supposed to make a twenty minute address but was afraid that his supply of words would not suffice for that length of time.

The program opened with a selection by the quartette, "Vocal March" for which an encore was demanded and graciously granted. The quartette were also down for several other numbers, namely a part song by Buck, "When the corn is waving," "The Mulligan Musketeers" and a good night Lullaby. Each of these numbers were heartily encored especially "The Mulligan Musketeers," which was a humorous selection as were also the encores to this number. In addition to the numbers by the quartette Mr. Hipson gave a tenor solo, "An Evening Serenade," Mr. Varney a baritone solo, "Mother Songs" with choruses by the quartette, and Mr. McGowan a bass solo, "The Storm King."

The Temple quartette is almost too well known to Quincy audiences to need any extended comment. Suffice it to say that they sustained their reputation and added many new friends.

Miss Gordon was down on the program for three numbers each of which was thoroughly enjoyed. She gave some short sketches, opening with J. Whitcomb Reileys "My Philosophy" "Kentucky Philosophy," was given for an encore. Her other numbers included stories in dialect, particularly the Italian dialect "The Besta friend" and "Reda, Whita, Blua, Hurrah I gooda Merican." Another selection which was very pleasing was "The Masterpiece," a history of the "Venus de Milo." Her closing numbers were child impersonations.

Miss Roubound was granted a warm reception, especially from the brothers who were present a few evenings ago when she appeared at an entertainment given at the close of the lodge meeting.

Miss Roubound was down on the program for two numbers, being accompanied on the piano by Miss Agnes Olson. Too much in praise can not be said of the work of this artist for she is certainly a master of the violin. Her selections were along the classical line.

At the close of the two hours program the room was darkened and a picture of the Stars and Stripes thrown on the wall by the stereopticon and the audience joined in singing "America."

At the conclusion of the program C. C. Whittemore served delicious ices and coffee. It was the intention of the committee to adjourn to one of the small halls on the next floor below for dancing, but as it was still occupied dancing was enjoyed in the banquet and reception rooms.

DISTRICT COURT.

The continued case of Frank Zeoli of Weymouth for assault was called and he was defaulted.

Umberto Giordani was arraigned for assault at Weymouth. Case continued to Feb. 16.

ASSESSOR BERGFORS REFUSES TO TENDER HIS RESIGNATION

Chairman Wm. L. Buckley of the Board Insists on Being Relieved of Duties

That there will be a radical change in the board of Assessors is now certain from things that have developed at city hall during the past few hours for William L. Buckley, chairman of the board, has urged Mayor Campbell not to consider him as desirous of remaining on the board for another year and Eric G. Bergfors, whose term expires on the first Monday in February 1916, has been requested to resign.

Wednesday Mayor Campbell after having given the matter of the board of assessors much consideration requested Mr. Bergfors to resign. That gentleman however has refused to surrender his job. This means that the mayor will probably officially remove him from office. As the mayor now intends to make his appointments public at the special meeting of the city council Friday evening and is desirous of making all of the changes in department officials contemplated at that time, it is probable that sometime today or Friday the mayor will officially remove Mr. Bergfors. This is accomplished when the Mayor files notice with the city clerk and serves a notice on Mr. Bergfors by a constable authorized to serve civil process.

In regard to Chairman Buckley the mayor said this morning that he had several conferences with Mr. Buckley, who as already stated has urged the mayor not to consider him as desirous of remaining on the board for another year, and while the term to which he was appointed does not expire until the first Monday in February 1917, he has insisted on handing the mayor his resignation, which the latter will undoubtedly accept.

The third member on the Board is Charles R. Sherman whose term expires next Monday. Just what will happen in this case can not be told until the appointments are announced

CURLEY ENDORSE FORE RIVER BILL

Writes Sen. Langelier He Favors $75,000 Appropriation By State

The bill providing for an appropriation of $75,000 to be used in connection with improvements of the Weymouth Fore river, which is contingent upon an appropriation by the government by the City of Quincy and by the Fore River Shipbuilding Corp. is still before the committee on Harbors and Lands of the legislature and while the committee will not report until it has had an opportunity to view the premises, it would seem with the strong backing which the bill has that it should receive a favorable report.

One of the strongest endorsers of the proposed bill comes from Mayor Curley of Boston as will be seen by the following letter to Senator Langelier. His Honor writes:

"I regret immeasurably that the pressure of municipal engagements prevented my appearance before your Committee to testify in favor of the measure for the improvement of Weymouth Fore River.

"The improvement named is one of imperative necessity in the general plan for the commercial development of Boston, and with contribution of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation, in the amount of $15,000 and a further contribution upon the part of the Federal Government, I can but feel that the Commonwealth should at once proceed to perform its adequate share in the important work proposed.

"I am unreservedly in favor of the project and sincerely trust that the measure may commend itself to your judgment and that of the Committee."

THALIA CLUB GIVES PLAY

The Thalia Club of girls at the Quincy High School gave a play entitled "Jack O'Hearts" at the High School Hall this afternoon at three o'clock. Boys were barred from the cast and from the audience. The play was under the direction of two of the High School teachers, Miss Thayer and Miss Brookes. The stage was decorated in a very attractive manner by the following members: Florence Crowell, Louise Churchill, Mildred Burke and Anna Campbell.

The cast:

Mary Hart,	Mildred Harrison
Winthrop Hart,	Helen Day
Dr. Hart,	Mary Casey
Mary Robinson,	Elizabeth Reed
Betty Dwyer,	Pauline Randall
John Ames,	Marion Hardy
Jack Batsford,	Margaret Hogan
A maid,	Annie Bartlett

FRANCO-AMERICAN WHIST PARTY

Fifty tables were in play at the Annual whist party and dance of the L'Union Franco-American Society held Wednesday evening in Hibernian hall. Guests were present from Braintree, Mattapan, Milton and Dorchester. The first prize for the women was won by Mrs. L. Bouchard the second women's prize was awarded Miss Blanche Lavoie and a consolation prize given Mrs. J. Gosselin. The first men's prize was won by Joseph Roberge, the second by Armand Vendret and the consolation by William Cazzazlio.

After the whist dancing was in order until midnight. Music was furnished by Provost's five-piece orchestra. The dance program consisted of fifteen numbers. During the dances solos were rendered by Albert Daley and Jack Magee.

Refreshments were served by a committee of women of the society. The floor was in charge of Ferdinand Gosselin who was assisted by John Brunet and the following aids: Albert Rizzi, Edward Joilcouer, Mrs. Joseph Rogers and Mrs. Elizabeth Bertrand.

David Littlewood, the popular driver of Foy's grocery team, has been missed from the route the past week. He has been confined to his home on Fort square by a severe cold.

NOTICE

MEMBERS OF COURT JOHN ADAMS No. 144 FORESTERS OF AMERICA. will meet at Clan MacGregor Hall on Saturday January 30, at two o'clock P. M. to attend the funeral of our late brother Ernest Wallace.

Services at Christ Church at 2.30.

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EXAMINATIONS FOR GUN SQUAD

Close to 70 App'lcations Have Been Received

Col. Warren E. Sweetser of the 6th Regt. Mass. Nat'l. Guard, issued instructions Wednesday evening to Lieut. George Downes, detailed to form a machine gun company in this city, to arrange for the surgeons examination of applicants in Union hall on Monday evening. Col. Sweetser did not say who would be assigned but it is the general belief one of the Quincy members of the medical corps of 9th Regt. will be chosen.

Requisition for a complete outfit for 55 men has been made on the state department, 10 per cent more than the militia regulations allow but no opposition to the ten per cent increase is anticiated.

Col Sweester and Lieut. Downes will both be here next Monday evening. They hope to be permitted to appear before the city council and explain how Quincy will serve as the agent of the state in money matters. The arrangement will be for the city to appropriate $900 annually for the rental of Alpha and Union halls, the state in reimburse the city.

Applications for membership in the company are being gradually received and the number now is close to 70. The applicants represent all nationalities which is possible because there is no discrimnation against nationality or relgion.

Lieut. Downes, aside from having a social program in mind which will include several dancing parties and an annual ball is in hopes of enlisting some of the local athletes in the ranks so that the company can have its own base ball, foot ball and basket ball representations, the same as other companies throughout the state.

LINDVILLE—ADAMS.

Elmer Lindville of Milton, a machinist, and Lillian Jane Adams of 135 Newport avenue, an electrical worker, were married Jan. 20, by Rev. George M. Bailey of Wollaston according to a return made this morning to City Clerk Crane.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS New Half-Year

The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

ALBERT L. BARBOUR,
Superintendent.
Jan. 26-5t

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DANGEROUS ABSURDITY.

"I had rather take a chance of my child getting burned than to have her run from a school building without wraps and run the risk of getting pneumonia."

Thus spoke one of the petitioners for an abolition or weakening of the fire drill in the schools. His words express in concrete form the dangerous absurdity of the arguments of the petitioners. The speaker appears to have a sublime disregard for any but his own child. The abolition of the fire drill not only exposes his own child to the horrible danger of a conflagration and panic but exposes the children of his fellow citizens to the same panic.

Wednesday a slight fire was discovered by a teacher in a Boston school. The signal for the fire drill was given and the 700 pupils, who had been trained to drill at any unexpected moment and had no suspicion that they were confronted by the reality, marched from the building in a minute and a half. That fire, as it happens, was a slight one but no fire can be too small to create the horrors of a panic.

The petitioners would not have any such system as this. They want children to be allowed to get their wraps before they march from the building. And then when the real fire comes either one of two things will happen: either much precious time will be consumed in getting the wraps, or which is more likely, the children will be ordered to leave the building without stopping for their wraps. And if the latter course is followed it is obvious that the children will realize that they are engaged in no drill, and the great object of the drill, an orderly flight from the building will be lost. In the panic which follows injury or death is likely to come not only to the child whose parent's statement to the school committee opened these remarks but also the children of other parents, many of whom would never have uttered such an absurdity.

A PROMISING MOVE.

The action taken by the school committee at its meeting Tuesday evening in authorizing its chairman to arrange for a conference between the school committee, Mayor Campbell, President Whiton of the city council and the chairmen of the standing committees on finance and public buildings relative to school accommodations, is a step in the right direction.

For many years there has been more or less friction between the administrative and deliberative branches and the school committee, which has worked to the disadvantage of our schools. A recent case which illustrates this was the discussion over the selection of a site for a school lot in Ward Two where the School committee recommended one site and the council committee selected another.

There has been a conflict of authority relative to the selection of school plans often with resulting delay. The city council has always claimed that it was its duty to request the mayor to procure plans which should be sent to the council, which after selecting the plan which it thought best forwarded it to the school committee for approval. On the other hand the school committee has always claimed that it should select the proper plan. Many times the council committee and school committee did not agree and as a result there was trouble and delay.

Friction always injures efficiency. It is to be hoped that the action of the School committee will be the forerunner of a general pulling together by all departments of the city government.

AN UNREASONABLE PETITION

The Wollaston petitioners who wish to abolish or weaken the fire drill in the public schools might as well save their energies for more worthy causes. The sentiment of the city as a whole is against them.

The School Committee represents the whole city and we believe, will continue to serve it by refusing to grant the unreasonable request of the petitioners.

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SYNOPSIS.

The New York police are mystified by a series of murders of prominent men. The principal clue to the murderer is the warning letter which is sent the victims, signed with a "clutching hand." The latest victim of the mysterious assassin is Taylor Dodge, the insurance president. His daughter, Elaine, employs Craig Kennedy, the famous scientific detective, to try to unravel the mystery. What Kennedy accomplishes is told by his friend, Jameson, a newspaper man.

THIRD EPISODE

The Vanishing Jewels.

Banging away at my typewriter the next day, in Kennedy's laboratory, I was startled by the sudden, insistent ringing of the telephone near me.

"Hello," I answered, for Craig was at work at his table, trying still to extract some clue from the slender evidence thus far elicited in the Dodge mystery.

"Oh, Mr. Kennedy," I heard an excited voice over the wire reply, "my friend, Susie Martin, is here. Her father has just received a message from that Clutching Hand and—"

"Just a moment, Miss Dodge," I interrupted. "This is Mr. Jameson."

"Oh!" came back the voice, breathless and disappointed. "Let me have Mr. Kennedy—quick."

I had already passed the telephone to Craig and was watching him keenly as he listened over it.

He motioned to me for a pad and pencil that lay near me.

"Please read the letter again, slower, Miss Dodge," he asked, adding, "there isn't time for me to see it—just yet. But I want it exactly. You say it is made up of separate words and type cut from newspapers and pasted on note paper?"

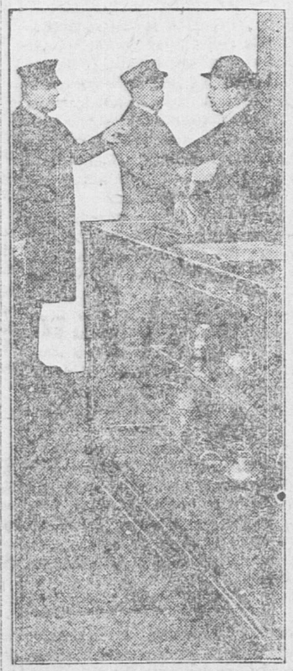
I handed him paper and pencil.

"All right, now, Miss Dodge, go ahead."

As he wrote he indicated to me by his eyes that he wanted me to read. I did so:

Sturtevant Martin, Jeweler,
No. 739½ Fifth Avenue, New York City.
Sir—As you have failed to deliver the $10,000, I shall rob your main diamond case at exactly noon today.

"Thank you, Miss Dodge," continued Kennedy, laying down the pencil. "Yes, I understand perfectly—signed by that same Clutching Hand. Let me see," he pondered, looking at his watch. "It is now half-past eleven. Very well. I shall meet you and Miss



A Remarkable Scene Greeted Us.

Martin at Mr. Martin's store directly."

It lacked five minutes of noon when Kennedy and I dashed up before Martin's and dismissed our taxicab.

A remarkable scene greeted us as we entered the famous jewelry shop. Involuntarily I drew back. Squarely in front of us a man had suddenly raised a revolver and leveled it at us.

"Don't!" cried a familiar voice. "That is Mr. Kennedy!"

Just then, from a little knot of people, Elaine Dodge sprang forward with a cry and seized the gun.

Kennedy turned to her, apparently not half so much concerned about the automatic that yawned at him as about the anxiety of the pretty girl who had intervened. The too eager plain-clothes man lowered the gun sheepishly.

Sturtevant Martin was a typical society business man, quietly but richly dressed.

In the excitement I glanced about hurriedly.

Directly in front of me was a sign tacked up on a pillar, which read: "This store will be closed at noon today. Martin & Co."

All the customers were gone.

Martin himself was evidently very nervous and very much alarmed. Indeed, no one could blame him for that. Merely to have been singled out by this amazing master criminal was enough to cause panic. Already he had engaged detectives, prepared for whatever might happen, and they had advised him to leave the diamonds in the counter, clear the store and let the crooks try anything, if they dared.

Just back of us, and around the corner, as we came in, we had noticed a limousine which had driven up. Three faultlessly attired dandies had entered a doorway down the street, as we learned afterward, apparently going to a fashionable tailor's which occupied the second floor of the old-fashioned building, the first floor having been renovated and made ready for renting. Had we been there a moment sooner we might have seen, I suppose, that one of them nodded to a taxicab driver, who was standing at a public hack stand a few feet up the block. The driver nodded unostentatiously back at the man.

In spite of the excitement, Kennedy quietly examined the showcase, which was, indeed, a veritable treasure store of brilliants.

Slowly the hands of the clock came nearer together at noon.

We all gathered about the showcase, with its glittering hoard of wealth, forming a circle at a respectable distance.

In deep-lunged tones the clock played the chords written, I believe, by Handel. Then it began striking.

Nothing had happened.

We all breathed a sigh of relief.

"Well, it is still there!" exclaimed Martin, pointing at the showcase with a forced laugh.

Suddenly came a rending and crashing sound. It seemed as if the very floor on which we stood was giving way.

The showcase, with all its priceless contents, went smashing into the cellar below.

The flooring beneath the case had been cut through!

All crowded forward, gazing at the black, yawning cavern.

Down below, three men, covered with smocks and their faces hidden by masks, had knocked the props away from the ceiling of the cellar, which they had sawed almost through at their leisure, and the showcase had landed eight or ten feet below, shivered into a thousand bits.

A volley of shots whizzed past us, and another. While one crook was hastily stuffing the untold wealth of jewels into a burlap bag the others had drawn revolvers and were firing up through the hole in the floor desperately.

"Look out!" cried someone behind us before we could recover from our first surprise and return the fire.

One of the desperadoes had taken a bomb from under his smock, lighted it and thrown it up through the hole in the floor.

It called up over our heads and landed near our little group, on the floor, the fuse sputtering ominously.

I heard an exclamation of fear from Elaine.

Kennedy had pushed his way past us and picked up the deadly infernal machine in his bare hands.

I watched him, fascinated. As near as he dared, he approached the hole in the floor, still holding the thing off at arm's length. Would he never throw it?

He was coolly holding it, allowing the fuse to burn down closer to the explosion point.

It was now within less than an inch of sure death.

Suddenly he raised it and hurled the deadly thing down through the hole.

We could hear the imprecations of the crooks as it struck the cellar floor, near them.

"Leave the store—quick!" rang out Kennedy's voice.

Down below the crooks were beating a hasty retreat through a secret entrance which they had effected.

"The bag! The bag!" we could hear one of them bellow.

"The bomb—run!" cried another voice gruffly.

The explosion that followed lifted us fairly off our feet.

As the smoke from the explosion cleared away, Kennedy could be seen, the first to run forward.

Meanwhile Martin's detectives had rushed down a flight of back stairs that led into a coal cellar. With coal shovels and bars, anything they could lay hands on, they attacked the door that opened forward from the coal cellar into the front basement where the robbers had been.

A moment Kennedy and Bennett paused on the brink of the abyss which the bomb had made, waiting for the smoke to decrease. Then they began to climb down cautiously over the piled-up wreckage.

The explosion had set the basement afire, but the fire had not gained much headway by the time they reached the basement. Quickly Kennedy ran to the door into the coal cellar and opened it.

From the other side Martin, followed by the police and the detectives, burst in.

"Fire!" cried one of the policemen, leaping back to turn in an alarm from the special apparatus upstairs.

All except Martin began beating out the flames, using such weapons as they already held in their hands to batter down the door.

To Martin there was one thing paramount—the jewels.

In the midst of the confusion, Elaine, closely followed by her friend, Susie, made her way fearlessly into the stifle of smoke down the stairs.

"There are your jewels, Mr. Martin," cried Kennedy, kicking the precious burlap bag with his foot as if it had been so much ordinary merchandise, and turning toward what was in his mind the most important thing at stake—the direction taken by the agents of the Clutching Hand.

"Thank heaven!" ejaculated Martin, fairly pouncing on the bag and tearing it open. "They didn't get away with them—after all!" he exclaimed, examining the contents with satisfaction.

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Events were moving rapidly.

The limousine had been standing innocently enough at the curb near the corner, with the taxicab close behind it.

Less than ten minutes after they had entered, three well-dressed men came out of the vacant shop, apparently from the tailor's above, and climbed leisurely into their car.

As the last one entered, he half turned to the taxicab driver, hiding from passers-by the sign of the Clutching Hand, which the taxicab driver returned in the same manner. Then the big car whirled up the avenue.

All this we learned later from a street sweeper who was at work near by.

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Down below, while the police and detectives were putting out the fire, Kennedy was examining the wall of the cellar, looking for the spot where the crooks had escaped.

"A secret door!" he exclaimed, as he paused after tapping along the wall to determine its character. "You can see how the force of the explosion has loosened it."

Sure enough, when he pointed it out to us, it was plainly visible. One of the detectives picked up a crowbar and others, still with the hastily selected implements they had seized to fight the fire, started in to pry it open.

As it yielded Kennedy rushed his way through; Elaine, always utterly fearless, followed. Then the rest of us went through.

There seemed to be nothing, however, that would help us in the cellar next door, and Kennedy mounted the steps of a stairway in the rear.

The stairway led to a sort of storeroom, full of barrels and boxes, but otherwise characterless. When I arrived Kennedy was gingerly holding up the smocks which the crooks had worn.

"We're on the right trail," commented Elaine as he showed them to her, "but where do you suppose the owners are?"

Craig shrugged his shoulders and gave a quick look about. "Evidently they came in from and went away by the street," he observed, hurrying to the door, followed by Elaine.

On the sidewalk he gazed up the avenue, then catching sight of the street cleaner, called to him.

"Yes, sor," replied the man, stolidly, looking up from his work. "I see three gintlemen come out and get into an automobile."

"Which way did they go?" asked Kennedy.

For answer the man jerked his thumb over his shoulder in the general direction uptown.

With keen glance, Kennedy strained his eyes. Far up the avenue he could descry the car threading its way in and out among the others, just about disappearing.

A moment later Craig caught sight of the vacant taxicab and crooked his finger at the driver, who answered promptly by cranking his engine.

"You saw that limousine standing here?" asked Craig.

"Yes," nodded the chauffeur, with a show of alertness.

"Well, follow it," ordered Kennedy, jumping into the cab.

"Yes, sir."

Craig was just about to close the door when a slight figure flashed past us and a dainty foot was placed on the step.

"Please, Mr. Kennedy," pleaded Elaine, "let me go. They may lead to my father's slayer."

She said it so earnestly that Craig could scarcely have resisted if he had wanted to do so.

Just as Elaine and Kennedy were moving off I came out of the vacant store, with Bennett and the detectives.

"Craig!" I cried. "Where are you going?"

Kennedy stuck his head out of the window, and I am quite sure that he was not altogether displeased that I was not with him.

"Chasing that limousine," he shouted back. "Follow us in another car."

A moment later he and Elaine were gone.

Bennett and I looked about.

"There are a couple of cabs—down there." I pointed out at the other end of the block. "I'll take one, you take the other."

Who, besides Bennett, went in the other car I don't know, but it made no difference, for we soon lost them. Our driver, however, was a really clever fellow. Far ahead now we could see the limousine drive around a corner, making a dangerous swerve. Kennedy's cab followed, skidding dangerously near a pole.

But the taxicab was no match for the powerful limousine. On uptown they went, the only thing preventing the limousine from escaping being the fear of pursuit by traffic police if the driver let out speed. They were content to manage to keep just far enough ahead to be out of danger of having Kennedy overhaul them. As for us, we followed as best we could, on uptown, past the city line, and out into the country.

There Kennedy lost sight altogether of the car he was trailing. Worse than that, we lost sight of Kennedy. Still we kept on blindly, trusting to luck and common sense in picking the road.

I was peering ahead over the driver's shoulder, the window down, trying to direct him, when we approached a fork in the road. Here was a dilemma which must be decided at once, rightly or wrongly.

As we neared the crossroad I gave an involuntary exclamation. Beside the road, almost on it, lay the figure of a man. Our driver pulled up with a jerk and I was out of the car in an instant.

There lay Kennedy! Someone had blackjacked him. He was groaning and just beginning to show signs of consciousness as I bent over.

"What's the matter, old man?" I asked, helping him to his feet.

He looked about dazed a moment, then seeing me and comprehending, he pointed excitedly, but vaguely.

"Elaine!" he cried. "They've kidnaped Elaine!"

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What had really happened, as we learned later from Elaine and others, was that when the crossroads was reached the three crooks in the limousine had stopped long enough to speak to an accomplice stationed there, according to their plan for a getaway. He was a tough-looking individual who might have been hoboing it to the city.

When, a few minutes later, Kennedy and Elaine had approached the fork, their driver had slowed up, as if



Kennedy Quietly Examined the Showcase.

in doubt which way to go. Craig had stuck his head out of the window, as I had done, and, seeing the crossroads, had told the chauffeur to stop. There stood the hobo.

"Did a car pass here, just now—a big car?" called Craig.

The man put his hand to his ear, as if only half comprehending.

"Which way did the big car go?" repeated Kennedy.

The hobo approached the taxicab sullenly, as if he had a grudge against cars in general.

One question after another elicited little that could be construed as intelligence. If Craig had only been able to see, he would have found out that, with his back toward the taxicab driver, the hobo held one hand behind him and made the sign of the Clutching Hand, glancing surreptitiously at the driver to catch the answering sign, while Craig gazed earnestly up the two roads.

At last Craig gave him up as hopeless. "Well—go ahead—that way," he indicated, picking the most likely road.

As the chauffeur was about to start he stalled his engine.

"Hurry!" urged Craig, exasperated at the delays.

The driver got out and tried to crank the engine. Again and again he turned it over, but somehow it refused to start. Then he lifted the hood and began to tinker.

"What's the matter?" asked Craig, impatiently jumping out and bending over the engine, too.

The driver shrugged his shoulders. "Must be something wrong with the ignition, I guess," he replied.

Kennedy looked the car over hastily. "I can't see anything wrong," he frowned.

"Well, there is," growled the driver.

Precious minutes were speeding away as they argued. Finally with his characteristic energy, Kennedy put the taxicab driver aside.

"Let me try it," he said. "Miss Dodge, will you arrange that spark and throttle?"

Elaine, equal to anything, did so, and Craig bent down and cranked the engine. It started on the first spin.

"See," he exclaimed. "There wasn't anything, after all."

He took a step toward the taxicab.

"Mr. Kennedy—look out!" cried Elaine.

Craig turned. But it was too late. The rough-looking fellow had awakened to life. Suddenly he stepped up behind Kennedy with a blackjack. As the heavy weight descended Craig crumpled up on the ground unconscious.

With a scream, Elaine turned and started to run. But the chauffeur seized her arm.

"Say, bo," he asked of the rough fellow, "what does Clutching Hand want with her? Quick! There's another cab likely to be along in a moment with that fellow Jameson in it."

The rough fellow, with an oath, seized her and dragged her into the taxicab. "Go ahead!" he growled, indicating the road.

And away they sped, leaving Kennedy unconscious on the side of the road, where we found him.

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"What are we to do?" I asked helplessly of Kennedy, when we had at last got him on his feet.

His head still ringing from the force of the blow of the blackjack, Craig stooped down, then knelt in the dust of the road, then ran ahead a bit, where it was somewhat muddy.

"Which way—which way?" he muttered to himself.

I thought perhaps the blow had affected him and leaned over to see what he was doing. Instead, he was studying the marks made by the tire of the Clutching Hand cab.

More slowly now and carefully, we proceeded, for a mistake meant losing the trail of Elaine.

We came to another crossroads and the driver glanced at Craig. "Stop!" he ordered.

In another instant he was down in the dirt, examining the road for marks.

"That way!" he indicated, leaping back to the running board.

We piled back into the car and proceeded under Kennedy's direction, as fast as he would permit. So it continued, perhaps for a couple of hours.

At last Kennedy stopped the cab and slowly directed the driver to veer into an open space that looked particularly lonesome. Near it stood a one-story brick factory building, closed, but not abandoned.

As I looked about at the unattractive scene, Kennedy already was down on his knees in the dirt again, studying the tire tracks. They were all confused, showing that the taxicab we were following had evidently backed in and turned several times before going on.

"Crossed by another set of tire tracks!" he exclaimed excitedly, studying closer. "That must have been the limousine, waiting."

Laboriously he was following the course of the cars in the open space, when one word escaped him, "Footprints!"

He was up and off in a moment, before we could imagine what he was after. We had got out of the cab, and followed him as, down to the very shore of a sort of cove or bay, he went. There lay a rusty, discarded boiler on the beach, half submerged in the rising tide. At this tank the footprints seemed to go right down the sand and into the waves, which were slowly obliterating them. Kennedy gazed out as if to make out a possible boat on the horizon where the cove widened out.

"Look!" I cried.

Further down the shore, a few feet, I had discovered the same prints, going in the opposite direction, back toward the place from which he had just come. I started to follow them but soon found myself alone. Kennedy had paused beside the old boiler.

"What is it?" I asked, retracing my steps.

He did not answer, but seemed to be listening. We listened also. There certainly was a most peculiar noise inside that tank.

Was it a muffled scream?

Kennedy reached down and picked up a rock, hitting the tank with a resounding blow. As the echo died down, he listened again.

Yes, there was a sound—a scream, perhaps—a woman's voice, faint, but unmistakable.

I looked at his face inquiringly. Without a word I read in it the confirmation of the thought that had flashed into my mind.

Elaine Dodge was inside!

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First had come the limousine, with its three bandits, to the spot fixed on as a rendezvous. Later had come the taxicab. As it hove into sight, the three well-dressed crooks had drawn revolvers, thinking perhaps the plan for getting rid of Kennedy might possibly have miscarried. But the taxicab driver and the rough-faced fellow had reassured them with the sign of the Clutching Hand, and the revolvers were lowered.

As they parleyed hastily, the roughneck and the fake chauffeur lifted Elaine out of the taxi. She was bound and gagged.

"Well, now we've got her, what shall we do with her?" asked one.

"It's got to be quick. There's another cab," put in the driver.

"The deuce with that."

"The deuce with nothing," he returned. "That fellow Kennedy's a clever one. He may come to. If he does, he won't miss us. Quick, now!"

"See," cried the third. "See that old boiler down there at the edge of the water? Why not put her in there? No one'll ever think to look in such a place."

With a hasty expression of approval, the roughneck picked Elaine up bodily, still struggling vainly, and together they carried her, bound and gagged, to the tank. The opening, which was toward the water, was small, but they managed, roughly, to thrust her in.

A moment later and they had rolled up a huge bowlder against the small entrance, bracing it so that it would be impossible for her to get out from the inside. Then they drove off hastily.

Frantically Elaine managed to loosen the gag. She screamed. Her voice seemed to be bound around by the iron walls as she was herself. She shuddered. The water was rising—had reached her chest, and was still rising, slowly, inexorably.

What was that? Silence? Or was someone outside?

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Coolly, in spite of the emergency, Kennedy took in the perilous situation.

The lower end of the boiler, which was on a slant on the rapidly shelving beach, was now completely under water and impossible to get at. Besides, the opening was small, too small.

Kennedy gazed about frantically and his eye caught the sign on the factory:

OXYACETYLENE WELDING CO.

"Come, Walter," he cried, running up the shore.

A moment later, breathless, we reached the doorway. It was, of course, locked. Kennedy whipped out his revolver and several well-directed shots through the keyhole smashed the lock. We put our shoulders to it and swung the door open, entering the factory.

Beside a work bench stood two long cylinders, studded with bolts.

"That's what I'm looking for," exclaimed Craig. "Here, Walter, take one. I'll take the other—and the tubes—and—"

We ran, for there was no time to lose. As nearly as I could estimate it, the water must now be slowly closing over Elaine.

"What is it?" I asked, as he joined up the tubes from the tanks to the peculiar hooklike apparatus he carried.

"An oxyacetylene blowpipe," he muttered back feverishly. "Used for welding and cutting, too," he added.

With a light he touched the nozzle, instantly a hissing, blinding flame-needle made the steel under it incandescent. The terrific heat from one nozzle made the steel glow. The stream of oxygen from the second completely consumed the hot metal.

Kennedy was actually cutting out a huge hole in the still exposed surface of the tank—all around, except for a few inches, to prevent the heavy piece from falling inward.

As Kennedy carefully bent outward the section of the tank which he had cut, he quickly reached down and lifted Elaine, unconscious, out of the water.

Gently he laid her on the sand. It was the work of only a moment to cut the cords that bound her hands.

There she lay, pale and still. Was she dead?

Kennedy worked frantically to revive her.

At last, slowly, the color seemed to return to her pale lips. Her eyelids fluttered. Then her great, deep eyes opened.

As she looked up and caught sight of Craig bending anxiously over her she seemed to comprehend. For a moment both were silent. Then Elaine reached up and took his hand.

"Craig," she whispered, "you—you've saved my life!"

Her tone was eloquent.

"Elaine," he whispered, still gazing down into her wonderful eyes, "the Clutching Hand shall pay for this! It is a fight to a finish between us!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE EDUCATIONAL FIELD

THOMAS CRANE PUBLIC LIBRARY
HIGH SCHOOL PUBLIC SCHOOLS
WOODWARD INSTITUTE PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

Instead of being on exhibition in the art gallery of the Public Library, the pictures this week are on the shelves in the children's room, for they are typical children's pictures. How Mr. and Mrs. Elephant invite the other animals on a most enjoyable picnic and how the rain drives them all home, is told in 27 pictures called the "Animal Picnic." How the animals go on a pleasure excursion, and how Mrs. Hippo and Mr. Elephant break the gangplank as they together board the boat "Crocodile", are graphically told in a series of 19 pictures called the "Animals Pleasure Excursion." The illustrations by G. H. Thompson are humorous treatments of the French text by J. Jacquin, which, both in the original and in the translation, accompanies the pictures.

That the boys and girls enjoy their privilege, is evident. Many of the animal drawings are pen and ink sketches, but some are highly colored, yet both styles are equally pleasing to the children.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS CONFERENCE.

The School committee has taken the initiative in arranging for a conference with the mayor and such chairmen of committees as will have to consider any school building projects that will come up during the year in order to agree if possible on what the building policy should be. It is plain that a building policy which is pursued while a city is growing from 20,000 to 40,000 is not adequate for the next period while the city will presumably grow from 40,000 to 80,000. In other words while the city is growing at the rate of 8 or 9 rooms a year and more, the city will need to provide for its needs in different measure than when it grew at half that rate.

It is an unwise policy to continue to build small schools which can not be enlarged, because in 20 years time, the city would be dotted with small buildings which would be entirely inadequate for its needs. For that reason it seems a wise policy for the whole city government which has a share in the building policy of the schools to get together in a business conference and look at the whole situation as thoroughly as can be done.

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL.

There ought to be little reason for confusion as to the no-school signal in the homes where children attend school. All children are told frequently and emphatically at what time the signal is rung and whether or not the signal applies to their room.

It has also been made plain again and again that the High school never suspends its sessions on account of storm.

CHANGES NEXT HALF YEAR.

The new half year will find one additional room occupied at the Adams, Cranch and John Hancock schools, one small class room at the Coddington and three rooms at the Atherton Hough. There will be left unoccupied in the city at that time, two rooms at the Gridley Bryant, one at the Atherton Hough and one at the Adams school. It is estimated that if the new school, projected on the Lowe street lot were ready now, nine rooms would immediately be put in use to relieve the congestion at the Washington and Coddington and bring back those who had been previously sent out of the district to the Adams school.

SCHOOL NURSE.

The offer of the services of a school nurse to the school committee and the appointment of such an official to begin work gives great satisfaction to all who are interested and concerned in the welfare of children. This seems to be an unusually good time to begin such work because there has not been a time for years when there has been so much privation in the city or when so many children have been kept at home because of the lack of proper clothing or shoes, all of which contributes to illness and general discomfort.

The next meeting of the school committee on a date not yet determined will be a special one for the consideration of the annual budget. Of course the finance committee has not yet taken up the matter but the unusually large increase in attendance the present year makes it certain that the increase will be reflected in the additional teachers required, together with the books and supplies needed to equip the new pupils.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S GUILD.

The Women's Guild of St. Chrysostom's church met with a good attendance at 10 A. M. Wednesday in the Guild room of the parish house for a sewing meeting. Luncheon was served by Mrs. William Klingenhagen, Mrs. Eleazer F. Drew and Mrs. George J. Poch.

At 2.30 P. M. the regular missionary meeting of the Guild was called to order by the president, Mrs. Daniel C. Miller. The secretary and treasurer Miss Annie Clean read the usual reports.

Mrs. Frederick H. Steenstra, chairman of the calling committee, has appointed Mrs. Theodore Parker, Atlantic district; Mrs. William Klingenhagen, the Park; Mrs. George Horte Montclair; Mrs. Fred A. Kelley the hill, and Mrs. Frederick S. White the plains.

The chair appointed as an executive board: Mrs. Anna K. Lee, Mrs. Alice J. Bainbridge, Mrs. Herbert H. Albee, Mrs. Edward F. Parlee, Miss Mattie Clean and Miss Elizabeth Cook.

The leader of the Junior Auxiliary, Mrs. George J. Poch, reported the Juniors were willing to give a gas heater for the room, but as Mrs. Jewell has offered the loan of one indefinitely, they said they would decide on another gift.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Jewell have given a picture to the Guild room, which adds much to the attractiveness of the room. It is a photogravure copy from Jennie Brinscombe's oil painting in the Metropolitan Museum of Art entitled "Easter morning at St. Ignatius church"

The main topic of the afternoon was the discussion of the fair to be held Feb. 11. Mrs. David L. Jewell gave an excellent report of the Auxiliary meeting held Jan. 20 at St. Paul's cathedral room, Boston. At the all day sewing meeting Feb. 10 it was voted to have a basket luncheon. Hot coffee will be served.

MINCHIN—GILES.

A wedding of interest to Quincy people was solemnized this afternoon at Braintree, the bride being Miss M. Dorothy Giles, daughter of the late Mrs. J. B. Giles of South Quincy, and the groom Arthur Frederic Minchin, son of M. Alonzo and the late Alice Gould Minchin of 255 Middle street, Braintree. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother the ceremony was extremely quiet only the immediate family friends being present.

The ceremony was at two o'clock, Rev. Harry Grimes of the First Congregational church officiating, the double ring service being used. Charles H. Wood of Boston, M. I. T. 1913 was best man and the maid of honor was Miss Marguerite E. MacLeod of Quincy, B. C. 1914.

The bride wore a black velvet traveling suit, fur trimmed and the maid of honor a fur trimmed blue suit.

As souvenirs of the happy occasion the maid of honor received a pearl ring from the bride, and the best man pearl studded cuff links from the groom. The bride wore a pearl necklace the gift of the groom.

Following a dinner to the bridal party at the United States hotel, Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Minchin leave for a trip to New York and Washington. They are to reside at 255 Middle street, Braintree, where they will be at home to their friends after March first.

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Would Not Be Objected to by Rockefeller, but He Does Not Think Such an Amendment to Charter Necessary—Cannot Become Menace to Democratic Institutions

New York, Jan. 28.—The possible danger that the great philanthropic foundations, with their immense resources, might seek to dominate the churches, schools and people of the country, was suggested to John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at the investigation that is being conducted into the activities of the foundations by the federal commission on industrial relations.

Such an effort, Rockefeller said, would never be made, because, in the first place, the people of the United States would never tolerate such a thing, and, secondly, the foundations had no such idea. Their sole purpose, he said, was to bring about better conditions.

Referring to the Rockefeller foundation, he declared that even in the remote future there was no danger that its directors might not be men of the same high ideals as those who at present controlled its policies.

He had no objection, he said, to a "court of last resort," consisting of the President of the United States, the governor of New York and the presidents of several universities, with the power of veto over the foundation, but he did not think that such an amendment to the charter was necessary. He did not believe that within the terms of its charter the foundation could participate in politics, "in the defense of the trusts" or in anything other than its stated philanthropic purposes.

Rockefeller said the general educational board does not attempt to influence educational institutions aided by it as to what they should teach or in any way to impress any policy upon them.

He emphatically defended the Rockefeller foundation from the charge that it might become a menace to liberalism or democratic institutions. It was always subject to public opinion, he declared, and public opinion would force legislative curbing of it unless it proved beneficial to American institutions.

Chairman Walsh cited a hypothetical case in which the foundation might desire to have circulated a speech of W. L. M. King opposing certain suggestions which might be made by Frank V. Hays of the United Mine Workers of America. Walsh asked if the funds of the foundation could be used to circulate King's speech.

Rockefeller thought they could. He did not know exactly where he would draw the line, but thought Walsh's question was based upon the assumption that no man could successfully serve two interests.

"That is wrong," Rockefeller said. "There are many men who can successfully serve two interests."

He thought he could serve the United Mine Workers of America and the Colorado Fuel and Iron company at the same time and be absolutely fair to both.

Rockefeller said he did not believe union leaders should have the right to call strikes without consulting the workers themselves. Neither did he think that the employes should have the right to stop work without appealing to their constituency.

No business had a right to exist unless it could provide for its employes as well as its stockholders, he declared, and he was glad to say he believed employers of labor were coming more and more to lend a helping hand in every way to their employes.

He would welcome suggestions from the commission in regard to any method by which the conditions of employes of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company could be bettered. He added that it would be a valuable help to directors of corporations if representatives of labor would make suggestions regarding methods of improving the condition of the workers.

Suicide Leaves Farewell Note

Adams, Mass., Jan. 28.—Mrs. Exina Rousseau, wife of a wholesale bottler of this city, wrote a note to her husband and son, saying "goodbye," and telling them they would find her body in Dry brook. The body was discovered floating in the brook. The woman had been oppressed by severe headaches.

Falls Seven Stories to Death

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 28.—Manuel Mendel, 24, was killed instantly when he plunged head foremost seven stories down an elevator well in a shoe factory under construction. Mendel was covering the top of the elevator well with temporary planking when he lost his balance.

An Apology From Canada

Washington, Jan. 28.—Sir Joseph Pope, under secretary of foreign affairs for Canada, called on Secretary Bryan to formally express regret for the recent shooting of two American duck hunters near Fort Erie, Ont., and to arrange compensation for the families of the men.

RICHARD OLNEY

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alleged "oath" is vile, slanderous, impish and untrue. He praised the work of the order of Knights of Columbus and of Braintree Council.

Rt. Rev. Monsignor Peter Ronan, pastor of St. Peter's parish, Dorchester delivered an address in which he stated that it was the first time he had had the honor of addressing a Braintree audience. Nearly 43 years ago when the Braintree parish was still a part of St. John's parish Quincy he said he came very near being the pastor. At that time he was Senior Curate of the Boston diocese but was sent to the Providence diocese and when he came back the Quincy parish had been given to Rev. Fr. Francis of blessed memory. Rev. Fr. Ronan was then sent back to the Boston diocese.

He told of the growth of St. Peter's parish where Fr. Blunt labored as his assistant pastor. He spoke of Fr. Blunt as able, talented, bright and said that in his opinion Cardinal O'Connell could have chosen no better man for the St. Francis parish. Monsignor Ronan congratulated the selectmen on having such an able representative of the catholic faith in Braintree.

Rep. Hartley L. White responding to "The Legislature" congratulated Braintree council on its five years of progress. He spoke of the assembled knights as brethren and expressed the view that serving our fellow men is the only way to worship God. He discredited the "Menace" as not being worthy the notice of sensible men. In closing he brought the greetings and good wishes of Governor Walsh and briefly described the organization of the Massachusetts Great and General Court.

Congressman Richard Olney, 2nd, congratulated Frs. Blunt and McMorrow and in response to the toast "American Government" described the marvellous growth and expansion of the U. S. He thanked the Braintree citizens for their votes cast for him in a Republican stronghold. He paid a tribute to Cardinal Gibbons and thought the Democrats went too far in reducing the duty on shoes, saying there should be a limit on the revision of the tariff.

Rev. James J. McMorrow, assistant pastor of St. Francis church said he would defer his remarks on "The Catholic American" until next Sunday He expressed the hope that his services would be always pleasing to the people of Braintree and said he appreciated the welcome tendered him.

State Senator Langelier on "Made in U. S. A." congratulated the priests and the people on having such a fine council as Braintree 1462. He said American markets should be for American producers and made a plea for articles made in U. S. A.

Rev. Hugh F. Blunt said the reception and welcome tendered him was one of the pleasantest occasions of his career and he realized it was prompted by love and loyalty to the priesthood which he represented. He called the K. of C. the right arm of the Catholic church and thanked God for the Catholic laity as being one of the bulwarks of the church. As a toast to the ladies, all rose and sang "America," followed by "Auld Lang Syne."

Afterwards dancing was enjoyed in the upper hall until midnight. The orchestra was hidden behind a bank of palms and greenery and confetti bombs hurled from the balcony over the heads of the dancers caused much merriment.

COMMITTEES MEET SUNDAY.

The combined entertainment and athletic committees of the Quincy High School Alumni association meets Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Dorothy Packard to discuss plans for a social program to be given under the auspices of the association in the near future.

MRS. MARGARET DILL.

Mrs. Margaret Dill, mother of Mrs. Thomas V. Keating, died at her home this morning in her 59th year. She was a resident of Augusta, Me., but has been living here for some time. She is survived by her husband, Charles H Dill of Augusta, and several children, including Mrs. Keating and Mrs. Ralph Hoxie of Quincy. Her funeral will be Saturday morning.

RE-ELECT MISS BROWN.

Miss Eva M. Brown of Quincy was re-elected one of the vice presidents of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society at its 44th annual meeting in Boston Wednesday. Hon. John D. Long of Hingham was re-elected as president.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Editor, The Ledger:

The per capita fire loss in the United States is approximately nine times greater than the normal average loss in six leading European countries. This tremendous fire waste is very largely preventable, and hence, should demand the attention of the authorities and individual property owners, as same results in great economic loss to the community. This enormous waste is due to an indifferent public, to defective and poor construction and to lack of proper protection.

The public are slowly noting their responsibility to this situation, their awakening caused mainly by higher taxes and necessarily higher insurance rates. The architects and builders, frequently unrestricted by good building laws, have been slow to give proper attention to construction matters, such as floor cut-offs and other details important from a fire standpoint, but improvement is slowly but surely being brought about by a general campaign of education.

After giving full consideration to good fire departments, the best known agency for preventing the spread of fires within buildings is the automatic sprinkler. This device has been perfected within recent years, and the record of thousands of fires which have been extinguished or held in control by sprinklers is evidence of their efficiency and reliability, also of their great assistance to fire departments. Too much emphasis cannot be put on the far reaching importance of such systems, and today the authorities in many cities are given power to require the installation of this automatic protection under certain conditions in the interests of the community, to lessen the chance of serious fire and to make life more secure in public meeting places, hospitals, schools, factories and mercantile establishments.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

On the night of December 28th the Cambridge City Home was partially destroyed by fire. A paint shop and a dumb waiter are said to have caused the rapid spread of fire to upper floors, where 200 or more aged people were sleeping. That a great many lives were not lost is entirely due to good fortune. The firemen and police did excellent work and held the list of fatalities to six, although a number were injured. Comparatively inexpensive building improvements and an automatic sprinkler equipment would have saved this needless sacrifice of life and loss of property. The usual investigation to fix responsibility has since been held.

The Quincy City Home represents in general the same problems, except on a smaller scale. We are given to understand that conditions here are safe, as the State Police report adequate fire escapes. Experience has shown that the value of open outside fire escapes is greatly over estimated, for they can be easily rendered useless by smoke from fire in lower floors or by ice or obstruction, at best, they can be called "better than nothing." The matter of first importance is not outside escapes, but prompt extinguishing of a fire in its incipiency, and to this end careful consideration can well be given to a partial or complete sprinkler equipment.

A large number of disastrous fires in public institutions have occurred, too frequently accompanied by loss of life, which have shown entire neglect of the important principles of fire prevention.

SCHOOL HOUSES AND DORMITORIES.

Terrible loss of children's lives has occurred in public and private schoolhouses, due to fire, and progressive communities are now requiring the installation of sprinkler systems in schoolhouses, particularly buildings of older construction.

The fire which entirely destroyed the largest building of Wellesley College will soon be forgotten. That the lives of several hundred students who were asleep on the upper floors were not lost was due only to good management and drill. Had the fire started in a less favorable location, a horrible loss of life would have been inevitable. If this property had been provided with an efficient automatic sprinkler equipment, there is little question but that the fire loss would have been negligible, and the number of lives which were imperilled would have been reasonably safe.

Numerous cases can be cited of preventable school and dormitory fires accompanied by great sacrifice of life.

THEATRES AND PUBLIC HALLS.

In most instances, too little attention is given to the safety of audiences in public meeting places.

In a Quincy paper we read, that on the evening of December 26th there was a narrow escape from fire panic in one of our local theatres. By good fortune, this fire was put out by hand chemical extinguishers and with the assistance of the fire department. In many cities the building ordinances very properly require automatic sprinklers in at least certain parts of all theatres, with a view to taking all reasonable steps to safeguard life and as far as possible prevent fire panic, and incidentally to prevent serious property loss.

FACTORIES AND MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENTS.

A large proportion of the leading manufacturing plants in this country are protected by sprinkler systems, and business men in general are slowly appreciating the business necessity of attention to modern fire protective equipment, for it is evident that if by the installation of sprinklers the chance of disastrous fire is practically eliminated that the inevitable consequential loss to business during shut down for repairs is saved; furthermore, with large insurers, the saving in insurance cost will frequently pay a good interest on the installation investment.

Sprinklers in mercantile or congested sections of the city should be of interest to more than the individual property owner so protected, as many fires which would ordinarily lead to serious conflagrations have been held in control through this automatic agency. The Salem conflagration is a typical example, for had the factory in which the fire started been sprinkled immense property values would not have been wiped out.

IMPORTANCE OF PROMPT INVESTIGATION.

It is idle to hold the proverbial key in readiness to "lock the door after the horse is stolen." In the interests of safety to life and property in this city, it is in order for those directly responsible, to at once investigate conditions, particularly in all classes of public institutions and public meeting places, with a view to reasonable construction and protection improvements, before a disastrous fire makes such action necessary.

The time is not far distant when authorities in whose care is placed life and property; or trustees of enterprises of public or semi public nature, will be held criminally liable for failure to keep up with the march of progress in fire prevention and protection matters; their full duty in this respect will be done only after proper attention has been given to automatic sprinkler protection.

The main reason why the authorities have been backward in requiring sprinkler equipment is, that the public do not generally understand their usefulness, their efficiency being well known to students of fire protection, for, in general, sprinkler equipments, either partial or complete, are entirely practical in all classes of property above mentioned, and their installation will be a very long step in the right direction.

The new Metropolitan Fire Prevention Law places heavy responsibilities upon the Chief of the Fire Department, and for the good of the community the public should heartily cooperate in the carrying out of all reasonable recommendations.

Curtis W. Pierce,
52 Greenleaf street.

LETTER FROM MR. BARBOUR.

Editor of the Ledger:

The rather ill-considered comparison of the danger from fire and from pneumonia printed in Wednesday evenings Ledger in the account of the Committee meeting was wrongly attributed to the delegation from Wollaston, appearing before the school committee. As a matter of fact the statement quoted was made some day previously in the course of ordinary conversation. The delegation at the Committee meeting presented its case with the utmost dignity and good taste.

A. L. Barbour
Superintendent of Schools.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

LADIES AID HOLD SOCIAL

The Ladies' Aid of the Wollaston M. E. church held a social in the vestry of the church Tuesday evening. Mrs. Joseph Sedgwick, president of the Ladies Aid, was in charge of the games. Much fun was caused by the drawing of book titles by a number of people, the others being required to guess the name of the book. The game revealed some heretofore unknown artists, notable among these being Frank Dunham and Newall Lane and A. B. Cassidy. Mrs. Dimmick and Miss Marguerite Holbrook were the winners of the guessing contest.

A men's quartet composed of Fred Sutermeister, F. A. Cornell, Frank Dunham and Edwin Roberts sang "Mary Had a Little Lamb," "The Jolly Blacksmith" and "The Sailor's Song."

Mrs. W. F. Morgan and Mrs. C. M. Given presided over the apron table.

Refreshments of cakes and cocoa were served by Mrs. Ewertz, Miss Lovell, Miss Keith and Miss Holbrook.

SAFETY FIRST BULLETIN.

The Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation has posted bulletins on "Safety First" this week to the effect that:

Bumper riding is a dangerous practice. A vehicle may go off the end of a track and carry the rider with it.

Safety devices for cleaning a saw from resin are better than severed fingers.

There were 3462 persons injured by nails last year in Massachusetts. Don't leave nails lying around in boards, boxes, barrels, etc., where some one will be hurt by them. Blood poisoning or lockjaw may be caused by such injuries.

Biliousness can be eradicated. First—get rid of the accumulated poisons within your system. Have your druggist fix you up six tablespoonsful of castor oil. Only a certain amount of this is absorbed—the rest acts as a soothing lubricant. Take one tablespoonful every Saturday night, say about seven o'clock, for the next six weeks. It will work a transformation. Second—switch your diet away from eggs, fried foods and heavy meats. Live on graham bread or rye bread, dates, potatoes, cabbage that is boiled very soft, soft boiled beans, and all other tasty vegetables—but don't throw away the water in which these foods have been cooked. That should be boiled down and used as a gravy. It contains the valuable chemical salts of iron iodine, potassium, phosphorus, etc.

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BOWLING BY TENNIS CLUB

Hoxies and Monroes Tied For First Place

WOLLASTON TENNIS CLUB.

Capt. Hoxie	39	17
Capt. Monroe	39	17
Capt. Jenner	34	22
Capt. Geddes	31	25
Capt. Green	26	30
Capt. Baker	22	34
Capt. Estes	19	37
Capt. Litchfield	14	42

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.

Monroes 4—Estes 0.
Jenner 2—Geddes 2.
Baker 3—Litchfield 1.
Green 3—Hoxie 1.

The Hoxies and Monroes tied for first place in the Wollaston Tennis Club matches at the Coliseum alleys Wednesday night. Brown's high single of 121 was 15 less than the single record of Powers. The Baker team supplanted the Estes five.

CAPT. MONROE—4.

Brown	121	72	98	291
Pinkham	84	89	69	242
Raymond	84	76	80	240
Baker	82	88	88	258
Monroe	81	91	77	249
	452	416	412	1280

CAPT. ESTES—0.

Ela	70	77	70	217
Simpson	72	82	80	234
C. R. Davis	79	91	78	248
S. Smith	81	77	87	245
Estes	81	86	83	250
	383	413	398	1194

CAPT. GREEN—3.

McLean	84	92	94	270
A. Davis	79	68	82	229
Weld	94	92	94	280
Hiller	83	75	92	250
Green	96	80	101	277
	436	407	463	1306

CAPT. HOXIE—1.

Brigham	78	76	72	226
Fleichner	90	90	90	270
Chase	89	73	77	239
Powers	65	91	91	247
Hoxie	83	95	75	253
	405	425	405	1235

CAPT. C. BAKER—3.

Gardner	83	104	78	265
Oldham	87	81	76	244
Redlon	73	62	76	211
Hutton	95	71	75	241
Baker	102	91	91	284
	440	409	396	1245

CAPT. LITCHFIELD—1.

Holmes	75	60	89	224
Bates	85	75	72	232
Crossley	75	80	74	229
Nickerson	84	73	79	236
Litchfield	78	78	104	260
	397	366	418	1181

CAPT. JENNER—2.

Murray	99	88	86	273
Carr	70	70	97	237
W. Baker	77	87	82	246
Barker	72	71	82	225
Jenner	95	103	92	290
	413	419	439	1271

CAPT. GEDDES—2.

Albee	95	80	77	252
Emery	93	83	90	266
Seiders	91	77	87	255
W. M. Smith	79	93	79	251
Geddes	88	81	81	259
	446	414	414	1274

RELEASES TRAMPS.

Cornelius Plenkett and Christopher Delahants were picked up by the Randolph police Wednesday and brought to the court in Quincy this morning where they were charged with being tramps. The men told the court that they belonged in Fall River and that they could obtain work there and that was their destination when arrested. The court turned the men over to the probation officer who furnished them with sufficient funds to pay their car fare to Fall River.

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CLASS GAMES AT HIGH SCHOOL

Two class games were played at the Quincy High School gym Wednesday afternoon, the Seniors and the Sophomores having it all their own way, the Seniors winning 23—7 while the Sophomores won 14—2. For the Seniors Smith starred, shooting seven baskets. Hendry and Thompson played well for the Freshmen. In the other games the Sophomores showed real basket ball, their passing being particularly good. Atkins got a long shot from the middle of the floor which was the best shot of the two games. Mullen played the best game at back that has been seen in the class games this year.

The line up:

1917	1916
Jenkins, lf	rb, Sanborn
McCarthy, rf	lb, Dennihy
Le Cain	MacLaughlin
Atkins, c	c, Erikson
Mullen, rf	lf, Barber
DeSenso, lb	rf, Hammond
Rindhalder, rb	

Score 1917, 14; 1916, 2; Goals from floor, MacCarthy, LeCain, Atkins, Mullen, Rindhalder.

Goals from fouls, Jenkins 2, Erikson 2.

1915	1918
Simmons, lb	rf, Hendry
Foy	lf, Nelson
Reardon, rb	Wester
Merrill	Medea
Smith, c	c, Isaacson
Hunt, rf	Elia
O'Conner, lf	lb, Walker
Cutler	Williams
	rb, Thompson

Score 1915, 23; 1918, 7; Goals from floor, Smith 7, O'Conner, Hunt 3.

Goals from fouls, Nelson 3, Hendry 4, O'Conner.

Referee, French. Scorer Mansur. Timer Roach.

AUTO SHOW OF 1915.

The automobile of 1915 which will make its first collective bow to the motoring public of New England at the Boston Automobile Show, Mechanics building, March 6 to 13, has closely approached the ideal of efficiency, of comfort, and of beauty. Very little is left to be desired. Harmonious lines, based upon theories of wind resistance, but emphasizing the statement that beauty and utility go hand in hand; practically complete immunity from mechanical difficulties or annoyances, and a wealth of provision for the small comforts of its prospective users are its outstanding characteristics.

The motor car has passed from the sphere of luxury to that of necessity. Yet in this there is a paradox, for as it ceased to become a luxury the automobile has steadily become more luxurious. An important factor in its evolution has been its rapidly increasing convenience of manipulation control, and use. In the car of 1915 there is no widespread mechanical improvements such as the application of the self starter, to mark the present season, yet there are any number of vital betterments in the mechanical features of the new cars.

More important, perhaps, among such changes in mechanism and mechanical design as there are, is the coming of the eight cylinder car. There will be at least four cars at the Boston show having eight cylinders. The V shaped type, four cylinders on a side makes it possible to use a comparatively short crank shaft, one no longer than that employed in a four cylinder motor, and this is one of the advantages claimed. In one of the eights the magneto has been done away with and a distributor has been brought into play.

BOYS CLUB MEETS.

The second meeting of the Wollaston Baptist Boys' Club was held at the residence of their Sunday school teacher, Frank Burgess, 355 Highland avenue. The constitution read by Spencer Gray was ratified by the club. The officers elected at the former meeting were President, Howard Walter; Vice President, Maurice Berry; Secretary, Phillip Moders; Treasurer, Frederick Cutler.

The other boys present were Collins Dresser, Elmer Houghton, Joseph Barbour.

The club was entertained with instrumental music by Howard W. Walter and Frederick Cutler Juggling etc by Joseph Barbour.

Later in the evening light refreshments was served and an informal social held including an exhibition of legerdemain by several of the members including the teacher.

In leaving many expressed themselves as having a 'god' time. Another meeting will be held on Feb. 25.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

SPORTING COMMENT

There isn't a merchant doing business in City Square or a professional man, with few exceptions, who hasn't fastened onto the bowling craze. For some it serves as a substitute for golf and for others it is only another way of demonstrating athletic prowess. The last two weks have been a melting pot, and the showings, simmered down, hit a happy average. That mark 90, consistently rolled affords an A-1 entertainment and plenty of exercise to all who have joined the ranks.

The indifferent attitude of the prospective members of the base ball team of High school to scholarship marks is a matter of grave concern to faculty and pupils. To remain in school and have no desire for improvement handicaps a class, is an unflattering characterization of the pupil, and incidentally often robs a team of a tip topper. Those who fail to attain a certain average are barred from athletics. This is to prevent the young mind absorbing sport at the expense of knowledge. To be a dunce is deserving of sympathy. To be a "slob" calls for censure. Here's to those who are down—may they perk up or be spanked by the mothers.

Talcott, the crack man on the Winthrop High basket ball five is said to be under investigation. The number of years he has played school ball and his age have been questioned, and there is an impression in the minds of some coaches that he is a professional. If definite charges are preferred and proven the Interscholastic league will be in somewhat of a muddle. Of necessity, games won by Winthrop will be ruled "no contest." This will require substitute games and the season in that event would end later than ever.

Young Johnnie Wrenn, who made his debut in the 110-lb. class at the Quincy A. A. tourney Monday night comes of a family of boxers. His uncle, the late John Griffin, was considered the last word. Young Johnnie broke into the class an absolute amateur and without the permission of his folks. He is naturally crude but is game. To know his future one must read the stars.

Hoppe's game is too strong and on that account there may be no 18.2 professional championship tournament but the local Hoppes will continue just the same, their style of play being the straightaway.

The wonderful exercise afforded by fencing has given it a place in the catalogue of the Milton high school physical training department. Over 50, most of them young women students are enrolled. The sport has been practiced in private in Quincy and may form a division of the gymnastic classes when the Recreation House of the Young Women's club opens in Adams Academy.

Harry Swett who took up bowling this winter sprung a surprise on his friends this week when he rolled a single of 152 at Wardwells. He opened his guns and got a strike. Six spares in succession followed and he closed with a seven and two eights.

Oscar Djerf and C. Larson, high average men in the Quincy Social Clubs league are being boomed by their friends as a champion tandem team. They want to roll the winner of the Kelly and Herb Smith vs. Dell and Olindy match which takes place Feb. 8 at Wardwells. Both men are flirting with a 95 average.

The final days for qualifying for the city championships at Wardwells on Feb. 1, 2 and 3 are here. Nearly 20 men have rolled more than the required 500 in five non-consecutive strings. The trophy is on exhibition in the window at the Thompson Cafe.

Peace loving John Hildebrand, exalted ruler of the Elks and captain of the submerged team of that league is prepared to invade the first division. He says his agreement with the leaders is only a "Scrap of Paper." John, remember, Belgium soldiers are all heroes and held an enemy for 15 days when they were only expected to do it for two.

Coach French of the High school basket ball teams is certainly having a fine time in trying to whip into shape a team worthy of the name.

Sickness and accidents have interfered so much that he has yet to start two games with the same line up. Crosscup was the first to be laid up and was out two games. Then Barston was taken ill. Then the accident to Capt. Crocker's knee dashed his hopes to the low ebb. Then Davis was laid up and Hamlin played his last game while under the weather. Sheer pluck has enabled the team to win five of the seven games played but can the record be maintained? Not with a sick jinx following the team; but stick it out boys, the Braves did.

The High school second team will play Holbrook high here on Feb. 3.

Woburn High will meet the first team on the same date.

Class basket ball which was on taps at the High school yesterday afternoon resulted as follows:

The Seniors, under the leadership of Capt. Smith, vanquished the Freshmen by the score of 23 to 7.

Not a goal was scored from the floor by the "Little Fellows" their seven points resulting from free tries by Capt. Hendry and left forward Nelson.

Capt. Jenkins' Sophomore team defeated the Juniors under the leadership of Capt. Hammond 13 to 2.

As in the other game, the losers did not get a goal from the floor.

	Won	Lost
Sophomores	2	0
Seniors	1	1
Juniors	1	1
Freshmen	0	2

DONOVAN BEATS STRONG FIELD

Wins Weekly Rolloff With Total of 324

Timothy Donovan, a popular foreman at the Quincy Lumber Co., yard at Quincy Point finished high man in the weekly rolloffs at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday night, in a field of 20 of the best bowlers in the city. Donovan's total of 324 was the result of singles of 107, 104 and 113. Donovan is one of those who has recently revived his interest in bowling and has been making spectacular singles the past three weeks. Dell, Olindy, Morton, G. White and others were his opponents.

R. J. Pinel was second with 316 and Gus Erickson finished third with 303. M. Olsen was next with 299 and an extra prize went to A. P. Brown for 109. R. Summers won the booby with 239.

STATE HOUSE NEWS.

Quite a crop of gubernatorial candidates! In addition to Speaker Cushing for the Republicans there are on the Democratic side ex-Lieutenant Governor Barry and ex-Mayor Fitzgerald. But unfortunately for these aspirants, Mr. McCall and Governor Walsh have not yet withdrawn, and there are no signs that either intends to.

Just 1700 petitions are pending before the legislature 349 being filed in the senate, and 1,351 in the house. This is 371 less than last year, which is some improvement.

The best attended hearing of the week was that on Tuesday relative to that part of the governor's message which dealt with the problem of unemployment.

The promotion of Judge James B. Carroll of Springfield from the Superior to the Supreme Court came as a surprise to no one. He brings to the Supreme Court a practical experience as a trial lawyer, which is a needed addition.

There is some doubt however, as to who will be Judge Carroll's successor on the Superior Court. All signs point to ex-Attorney General Boynton.

The Republican legislative dinner on Tuesday would have been a dull affair, if it had not been for the witty speech of Representative Washburn. He was up to his usual style and pulled a somewhat perfunctory occasion out of the rut.

To the surprise of everyone, the governor's $50,000 scheme for relief of unemployment is receiving favorable attention at the hands of the legislature.

Governor Walsh is now the lone Democratic elective official on Beacon Hill.

State Treasurer Frederick W. Mansfield is replaced by Charles L. Burrill, the Boston banker, whom Mansfield defeated a year ago. Mansfield will return to private law practice.

Auditor Frank H. Pope is succeeded by Alonzo B. Cook a Boston lawyer, noted for bucking the machine of his party and getting away with it. Pope has been appointed supervisor of loan sharks.

Attorney General Thomas J. Boynton will return to private law practice. His successor is District Attorney Henry C. Atwill of Lynn, Michael A. Sullivan of Lawrence succeeds Atwill as District Attorney.

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NEW CHURCH LEAGUE RECORDS

McFarlane 323 Is Record Total

CHURCH LEAGUE RESULT.

Makaria	4	Pilgrims	0
Rand	3	Clark	1
O. U. B.	2	Davis	2

New church league records were made in the matches at the Wardwell alleys Wednesday night. McFarlane got 323 for a record total and Falconer of the Clarke class boosted the single record to 126. Several passed the century mark and the matches were close and exciting. McFarlanes record was the result of three pretty strings of more than 100 each. Dorley and Jones would have been tied at 118 for high single of the evening if Falconer hadn't opened up in his second and set the new record.

MAKARIA—4

Tytler	86	80	91	257
Jones	97	95	118	310
Prescott	102	80	85	267
McFarlane	109	109	105	323
Nicoll	89	93	90	272
	483	457	489	1429

PILGRIM—0.

Waddell	71	83	81	235
Hayden	67	78	80	225
Hardwick	86	91	84	261
MacQueen	87	88	101	276
Dubos	109	100	97	306
	420	440	443	1303

CLARKE—1

Craig	104	91	79	274
Moyle	93	81	103	277
Imray	83	82	97	262
Jacobson	64	82	85	231
Falconer	76	126	92	294
	420	462	456	1338

RAND—3

Cahill	91	77	100	268
Dummy	64	81	79	224
Cahill	104	107	86	297
Machay	86	99	92	277
Cahill	101	83	104	288
	446	447	461	1354

O. U. B.—2.

Sprague	91	87	84	262
Hyland	57	108	75	240
Burrell	77	75	79	231
Dorley	118	89	90	297
Dorley	78	98	100	276
	421	457	428	1306

DAVIS—2

Wilson	88	82	73	243
Hedmon	80	69	63	212
Harling	102	92	88	282
Nei l	96	101	88	285
Duff	106	97	100	303
	472	441	412	1325

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED

The installation of officers of Merrymount Lodge 77, Knights of Pythias, was held in Colonial hall, Wednesday evening, when the following were inducted to office:

Chancellor Commander—E. Thornton Walters.

Vice Chancelor—Lewis N. Poland.

Prelate—Alonzo V. Bissett.

Master of Work—Wila F. Houston.

Keeper of Records and Seals—Victor Harrie.

Master of Finance—E. Lew Haskell.

Master of Exchequer—Howard G. Hinkley.

Master at Arms—Herman E. French.

Inner Guard—Fred W. Porter.

Outer Guard—C. Corliss Shackford.

Trustees—William S. Whitten, Louis E. Crosscup, Lewis N. Poland.

Representative of Grand Lodge—George W. Lord, Hardy A. Abbott, Howard G. Hinkley, Victor Harrie.

The installing officer was Deputy Grand Chancellor Charles A. Stevens of Washington Lodge. In his suite were Past Chancellors: Edward M. Harris of St. Omer, George Wragg of Milton, Herbert Marshall of Washington, Edward McKay of Washington, C. R. Apted of New England and Joseph Chipman of Washington.

Other speakers were Past Chancellor W. L. Jacobs of Monatiquot, Past Chancellor L. A. Roberts of Blue Hill and Brother John Smith of Ivanhoe. The lodge appropriated $250 for the purchase of new regalia and will hold a ladies' night on February 10.

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Jan. 21-eod

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 26, 1915.
The committee on Municipal Finance will give a hearing to parties interested in H 449, that Revere may fund part of debt; H 616, that Stoneham may incur debt for water; H 735, for widening channel of Weymouth Fore River; at room No. 429, State House, on Monday, Feb. 1, 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M. Wilton B. Fay, Chairman. John Halliwell, Clerk of Committee. 27-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen A. Markham late of Quincy in said County deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John D. Mackay of said Quincy who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register
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BATTLE LASTS TWO DAYS

German Victory of Great Importance, as It Affords Opportunity For Junction of Two Armies of Invaders Which May Result In Heavy Column Being Directed at Paris—Turkish Troops Reach Bank of Suez Canal—Beatty Makes Official Report on North Sea Battle Between British and German Squadrons

London, Jan. 28.—After two days of battling the Germans crashed through the French line near Craonne and won an important victory, which, taken in connection with their success on the north bank of the Aisne river at Soissons two weeks ago, adds to the new menace to Paris.

Craonne is only twenty-five miles northeast of Soissons, and a junction of the two victorious armies, which might be easily effected over this well wooded section of France, would result in a heavy column being directed straight at the capital, only sixty-five miles away.

Paris admits that the French troops have been soundly beaten. The battle at Craonne started Tuesday with a heavy and vigorous bombardment from the Germans' heavy guns. All the way from Heurtebise to the forest of Foulon the French lines were subjected to a hail of projectiles of heavy calibre.

Then came a sudden swoop of the German infantry. Under cover of the artillery fire the kaiser's troops drove at the French lines with an impetuosity that for a time carried all before them. Some of the hardest fighting of the war followed.

An Unexpected Incident

The French war office declares that the German attacks were withstood at every point along the front except at the little village of LaCreute. Here one of the most unexpected of incidents proved disastrous to the French and turned the tide of battle.

In an old quarry the French had made a sort of shelter and storehouse for ammunition, as well as a garrison retreat for the men engaged in the adjoining trenches. This quarry was on the side of a hill which formed part of the heights of LaCreute.

Owing to the heavy fire of the German big guns a landslide was caused which seems to have virtually wiped this quarry out of existence and sent its French occupants scurrying to the southward.

In the confusion that followed this transformation of the landscape two French companies fell captive to the Germans. As the Paris official report says that these prisoners belonged to five different regiments, there is no doubt that these regiments, involving probably 6000 men, were badly shattered.

The retreat of the French was decisive. They surrendered all trenches on the heights of LaCreute and were finally compelled to evacuate the whole of the Foulon forest, falling back toward the valley of the Ainse, where the nearest important French position is at Berry-au-Bac.

The importance of the German victory lies almost entirely in its relations with that gained at Soissons. As at the latter place, so at Craonne, largely reinforced masses of German troops were used, and the fact that two such drives have been made at the points on the battle line nearest Paris would seem to indicate a renewal of the attempt to reach the capital.

Turks Reach Suez Banks

After many rumors of an Ottoman invasion of Egypt, none of which have lived for more than a few hours, the Turks seem to have at last accomplished the feat of actually reaching the banks of the Suez canal.

A dispatch from Cairo says that Turkish troops, presumably the advance guard of an army coming out of Asiatic Turrkey by way of the old caravan route from Rafah, has been met and dispersed by British forces at El Kantara.

Only a small number of men were engaged in the fighting, and the British losses are given as one officer and four men slightly wounded. The Turkish losses are supposed to be much heavier, as the British used machine guns and rifles in replying to the Turkish fire, and a British aeroplane dropped bombs upon the invaders near Birmurhadad.

El Kantara, where this collision occurred, is on the eastern bank of the canal and is only twenty-eight miles south of Port Said, the Mediterranean mouth of the waterway.

In the Russian end of the war there is little to be heard. No official statement has come from Petrograd. The report of the German war staff said that the Russian advance in East Prussia had been halted at Gumbinnen, where every attack of the czar's troops had been repulsed.

The North Sea Fight

The British admiralty has received the following preliminary telegraphic report from Vice Admiral Beatty, regarding the naval action between the British and German squadrons in the North sea on Sunday:

ADMIRAL BEATTY.

British Commander Who Won a Brilliant Victory Over a Big German Fleet.



"A flotilla of destroyers patrolling about 7:30 o'clock in the morning sighted and attacked the enemy, whose force, according to the reports received, consisted of four battle cruisers, six light cruisers and some destroyers. Their position when sighted was approximately fourteen miles east-southeast of our battle cruiser squadron.

"Orders were given to the destroyer flotilla to chase the enemy and to report their movements. As it appeared that they had at once commenced to retire to the east-southeast, the battle cruisers were directed to steer southeast, with a view to securing the lee position and to cutting the enemy off if possible. The situation developed by degrees into a stern chase.

Fire Opens at Long Distance

"Speed was worked up to 28 or 29 knots and the enemy were gradually being overhauled. At about 18,000 yards a slow and deliberate fire was opened, and we began to hit at a range of 17,000 yards. Our fire was returned by the enemy.

"The Lion and the Tiger, having drawn ahead of the remainder of the squadron, were in action alone for some time, and consequently were subjected to the enemy's concentrated fire, more particularly the Lion, which ship suffered more as a result.

"The other vessels, as they drew up, engaged the enemy. A German flotilla of destroyers was disposed on the starboard beam of their cruisers and an attack by them was driven off.

"At about 11 o'clock, unfortunately, a lucky shot damaged one of the Lion's feed tanks, causing the port engine to be stopped. At the same time the enemy's submarines were observed on the starboard bow and a course was steered in order to avoid them.

"The Bluecher (German) was now in a critical condition, with her speed reduced, and the Indomitable, which had now come up, was directed to complete her destruction.

"The rest of the squadron were directed to attack the rear of the enemy. The Lion, with escort, steered to the northwest, steaming with one engine, and I transferred my flag to one of the destroyers, and subsequently to the Princess Royal. Through the damages to the Lion's feed tank we were undoubtedly deprived of a greater victory. The presence of the enemy's submarines subsequently necessitated the action being broken off.

Fruits of the Action

"The result of the action was that the Bluecher was sunk and two other battle crisers were heavily on fire and seriously damaged. The German prisoners reported also that the Kolberg had been sunk by over-salvos from our squadron.

"Subsequently the starboard engine of the Lion also developed trouble, from the same cause as the port engine, and the Indomitable took her in tow and brought her into port. The damage to the Lion and the Tiger is in neither case serious, and repairs can be completed in a short time. The remainder of the squadron were not hit.

"The casualties were very slight. The death of Engineer Captain Taylor, whose services have been invaluable, is deeply regretted.

"The behavior of officers and men was only what was expected and great credit is due to the engine room staffs for the fine steaming of the squadron."

The earlier reports of the engagement announced that the Lion and the torpedo boat destroyer Meteor had been damaged. Beatty's report mentions the Lion and the Tiger, and omits any reference to the Meteor.

FIJIS GOING TO WAR

Journey of Over Twelve Thousand Miles to Get to the Front

Fifty volunteers from the Fiji islands, the latest colonial contribution to Great Britain's armed forces, arrived at Halifax on their way to London. They will have traveled 12,000 miles when they reach there, a greater distance than any other fighters of Britain's battles have ever journeyed to get to the front.

Captain Swinbourne, who is in command of the detachment, explained that it was recruited from the 800 able-bodied white men of the islands. With their broad brimmed kahki hats, uniforms of a material much too light for the northern climate, and faces tanned by tropical suns, the men presented a picturesque appearance. Ten of them are over six feet in height.

KAISER'S FIFTY-SIXTH

Celebrates His Birthday by Granting Amnesty to Many Offenders

In commemoration of his 56th birthday, Emperor William granted general amnesty to hundreds of offenders against military and disciplinary rules since the outbreak of the war.

Offenders, who had been committed to jail by court martial, were ordered released, and fines of others were remitted. The kaiser also issued a decree annulling all legal proceedings in the cases of persons charged with evading the call to arms at the time of mobilization.

The emperor's orders were issued at his headquarters in the field and telegraphed to Berlin for promulgation.

ARMY UNDER COLORS

The Netherlands Prepared to Enter War at Any Moment

"We must maintain under the colors our entire army, for at any moment incidents are possible which may render it necessary for us to make an appeal to arms," said Premier Vanderlynden of The Netherlands.

The statement was made in the second chamber of the Dutch parliament, when a bill for the extension of the military service was being discussed. The premier added that the government could not disclose the information it possessed concerning the foreign situation, because much of it was based on confidential documents.

SHOOTS HIS BRIDE AND THEN HIMSELF

Double Crime of Boston Man During a Fit of Anger

Boston, Jan. 28.—During a fit of sudden anger, bordering on insanity, Lincoln A. Whynot shot and instantly killed his bride of six months at their boarding place last night and then, turning the revolver on himself, sent a bullet into his brain, dying two hours later.

Mrs. Whynot was shot as she sat, fully dressed, beside a bureau in their bedroom. When found her head was resting on the top of the bureau, with blood pouring from a bullet wound in her head.

Her husband was found across the bed with a bullet wound through his head, and he was holding a 32-calibre revolver, with two cartridges exploded, in his hand. He was unconscious, but gasping for breath. Mrs. Whynot was 35 years old and he was 38. They were married last July.

LOAN LAWS VIOLATED

Brown Said to Have Made No Attempt at Prosecuting Offenders

Boston, Jan. 28.—There were constant violations of the law and no attempt on the part of E. G. Brown to prosecute any of the loan agencies, according to the report filed by Deputy Chief Neal, who served as supervisor of loan agencies from the time of the removal of Brown until the appointment of Frank H. Pope.

Neal states that most of the loan men were taking an expense fee of 10 percent every month on loans of over $10 instead of every three months as the law allowed, and that the loan men had told him that Brown had promised them that he would not bother them in this practice unless complaint was made, when he would require that they return the amounts so collected.

WILSON STANDS PAT

Will Veto Immigration Bill on Account of Literacy Test

Washington, Jan. 28.—President Wilson's veto of the immigration bill is expected in congress today, with a special message giving as the reason for his disapproval the literacy test which it proposes as a condition of entry to the United States.

Two hours of argument at the White House with senators and representatives of the congressional committee, which handled the measure, left the president unshaken in his belief that a literacy test is not a true test of the quality of an immigrant for citizenship.

Killed by Falling Tree

Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 28.—Frank C. Adams, superintendent of the public water works system here, was instantly killed by a falling tree while he was assisting in the work of removing it.

Girls Flee Big Factory Fire

Toronto, Jan. 28.—Fire in the five-story factory of the Rudd Paper Box company here caused damage estimated at $125,000. All of the 350 girls employed by the company escaped.

Mangled by a Train

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 28.—With a broken hip, fractured arm and ribs, George Dodge died as a result of being struck by a train at the Boston and Maine depot.

CHRIST CHURCH ELECTS OFFICERS

New Rector to be Here Feb. 1. It is Announced at Meeting

Rev. William P. Grainger of Trinity church, Canton, who was recently appointed rector of Christ Episcopal church, will deliver his farewell sermon to his Canton parishioners next Sunday and on the following day assume his new duties. Rev. Mr. Grainger's first sermon here will be preached on Sunday, Feb. 7.

This was announced at the annual meeting of the Christ church parish in the parish house Wednesday evening and mention was also made of the reception being planned for the new rector by the women's auxiliary of the church.

Reports were received from Mrs. Leonard C. Hewson for the Women's Guild, Arthur Newton for the Sunday School, Miss Lizzie Ross for St. Margaret's Guild, Miss Marion Hewson for the Junior Auxiliary, R. E. Young for the Gardner club, William Torrey, Jr., for the Galahad club.

The annual election returns revealed four changes, the additions of Sylvanus A. Moyle and Roy Prout to the vestry and that Arthur Newton and George H. Brown had been given each others places on delegations. The other officers were re-elected:

Warden (Two years)—William L. Thomas.

Clerk (One year)—Henry C. Hallowell.

Treas. (One year)—Byron C. Miller.

Vestrymen (Two years—Walter E. Burke, Charles M. Chase, Sylvanus A. Moyle, Roy Prout, William F. Torrey.

Delegates to diocesan convention—William L. Thomas, Albert L. Barbour Arthur Newton.

Delegates to archdeaconry—William H. Deacon, W. H. Haslett, George H. Brown.

OPERA TALK BY HAVRAH HUBBARD

The third in a series of four opera talks by Havrah Hubbard of the Boston Opera House was given, Wednesday evening, at the Park and Downs church under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's club. This was the first of the series to be held in the evening and its popularity was attested to by the number of men present.

Mr. Hubbard was a half hour late having missed his train. The audience were disappointed to learn that, owing to a recent bereavement, Mr. Baxter who usually accompanies the talks on the organ was unable to be present. While much of the musical beauty of the opera "The Meistersingers" was lost on account of this omission the pleasing descriptions of Mr. Hubbard made the evening one of interest.

Mr. Hubbard told in pleasant fashion the story of this Wagnerian comedy opera which tells of the triumph of spontaneous art over the rules and exactions of the self appointed arbiters. The last of the series will be held on the afternoon of February 3.

The president, Mrs. Arthur D. Ropes announced that an extra talk would be held on the evening of March 5, in Wollaston School hall, when "Aida" would be presented.

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Marie Falconia of Weymouth was before the district court Wednesday for violation of the liquor law and was fined $100.

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THAW PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Court Refuses to Send Him to Hospital For Sanity Test

New York, Jan. 28.—Harry K. Thaw pleaded not guilty to the charge of conspiracy in escaping from Matteawan.

Supreme Justice Davis, before whom he was arraigned, set Feb. 23 as a date for trial and remanded Thaw back to the Tombs until that time. Thaw's attorneys made no attempt to obtain bail.

Davis refused the motion of Thaw's counsel to have the prisoner sent to Bellevue hospital for an examination as to his sanity.

Friends of Thaw predict, as the result of the elimination of William T. Jerome from the new legal fight, that he will soon be freed.

Jerome's elimination is admittedly a big gain for Thaw. At each of the sanity trials White's slayer went along swimmingly until Jerome took him in hand. Then he went to pieces.

NO LEGISLATION ASKED

Reserve Bank System Declared to Be No Longer an Experiment

Washington, Jan. 28.—The first report of the federal reserve board covering the developments which preceded the opening of the twelve regional reserve banks last November and the months in which they have been in actual operation, was sent to congress.

It announced that noteworthy results already have been accomplished and that the system now "cannot be regarded as experimental in the sense that there is any uncertainty as to the outcome."

No legislation is asked for, the board devoting its report chiefly to an outline of how the new system has strengthened the nation's financial situation.

NOT INCLUDED IN CIVIL RIGHTS ACT

Court Says Churches and Religious Societies Are Exempt

Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 28.—Mary C. Marshall, a negro girl of 16, was refused judicial protection from alleged discrimination on account of race as a pupil in a Sunday school at Aitkin, Minn.

Suit against the officers of the Sunday school was tried in the district court sitting here, the complainant alleging she had been discriminated against while attending religious services by being forced to sit apart from the white members.

"No legislative body," the court said, "ever has specifically included churches or religious societies in the so-called civil rights act. For courts to undertake to dictate how they shall conduct their affairs would meet with just resentment and would be of doubtful legality on constitutional grounds."

CARRANZA'S TURN NEXT

Garza and His Government Flee From Capital of Mexico

Mexico City, Jan. 28.—Provisional President Garza and his government left the capital for Cuernavaca, where a new seat of government will be established.

Carranza's army of occupation lingers on the outskirts of the city, but is expected to enter soon.

All the commercial houses and banks and even private dwellings are barred and shuttered, although no disorder has attended the fleeing of the forces of Zapata and Villa.

The national palace and the federal telegraph and postoffices and other government establishments are closed. The incoming Carranza forces are commanded by General Alvarado. When they enter the city it is expected that some sort of government will be established.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Farmer Pratt Charged With Murder of a Portland Chauffeur

South Paris, Me., Jan. 28.—Prescott Pratt, a farmer, arrested when the frozen body of a man was found beneath his barn, was arraigned here on the charge of murder. He pleaded not guilty and a continuance until Feb. 4 was granted upon the request of the county attorney.

Hiram Cummings, a neighbor, who discovered the body recently, was held as a material witness against Pratt and placed in the care of the jailer.

The body was identified as that of George W. Davis of Portland, a chauffeur. Davis was employed by a taxicab company until late last September, when he left Portland.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The governor and council confirmed the appointment of James B. Carroll as a justice of the Massachusetts supreme judicial court.

Ransom F. Taylor, 60, the largest real estate operator in Worcester, Mass., died of anemia.

Mahoning and Stark counties, O., are near a clash over who will pay the burial expenses of an unknown tramp. He died on the dividing line.

Henry C. Hall was confirmed by the senate as a member of the interstate commerce commission.

Mrs. Dewolf Hopper presented her husband, the actor, with an eight-pound boy at New York.

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Braintree Shoe Factory Feel Effects of War

The factory of Williams & Kneeland in South Braintree is beginning to cut its working force to about one half. The war in Europe is given by the managers as the reason for so doing. The shoes manufactured here are a high grade shoe which are exported to France, Germany and England. This cut affects several of our own citizens some of whom have been employed at the factory for several years. The output which has been from 100 to 120 dozen a day will be cut to 40 or 50 dozen in the future.

INSTALL NEW MACHINE.

The Old Colony Laundry Company has further modernized its plant by the purchase of a new steam press shirt ironer which will be set up in a couple of weeks. The old fashioned ironer required many passings of the iron over the shirt before it was considered finished. The Old Colony ironer makes but one decent upon the shirt. Immense weight, under steam pressure, covering the entire shirt bosom, decends, and presto—the work is done.

PREPARE DECORATIONS.

The members of St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church met in the parish house Tuesday evening and worked on the decorations for the Valentine party to be given under their direction on the evening of Feb. 9.

OBSERVE 15th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Corcoran quietly celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary at their home on Grove street Wednesday evening. A few friends of the couple called during the evening and extended their best wishes to the couple.

Mr. Corcoran is a well known and highly respected resident of the district. The couple were married in St. Mary's church fifteen years ago by Right Rev. Monsignor Ambrose F. Roche. Mr. Corcoran conducts a grocery store near his home on Grove street. He is a well known member of St. Mary's C. T. A. & M. R. Society, Knights of Columbus and the Hancock Realty company. Mrs. Corcoran was before her marriage Miss Mary Shea and was a popular leader in church societies. The couple have been blessed with five children.

Q. Y. W. H. A. MEETS.

A regular meeting of the Quincy Young Women's Hebrew association was held Wednesday evening at the home of the Misses Anna and Etta Grossman. The meeting was well attended and much business was discussed. Nomination of officers for the ensuing term were held, etc. The club members will enjoy a theatre party on Monday evening. February 1st. The next meeting will be held Feb. 9th at the home of Miss Sadie Cohen on Copeland street. Election of officers will then take place.

Thomas Turner of 105 Independence avenue, who has been operated on for appendicitis at the Quincy City hospital, is resting comfortably.

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30c California Asparagus	long can	25c
20c Pineapple--Fancy Hawaiian Sliced	can	15c
20c Apricots--Fancy Evaporated	lb.	16c
15c Sweet Peas--Telephone	can	12 1-2c
15c Cream of Wheat	per pkg.	13c
20c Whole Beets--Matchless	can	15c
18c Tomatoes--Richardson & Robbins Fancy Packed	per dozen	$1.55
18c Crackers--National Biscuit Co.'s Choice Assorted, ten kinds	2 lbs.	25c
28c Raspberry Jam--Sears' Pure	bot.	23c
25c Graham Flour	5 lb. bag	big G. 20c

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BRIEFS

A meeting of the Katharyn Crane Memorial club will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Chester Godfrey of 407 Highland avenue the well known architect is seriously ill at his home with a trained nurse in attendance.

The executive committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. H. B. Neal Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dackers, who since their marriage have lived in Norfolk Downs, have moved to 126 Glendale road.

Irwin Millard of Whitwell street who was confined to his bed with scarlet fever and diphtheria is able to be up and around the house.

Miss Lou Connors of Garfield street left Saturday for Gloucester where she will be the guest of her aunt for the coming week.

James Deady of Cranch street who has been confined to his home for two weeks with a crushed ankle is able to be up and around. He walks with the aid of crutches.

At the weekly play of the Quincy whist club in Union hall Wednesday evening, prizes were awarded to Mr. McDonald, Mr. Gates, Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Vinal.

Duncan Kimock, one of the best known vocalists of the city and a popular man in Scottish circles, is ill at the Massachusetts General hospital Boston. He is undergoing treatment for an operation.

John F. Scott, district commercial agent for the N. E. T. & T. Co., will speak on "The Growth of the Telephone" at the Men's Forum of the Park and Downs church on the evening of Feb. 5.

An all day sew was held Wednesday by the Ladies Benevolent society of the Wollaston Congregational church.

The senior clas of Thayer Academy, South Braintree, will hold its Annual dance Friday evening.

UNION SERVICE.

Rev. A. E. Hillman preached on "The Love of Jesus Christ" at the union service of the Swedish Congregational, Baptist and M. E. churches held Tuesday evening at the Swedish Congregational church. Rev. Paul Hallin conducted the aftermeeting. Rev. A. G. Sporrong, led the singing and there was a duet by Mrs. A. G. Sporrong and Mrs. J. A. Sutherland.

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MARRIAGES.

HARTREY—McEACHERAN—In Quincy, Jan. 27, by Fr. John J. Casey, Daniel J. Hartrey and Miss Katherine McEacheran, both of this city.

MINCHIN—GILES—In Braintree, Jan. 28, by Rev. Harry Grimes, Arthur Frederic Minchin and M. Dorothy Giles.

DEVLIN—LEE—In South Boston, Jan. 26, by Fr. John F. Burns, Edward Devlin of Quincy and Julia Lee of South Boston.

PETERSON—HALLBERG—In Quincy, Jan. 26, by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, John R. Peterson of this city and Judith Adina Hallberg of Braintree.

DEATHS

WALLACE—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Ernest Wallace in his 47th year. Funeral services at Christ Episcopal church, Saturday, Jan. 30 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 28-2t

FRENCH—In Quincy, Jan. 26, Mabel Edna, beloved wife of Wm. R. French and daughter of Mrs. Annie G. Grignon, 18 years, 8 months, 9 days. Funeral services from her late residence, 105 Independence avenue, Friday, Jan. 29 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 27-2t

DILL—In Quincy, Jan. 28, Margaret wife of Charles H. Dill of Augusta Me., and mother of Mrs. Thomas V. Keating of Quincy aged 59 years.

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WILL ERECT BUSINESS BLOCK

Cambridge Man Buys Land in Wollaston

Through the personal effort of Mayor Campbell, F. W. Norris, a well known Cambridge capitalist, has been induced to come to Quincy and erect a large business block. Mr. Norris closed the deal this noon, whereby a tract of land containing 22,500 square feet of land adjoining the Wollaston depot and running toward Beale and Hancock street has passed into his control.

When communicated with this noon Mr. Norris said that the lot had a frontage of about 300 feet toward the Wollaston depot and that he had just given orders to an architect to draw the plans for a block of stores. What he intends to erect is a block of about 20 stores. The building will be of brick, one story high, and will be thoroughly modern in very way.

Mr. Norris said that he became interested in the property through Mayor Campbell and after coming to Quincy and looking it over had made up his mind that it would be a paying investment. He further said that he had no doubts as to the needs of such a block for already about half of the stores had been let.

WOLLASTON BOY SCOUTS.

The Wollaston Boy Scouts made an excellent impression in their demonstration work in Memorial Congregational church of Atlantic Tuesday evening. The boys worked under the direction of Scout Master George Brown of Wollaston.

There were 70 of the Atlantic boys present ranging from ten years of age to seventeen. The Atlantic church has the Minute Boys movement which has allowed boys of all ages to belong. The minute boys will still be kept up for boys under twelve years of age, and will meet on a separate night from the boys over twelve and will have a different leader.

PROBATE COURT.

The will of Mrs. Mary D. Dame of Quincy, presented for probate at Dedham Wednesday, has been allowed. An administration was granted on the estate of Mrs. Mary E. Ryan. Mrs. Dame lived at 2 Hancock court and Mrs. Ryan on Common street.

THE HANGING OF NORIEL

Anticipated Disturbance Over the Affair Fails to Materialize

Manila, Jan. 28.—General Noriel, the insurgent leader, and two accomplices who were found guilty of having killed a political enemy at a cockfight, were hanged here.

The funeral of Noriel was attended by none of the popular manifestations which were feared on account of the prominence of the general and his influential following. A great throng attended the funeral, but there was no hint of the disorders for which the army had been ordered to be prepared.

Noriel was sentenced to die Jan. 12, but secured a stay of execution. During this time influential Filipinos exerted every effort to secure a mitigation of the sentence, but Governor General Harrison directed that he be put to death in accordance with the judgment of the court that tried him.

RESTORED TO POSITION

New York Education Board Acts In Case of Mother-Teacher

New York, Jan. 28.—The board of education voted to reinstate Mrs. Bridget Peixotto, a teacher who was dismissed after she had absented herself from her duties to become a mother. All charges against other teacher-mothers under suspension were ordered dropped.

The state courts upheld the action of the board in dismissing Mrs. Peixotto, but Dr. Finley, state commissioner of education, ordered her reinstated.

Trolley Car Crashes Into House

Sanford, Me., Jan. 28.—Thirty-eight passengers were shaken up and Motorman Hart was seriously hurt when an electric car left the rails and crashed into a house.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Mayor Campbell is attending another conference with the Metropolitan Park Commissioners today in regard to commencing work on the Quincy square boulevard that work may be provided for the unemployed citizens of Quincy.

Chief Billings of the fire department is attending a conference of the Metropolitan Fire Chiefs at Brighton this afternoon to witness a trial of tanks to be used for the storage of gasoline, etc.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Victor Marshall of Liberty street is ill at his home.

Rev. George M. Bailey is confined to his home with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mason with their son Harold and daughter Hazel have returned from a visit to Medfield.

Mrs. John R. Nelson who has been confined to her home with an ulcerated tooth is able to be out.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sweat, Trevor street, who has been very ill is recovering.

Mrs. Wilson Hall is ill with tonsillitis at her home on Grange street, Wollaston.

Thomas Reid of Arnold street, who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Elmer Post of Main street, who sustained fractured fingers in a recent accident at the Fore River shipyard, is improving.

The Queen Esthers of the Wollaston Methodist church are to have a "House of Mirth" in the vestry of the church in February.

Mrs. Samuel T. MacQuarrie of Putnam street extension, entertained her neighbors this afternoon at auction bridge.

The eighth annual charity ball of Quincy lodge of Elks will be held next Wednesday evening at Music hall.

A business meeting of the church committee of the Atlantic Memorial church has been called by the Rev. T. W. Davison for Friday evening.

"The Arrival of Kitty," a play, will be presented Friday evening in the chapel of the Frst Parish church under the auspices of the Y. P. R. U.

Albert W. Fay, having undertaking offices on Newport avenue, who recently had a paralytic shock, is only slightly improved.

The many Squantum friends of John Jepson will be grieved to learn of his serious illness at the Homoeopathic hospital, Boston. His family has been living in Quincy this winter.

Reports from the City Hospital are that James H. Lally who fractured his leg Tuesday noon by a fall passed a rather uncomfortable night but was resting well today.

Master David McCormick of Milford, N. H., who has been the guest of Mrs. Michael and family of South Quincy for the past six weeks has returned to his home.

Mrs. Lillian Pike Everest of Plattsburgh, New York, will read "Pollyanna" in the Wollaston School hall on Friday evening, Feb. 12. Carl F. Hopkins will be the soloist.

Rev. Dr. Young, moderator of the Water street Presbyterian church will be unable to attend the congregational meeting this evening. The Rev. Norman MacQueen of Somerville will take his place.

Spirited play marked the matinee whist of Mrs. Sarah C. Williams in Protection hall Tuesday afternoon. The winners were Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Mrs. Kate A. Blaisdell, Mrs. Fannie Wood, Mrs. E. Newcomb.

Members of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F. are planning to attend the institution of new Rebekah lodge at Hingham today. The exercises will be held during the afternoon and evening.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sumner received a bad fall while playing and dislocated his shoulder. Doris the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Sumner has just recently recovered from a fractured arm.

Nine tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club. The two best scores of the evening were made by J. Harry Slade and George F. Spooner. As usual refreshments were served at the conclusion of the tournament.

The members of Rebecca Wiswell tent Daughters of Veterans, and Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps will observe the birthday of McKinley, the martyred president, Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Kate A. Blaisdell, Atlantic. A patriotic program has been arranged.

I. Nash is one of the new residents of Wollaston, residing in the upper flat of the new dwelling recently built at 280 Highland avenue, corner of Beale street. Mr. Blackie will occupy the first floor of this house. Mr. Blackie was previously affiliated with the Barnett Leather Co. of North Middletown, N. Y., where he resided. He is to manage the Boston branch of this firm.

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SCISSORS PASTE

CAUSE FOR CONGRATULATION.

Among the numerous other things the citizens of Boston may find for which to praise the year 1914 they should not forget the most remarkable and significant fact that not a blind baby was born in the city during the year. That is a record few other years or few other cities will be able to match right away.—Jamaica Plain News.

UNKIND.

Mrs. Longworth has the mumps, so that everybody will have to admit that there is one swelled head in the Roosevelt family.—Somerville Journal

TALENTS AT WASHINGTON.

A government that is "probing" the price of wheat because too high, and establishing steamships to carry it because too low, lacks nothing in diversity of talents.

If a majority of the American voters wanted justification for kicking this Democratic administration out of office, at the next presidential election, it could be found in the jackassetty ship policy to which the Boston Herald has here directed attention. There are plenty of other reasons why this kick should be administered both with vim and vigor when the fortunate hour rolls around.—Salem News.

BILLY SUNDAY.

Said mild Billy Sunday, the evangelist; "There's rotting, stinking, corroding corrupt, hell-ridden, God-defying, devil-beridden New York." That will serve to introduce Mr. Sunday to New York very pleasantly indeed, and will place New York just in the frame of mind to receive him. Barring the language, a great many people have a somewhat similar opinion of the village, only they would have been more tactful in expressing it.—Barre Times.

GRADUATING IN MID-YEAR.

Advantages of mid-year graduations in the saving of time and increase of opportunity ,are apparent all the way through the school system, but to those High School pupils who propose to continue their education in higher institutions of learning, the January graduation may present problems. It is clearly an advantage to a boy, who is to go to work, to be enabled without detriment to his education, to begin work six months earlier but those preparing for college cannot enter until September, and whether the interval will be helpful or not depends on how they employ their time.—Somerville Journal.

MISS PRIM'S KINDERGARTEN

Junior King's Daughters Present Play

A pleasing entertainment was given in the chapel of the Bethany church Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Junior Kings Daughters, under the direction of Miss Flora McPherson. The program opened with a short address by Allan Pierce which was followed by a piano selection by Edith Avery, and a song by Sturgis Hunt.

Then followed a play entitled "Miss Prim's Kindergarten" Miss Flora McPherson was the teacher of the class. The class was made up as follows: Boys, Philip Irving, Richard Clark, Wallace Sabean, George Prout, Carl Pierce, Percy Jenkins, Frederick Jones, Guy Shaw, Sturgis Hunt and Webster Pierce; Girls, Elizabeth Pratt Ellen Sandison, Eleanor Bates, Mabel, Jilbert, Edith Avery, Wilhelmina Laing, Vera Bergfors, Hazel Sabean, Sara McPherson and Gertrude Beale.

The pupils of the school dressed so as to make themselves look ridiculous and of course created a great amount of fun. George Prout, appeared as a colored boy and sang a negro song.

EAGLES PLAN FOR ANNUAL BALL

John C. Faircloth, who was installed as president of John Adams aerie, F. O. E. two weeks ago, presided at his first meeting Wednesday evening in Electa hall. The attendance was large and arrangements were completed for the annual ball to be given in Alpha hall on the evening of Feb. 5.

An invitation to attend the dedications of the Eagles home in Boston was received from the Boston aerie, and it was voted to attend in a body.

The final details for the ball and several future social events will be made at the meeting of the entertainment committee Sunday afternoon.

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EXTRA WAYORS APPOINTMENTS EXTRA

MISS MILDRED HUSTON OVERSEER OF POOR

For First Time in History of City Woman Occupies the Office

Mayor Campbell Says He Believes Her Naturally Fitted For Duties

Miss Mildred Gray Huston was born in Quincy and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Huston, her mother also having been born in this city. She has always made her home here. She received her education in the public schools of the city and at the High school from which she graduated in the class of 1904. She



MILDRED GRAY HUSTON.
(Photo by Sue Rice)

then entered the Bryant & Stratto college from which she graduated in 1905. She entered the employ of the Dewey, Gould Co. wool dealers, with whom she remained several years later she acted as private secretary for several firms.

Four years ago she opened a public stenographer's office in Quincy which she still carries on. In 1911 she was appointed as clerk to the Board of Trade and upon the opening of the present court house in Quincy in 1912 she became the official court stenographer. At the same time she became an assistant in the office of the probation officer which training she will find of inestimable value in her new position. In addition to this she has recently been appointed as assistant to the clerk of the court.

Miss Huston is a young woman of pleasing personality and many who have the pleasure of her acquaintance say that her selection by the Mayor was a wise one. Miss Huston says that she will not give up her public stenography work but will employ two assistants to assist her.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

Y. M. C. A. TEAMS RETURN VICTORS

Both Y. M. C. A. teams were winners Thursday night in their games with Hyde Park. Although without the services of "Ernie" Rich the first team won 35—19 Morrison who took Rich's place played a star game. McAlpee was the star for Hyde Park.

The second won easily, 90—14 Thomas ran wild getting 20 baskets Bishop was not far behind with fourteen. This makes ten straight for Quincy 2nd without a loss. They have scored 519 points to opponents 187.

The score:

QUINCY 1st	HYDE PARK 1st
Jenkins, rf	lb, Johnson
Morrison, lf	rb, Beaufre
Trask ,c	c, Mac Alpee
Chapman, lb	rf, Roman
Kenn, r b	lf, Mac Elroy

Score Quincy 35—Hyde Park 19. Goals from floor Morrison 6, Trask 6, Jenkins 3, Chapman 1, Kenn 1, MacAlpee 4, Johnson 2 Mac Elroy 1.

Goals from free tries. Trask 1, Roman 5.

QUINCY 2nd	HYDE PARK 2nd
Dineen, rf	lb ,Silver
Thomas, lf	rb, True
Bishop, c	c, Carle
Eaton rb	lf, Dalquist
Brooks, lb	rf, Moore

Score Quincy 90—Hyde Park 14 Thomas 20, Bishop 14, Dineen 6 Brooks 4, Eaton 1, Moore 4, Carle 3.

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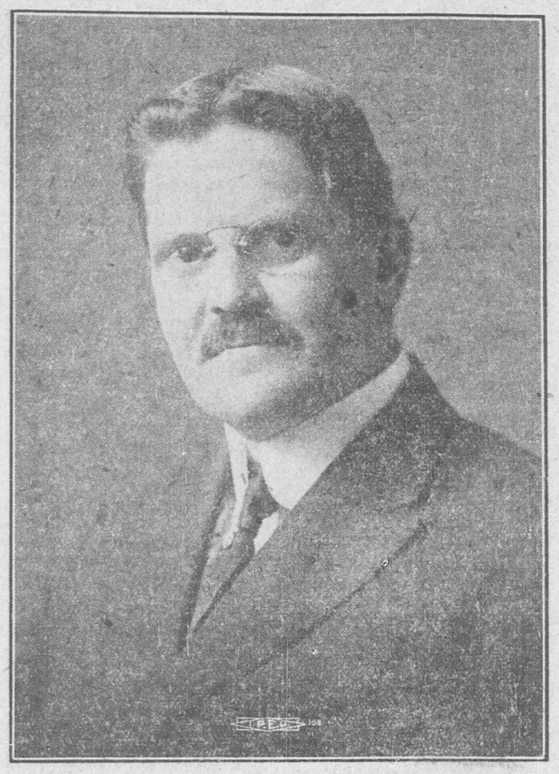
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PUBLIC SCHOOLS New Half-Year

The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

ALBERT L. BARBOUR,
Superintendent.

Jan. 26-5t



MAYOR CAMPBELL.

APPOINTMENTS

Commissioner of Public Works—Moses L. Brown.
City Treasurer and Tax Collector—John Curtis.
City Clerk—Emery L. Crane.
City Solicitor—Walter S. Pinkham
Chief Engineer Fire Department—Faxon Billings.
Overseer of the Poor—Miss Mildred Gray Huston.
City Engineer—Ezekiel C. Sargent
City Physician—Fred A. Bartlett
Assessors—John J. O'Hara, Chairman 3 years; Wellington W. Mitchell 2 years; Charles R. Sherman 1 year.
Park Commissioners—George E. Pfahmann chairman; Ira M. Whittemore, John L. Hamilton.
Board of Health—William H. Bigham chairman; Dr. Harold E. Diehl, Thomas L. A. Musgrave.
Inspector of Buildings—George E. Thomas.
Dock and Water Front Commissioner—Frank Fessenden Crane
Registrar of Voters—Michael B. Geary, three years.
Managers of Public Burial Places—Albert W. Fay, Thomas Bishop, John Evans, Arthur B. Hultman, Joseph H. Vogel, John Q. Cudworth.
Managers of the Adams Academy—Nathaniel S. Hunting, George M. Sheahan, F. M. Rollins, Perry Lawton, Charles E. Hathaway, Herbert S. Parker.
Trustees Thomas Crane Public Library—Charles R. Safford, Morton Smith, Harry W. Reed, Albert N. Murray, George W. Abele, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Alden.
City Planning Board—Eugene C. Hultman, Charles W. Bailey, George W. Abele, Charles A. Hadlock, Wilson Marsh.
Board of Survey—Charles L. Gilliatt 3 years; Walter E. Piper 2 years; Perry Lawton 1 year.

CITY COUNCIL HOLDS VERY BRIEF SESSION

It required but a few minutes to transact the business in the call for the special meeting of the city council tonight. There were but four matters in the call none of which called for any debate.

The first matter was to receive a communication from the Mayor, appointing department officials and administrative officers. These were read and placed on file. The list will be found elsewhere.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Michael B. Geary, a registrar of voters. Confirmed.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing several special constables. Confirmed.

A communication was received from the Mayor inclosing the application of Lieut. Mark E. Hanson of the police department to be retired on a pension. The communication was referred to the Finance committee.

There were no other matters in the call and the meeting adjourned.

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JOHN J. O'HARA CHAIRMAN NEW BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Brown, Crane, Curtis, Pinkham, Billings, Sargent and Bartlett Reappointed

Office of Tax Collector Merged With That of City Treasurer Under John Curtis

A tense excitement appeared to imbue the large audience which crowded the council chamber this evening to hear the reading of the mayo's appointments. When President Whiton began to read the list the dropping of a pin could have been heard in the chamber. His Honor had kept his secret well and as the names were read expressions of surprise, delight, disappointment, succeeded each other on many faces.

Most interest was in the makeup of the new board of assessors and when President Whiton read off the three names, O'Hara, Mitchell and Sherman, every eye in the room was glued on him. The appointment which occasioned the greatest surprise was easily that of Miss Mildred Huston to be overseer of the poor, the first time in the history of this city, and it is believed the first time in the history of any Massachusetts city, when a woman has been appointed to that office.

Another innovation introduced by the Mayor this year is the appointing of a woman as a member of the Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library, in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Alden. This is also the first time in the history of Quincy that a woman has been appointed a trustee of the Public Library.

The great question which was in the mind of every auditor in the council chamber tonight was "where will the axe fall?" That the axe fell on so few official heads was in accord with the mayor's oft repeated declaration that there would be no clean sweeps or radical changes and that officiency would be the first consideration.

In speaking of his appointments the mayor said: "You see that I have not made any radical changes. My one idea has been to obtain efficiency. In the list of appointments are names of some gentlemen who were not with me in the recent municipal election but in fact were arrayed with the forces of some of my opponents, but these I consider to be conscientious officials and for that reason have reappointed them."

The office upon which the eyes of every tax payer has been fixed for some months is that of the board of assessors. The announcement Thursday that Chairman Buckley had declined to serve another year and that Assessor Bergfors had been asked to hand in his resignation and had refused and that he would probably be removed was evidence that this board would receive a shaking up. This speculation came true.

In making up this important board the mayor has appointed John J. O'Hara the present tax collector, chairman of the board. The second member is Wellington W. Mitchell, who served several years on the board but was removed by Mayor Miller a year ago. The third member is Charles R. Sherman, who was appointed by Mayor Miller to succeed John A. Duggan, who resigned after serving a few weeks. Mr. Sherman's term expires Monday and he is reappointed.

Of the important offices outside of the board of assessors the main change was in the office of overseer of the poor. Perry Green failing of reappointment. Moses L. Brown remains commissioner of public works, Faxon Billings remains chief of the fire department, John Curtis remains city treasurer with the added office of tax collector. Walter S. Pinkham remains city solicitor, Dr. F. A. Bartlett remains city physician, and Frank F. Crane remains dock and water front commissioner. George E. Thomas succeeds Inspector of Buildings L. C. Merrill.

An important change is the consolidation of the offices of city treasurer and tax collector. This is in line with the mayor's opinion that it is wise for all funds paid to the city to be paid to one official instead of to two as previously. Under this plan people in paying taxes will pay directly to the city treasurer.

The mayor would like it very much if the two offices could be combined in one room and this he hopes to do in the near future. For the present however some of the clerks in the present tax collector's office will be given a desk in the treasurer's office. The combining of these two offices also saves the city the sum of $1,500 which would be paid to the tax collector this year, had one been appointed, the salary having been increased $100 by the city council of 1914. The city treasurer will receive no extra compensation for filling two positions.

The position of the mayor upon the appointment of Miss Huston as overseer of the poor is that a large percentage of those who apply to the city for aid are women and that for this reason and for other reasons he believes a woman best suited for the position. His honor believes that every applicant for relief should be investigated personally by the overseer of the poor.

One of the new ideas which undoubtedly will be developed by this appointment will be the establishment of a city employment bureau, such as is now in force in many cities. Miss Huston by her association with the district court, where she has worked with the probation officer, is particularly fitted to establish such a bureau, and it will probably materialize in the near future.

In addition to the officials usually appointed every year, this year it was necessary for the mayor to appoint for the first time members of two new boards, a Planning Board of five members, and a Board of Survey of three members. As chairman of the Board of Survey the mayor has selected ex-Councilman Charles L. Gilliatt.

A complete list of the appointments will be found elsewhere.

The Ledger herewith presents brief sketches of the principal officials appointed.

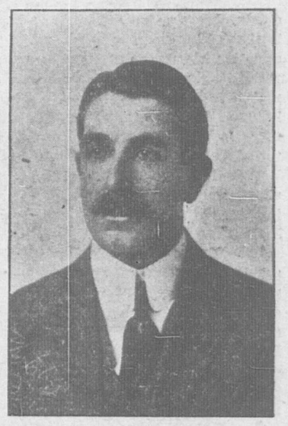
COMMISSIONER BROWN.

Moses L. Brown, who has been reappointed was born in Scituate in 1877.

Shortly after graduating from the High school of that town he entered the employ of the Engineering department of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, and after spending four years in the surveying department, was put on construction as resident engineer in charge of road building in western Massachusetts.

He left the Highway Commission in 1902 to take a position with the Boston Transit Commission, remaining with them for seven years, during the construction of the East Boston tunnel and the Washington street subway, as concrete inspector and draughtsman.

In 1909, desiring to see the business from the contractor's standpoint, Mr.



COMMISSIONER BROWN.

Brown worked with the H. P. Nawn Contracting Company, as concrete foreman. At the starting of the Cambridge subway he entered the employ of the Boston Elevated Railway Co., Bureau of Elevated and Subway construction, as inspector on the Dana Hill tunnel station. At the completion of the tunnel he spent six months in various factories in Ohio and Western Pennsylvania as inspector of materials for the Elevated.

On returning he had charge of the construction of the Kendall Square surface station and connections.

He returned to the Massachusetts Highway Commission the latter part of 1911 as resident engineer in southeastern Massachusetts and the Cape which position he still holds.

He has lived in Quincy since 1903. He is a member of the Massachusetts Inspector Association, and of the Konohasset lodge A. F. and A. M., Cohasset, and St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter.

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

John Curtis, reappointed as treasurer, will also take on the duties of the tax collector. Mr. Curtis comes from a family that held the office of treasurer under the town form of government for many years. His father, Thomas Curtis was at one time town treasurer, and Noah Curtis his grandfather was also town treasurer for thirteen years. Benjamin Curtis another relative also serv-

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GROWTH OF THE CRIME STORY.

Among the most interesting phases of literature is the development of the detective story. Its germ was in the tales of roguery, "Gil Blas," written by Lesage in 1715, and other so called Picturesque novels. The Picturesque novel takes as its hero a rogue who by his cleverness outwits his victims and those who are sent to pursue him. The stories of "Raffles" and "Arsene Lupin" are nothing but refined Picturesque novels.

The next step in the development was naturally the pitting of the rogue against the honest upholder of the law. The upholder of the law becomes a shrewder individual than the criminal and we have the beginning of the detective story. Edgar Allen Poe introduced a detective who was all mentality, a man who by his deductions was enabled to apprehend the criminal.

Sir. A. Conan Doyle added to the mentality element the personal element and created the immortal Sherlock Holmes. Sherlock Holmes is interesting not only because of his extraordinary mind, which enables him to draw deductions which usually bring his search to a successful end, but also because of his unique personality.

A few years ago Arthur B. Reeve introduced an entirely new type of detective the scientific detective, the man who had at his command in his search for the criminal the latest discoveries of science. The possibilities of such a combination were great. There has never been anything more startling than the discoveries of science in recent times, the X-Ray, the wireless the dictaphone, and the rest. Of these discoveries Mr. Reeve's detective, Craig Kennedy makes good use. Craig Kennedy is the most interesting detective in fiction today.

The danger which stories based upon Mr. Reeve's plan are likely to face is that of having so much of the scientific element that they lack the personal element so essential to the real interest of a story. But Craig Kennedy is a real personality and there is plenty of human interest in the adventures in which he is involved. Reeve's latest and best tale woven about Craig Kennedy and the "Clutching Hand" is entitled "The Exploits of Elaine."

"The Exploits of Elaine" is an absorbing story. Craig Kennedy appears at his best in his fight to the death with the Master Crook. It is a respectable contribution to modern literature. Craig Kennedy has another distinction. He is the first detective of note to be presented on the motion picture screen.

The Ledger began Wednesday to print "The Exploits of Elaine" which are being shown in motion picture form on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week at the Kincaide theatre. It is a tale worth reading and worth seeing.

THE NEW BUILDING.

Mayor Campbell has once more demonstrated that he is "on the job" by inducing F. W. Norris of Cambridge to erect a large and modern business block, as announced in Thursday's Ledger. That a man of Mr. Norris' experience should feel justified in building a block of 20 stores near the Wollaston depot and that about half those stores should already be let is a convincing indication that Quincy is growing. It is to be hoped that work will start immediately so that employment may be provided for many good workmen who through no fault of their own happen to be out of work at this time.

The Somerville Journal asks, "Is it irreverent for a man, making up his personal cash account, to put 'Pew Rent' and 'Fire Insurance' in the same class?"

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SYNOPSIS.

The New York police are mystified by a series of murders of prominent men. The principal clue to the murderer is the warning letter which is sent the victims signed with a "clutching hand." The latest victim of the mysterious assassin is Taylor Dodge, the insurance president. His daughter, Elaine, employs Craig Kennedy, the famous scientific detective, to try to unravel the mystery. What Kennedy accomplishes is told by his friend, Jameson, a newspaper man. Kennedy frustrates a daring attempt to rob a jewelry store and rescues Elaine from a boiler where she had been imprisoned by the thugs.

FOURTH EPISODE

The Frozen Safe.

Kennedy swung open the door of our taxicab as we pulled up, safe at last, before the Dodge mansion, after the rescue of Elaine from the brutal machinations of the Clutching Hand.

Bennett was on the step of the cab in a moment, and together, one on each side of Elaine, they assisted her out of the car and up the steps to the house.

Elaine's Aunt Josephine was waiting for us in the drawing-room, very much worried. The dear old lady was quite scandalized as Elaine excitedly told of the thrilling events that had just taken place.

"And to think they—actually—carried you!" she exclaimed, horrified, adding, "And I not—"

"But Mr. Kennedy came along and saved me just in time," interrupted Elaine with a smile. "I was well chaperoned!"

Aunt Josephine turned to Craig, gratefully. "How can I ever thank you enough, Mr. Kennedy," she said fervently.

Kennedy was quite embarrassed. With a smile, Elaine perceived his discomfiture, not at all displeased by it.

"Come into the library!" she cried gayly, taking his arm. "I've something to show you."

Where the old safe, which had been burnt through, had stood, was now a brand-new safe of the very latest construction and design—one of those globular safes that look and are so formidable.

"Here is the new safe," she pointed out brightly. "It is not only proof against explosives, but between the plates is a lining that is proof against thermit and even that oxyacetylene blowpipe by which you rescued me from the old boiler. It has a time clock, too, that will prevent its being opened at night, even if any one should learn the combination."

They stood before the safe a moment, and Kennedy examined it closely with much interest.

"Wonderful!" he admired.

"I knew you'd approve of it," cried Elaine, much pleased. "Now I have something else to show you."

She paused at the desk, and from a drawer took out a portfolio of large photographs. They were very handsome photographs of herself.

"Much more wonderful than the safe," remarked Craig earnestly. Then, hesitating and a trifle embarrassed, he added, "May I—may I have one?"

"If you care for it," she said, dropping her eyes, then glancing up at him quickly.

"Care for it?" he repeated. "It will be one of the greatest treasures—"

She slipped the picture quickly into an envelope. "Come," she interrupted. "Aunt Josephine will be wondering where we are. She—she's a demon chaperon."

Bennett, Aunt Josephine and myself were talking earnestly as Elaine and Craig returned.

That morning I had noticed Kennedy fussing some time at the door of our apartment before we went over to the laboratory. As nearly as I could make out he had placed something under the rug at the door out into the hallway.

"Well," said Bennett, glancing at his watch and rising as he turned to Elaine, "I'm afraid I must go now."

He crossed over to where she stood and shook hands. There was no doubt that Bennett was very much smitten by his fair client.

"Good-by, Mr. Bennett," she murmured, "and I thank you so much for what you have done for me today."

But there was something lifeless about the words. She turned quickly to Craig, who had remained standing.

"Must you go too, Mr. Kennedy?" she asked, noticing his position.

"I'm afraid Mr. Jameson and I must get back on the job before this Clutching Hand gets busy again," he replied reluctantly.

"Oh, I hope you—we get them soon!" she exclaimed, and there was nothing lifeless about the way she gave Craig her hand, as Bennett, he and I left a moment later.

When we approached our door, now, Craig paused. By pressing a little concealed button he caused a panel in the wall outside to loosen, disclosing a small, boxlike plate in the wall underneat...

It was about a foot long and perhaps four inches wide. Through it ran a piece of paper which unrolled from one coil and wound up on another, actuated by clockwork. Across the blank white paper ran an ink line traced by a stylographic pen, used as I had seen in mechanical pencils used in offices, hotels, banks and such places.

Kennedy examined the thing with interest.

"What is it?" I asked.

"A new kinograph," he replied, still gazing carefully at the rolled-up part of the paper. "I have installed it because it registers every footstep on the floor of our apartment. We can't be too careful with this Clutching Hand. I want to know whether we have had any visitors or not in our absence. This straight line indicates that we have not. Wait a moment."

Craig hastily unlocked the door and entered. Inside I could see him pacing up and down our modest quarters.

"Do you see anything, Walter?" he called.

I looked at the kinograph. The pen had started to trace its line, no longer even and straight, but zigzag, at different heights across the paper. He came to the door. "What do you think of it?" he inquired.

"Some idea," I answered enthusiastically.

We entered and I fell to work on a special Sunday story that I had been forced to neglect. I was not so busy, however, that I did not notice out of the corner of my eye that Kennedy had taken from its cover Elaine Dodge's picture and was gazing at it ravenously.

I had finished as much of the article as I could do then and was smoking and reading it over. Kennedy was still gazing at the picture Miss Dodge had given him, then moving from place to place about the room, evidently wondering where it would look best. I doubt whether he had done another blessed thing since we returned.

He tried it on the mantel. That wouldn't do. At last he held it up beside a picture of Galton, I think, of finger print and eugenics fame, who hung on the wall directly opposite the fireplace. Hastily he compared the two. Elaine's picture was precisely the same size.

Next he tore out the picture of the scientist and threw it carelessly into the fireplace. Then he placed Elaine's picture in its place and hung it up again, standing off to admire it.

I watched him gleefully. Was this Craig? Purposely I moved my elbow suddenly and pushed a book with a bang on the floor. Kennedy actually jumped. I picked up the book with a muttered apology. No, this was not the same old Craig.

Perhaps half an hour later I was still reading. Kennedy was now pacing up and down the room, apparently unable to concentrate his mind on any but one subject.

He stopped a moment before the photograph, looked at it fixedly. Then he started his methodical walk again, hesitated, and went over to the telephone, calling a number which I recognized.

"She must have been pretty well done up by her experience," he said apologetically, catching my eye. "I was wondering if—hello!—oh, Miss Dodge—I—er—I—er—just called up to see if you were all right."

Craig was very much embarrassed, but also very much in earnest.

A musical laugh rippled over the telephone. "Yes, I'm all right, thank you, Mr. Kennedy—and I put the package you sent me into the safe, but—"

"Package?" frowned Craig. "Why, I sent you no package, Miss Dodge. In the safe?"

"Why, yes, and the safe is all covered with moisture—and so cold."

"Moisture—cold?" he repeated hastily.

"Yes. I have been wondering if it is all right. In fact, I was going to call you up, only I was afraid you'd think I was foolish."

"I shall be right over," he answered hastily, clapping the receiver back on its hook. "Walter," he added, seizing his hat and coat, "come on—hurry!"

A few minutes later we drove up in a taxi before the Dodge house and rang the bell.

Jennings admitted us sleepily.

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It could not have been long after we left Miss Dodge, late in the afternoon, that Susie Martin, who had been quite worried over our long absence after the attempt to rob her father, dropped in on Elaine. Wide-eyed, she had listened to Elaine's story of what had happened.

"And you think this Clutching Hand has never recovered the incriminating papers that caused him to murder your father?" asked Susie.

Elaine shook her head. "No. Let me show you the new safe I've bought. Mr. Kennedy thinks it wonderful."

"I should think you'd be proud of it," admired Susie. "I must tell father to get one, too."

At that very moment, if they had known it, the Clutching Hand, with his sinister, masked face, was peering at the two girls from the other side of the portieres.

Susie rose to go and Elaine followed her to the door. No sooner had she gone than the Clutching Hand came out from behind the curtains. He gazed about a moment, then, moving over to the safe about which the two girls had been talking, stealthily examined it.

He must have heard someone coming, for with a gesture of hate at the safe itself, as though he personified it, he slipped back of the curtains again.

Elaine had returned, and as she sat down at the desk to go over some papers which Bennett had left relative to settling up the estate the masked intruder stealthily and silently withdrew.

"A package for you, Miss Dodge," announced Michael later in the evening, as Elaine, in her dainty evening gown, was still engaged in going over the papers. He carried it in his hands rather gingerly.

"Mr. Kennedy sent it, ma'am. He says it contains clues, and will you please put it in the new safe for him."

Elaine took the package eagerly and examined it. Then she pulled open the little round door of the globular safe.

"It must be getting cold out, Michael," she remarked. "This package is as cold as ice."

"It is, ma'am," answered Michael.

She closed the safe, and, with a glance at her watch, set the time lock and went upstairs to her room.

No sooner had Elaine disappeared than Michael appeared again, catlike, through the curtains from the drawing-room, and, after a glance about the dimly lighted library, discovering that the coast was clear, motioned to a figure hiding behind the portieres.

A moment and Clutching Hand himself came out.

He moved over to the safe and looked it over. Then he put out his hand and touched it.

"Listen!" cautioned Michael.

Someone was coming, and they hastily slunk behind the protecting portieres. It was Marie, Elaine's maid.

She turned up the lights and went over to the desk for a book for which Elaine had evidently sent her. She paused and appeared to be listening. Then she went to the door.

"Jennings!" she beckoned.

"What is it, Marie?" he replied.

She said nothing, but as he came up the hall led him to the center of the room.

"Listen! I heard sighs and groans!"

Jennings looked at her a moment, puzzled, then laughed. "You girls!" he exclaimed. "I suppose you'll always think the library haunted now."

"But, Jennings, listen," she persisted.

Jennings did listen. Sure enough, there were sounds, weird, uncanny. He gazed about the room. It was eerie. Then he took a few steps toward the safe. Marie put out her hand to it and started back.

"Why, that safe is all covered with cold sweat!" she cried with bated breath.

Sure enough, the face of the safe was beaded with dampness. Jennings put his hand on it and quickly drew it away, leaving a mark on the dampness.

"W-what do you think of that?" he gasped.

"I'm going to tell Miss Dodge," cried Marie, genuinely frightened.

A moment later she burst into Elaine's room.

"What is the matter, Marie?" asked Elaine, laying down her book. "You look as if you had seen a ghost."

"Ah, but mademoiselle—it ees just like that. The safe—if mademoiselle



"A Package for You, Miss Dodge."

will come down stairs, I will show it you."

Puzzled, but interested, Elaine followed her. In the library Jennings pointed mutely at the new safe. Elaine approached it. As they stood about, new beads of perspiration, as it were, formed on it. Elaine touched it and also quickly withdrew her hand.

"I can't imagine what's the matter," she said, "But—well—Jennings, you may go—and Marie, also."

When the servants had gone she still regarded the safe with the same wondering look, then turning out the light, she followed.

She had scarcely disappeared when, from the portiered doorway near by, the Clutching Hand appeared, and, after gazing out at them, took a quick look at the safe.

"Good!" he muttered.

Noiselessly Michael of the sinister face moved in and took a position in the center of the room, as if on guard, while Clutching Hand sat before the safe watching it intently.

"Someone at the door—Jennings is answering the bell," Michael whispered hoarsely.

"Confound it!" muttered Clutching Hand, as both moved again behind the heavy velour curtains.

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"I'm so glad to see you, Mr. Kennedy," greeted Elaine unaffectedly as Jennings admitted us.

She had heard the bell and was coming downstairs as we entered. We three moved toward the library and someone switched on the lights.

Craig strode over to the safe. The cold sweat on it had now turned to icicles. Craig's face clouded with thought as he examined it more closely. There was actually a groaning sound from within.

"It can't be opened," he said to himself. "The time lock is set for tomorrow morning."

Outside, if we had not been so absorbed in the present mystery, we might have seen Michael and the Clutching Hand listening to us. Clutching Hand looked hastily at his watch.

"The deuce!" he muttered under his breath, stifling his suppressed fury.

We stood looking at the safe. Kennedy was deeply interested, Elaine standing close beside him. Suddenly he seemed to make up his mind.

"Quick—Elaine!" he cried, taking her arm. "Stand back!"

We all retreated. The safe door, powerful as it was, had actually begun to warp and bend. The plates were bulging. A moment later, with a loud report and concussion, the door blew off.

A blast of cold air and flakes like snow flew out. Papers were scattered on every side.

We stood gazing, aghast, a second, then ran forward. Kennedy quickly examined the safe. He bent down and from the wreck took up a package, now covered with white.

As quickly he dropped it.

"That is the package that was sent," cried Elaine.

Taking it in a table cover, he laid it on the table and opened it. Inside was a peculiar shape flask, open at the top, but like a vacuum bottle.

"A Dewar flask!" ejaculated Craig.

"What is it?" asked Elaine, appealing to him.

"Liquid air!" he answered. "As it evaporated, the terrific pressure of expanding air in the safe increased until it blew out the door. That is what caused the cold sweating and the groans."

We watched him, startled.

On the other side of the portieres Michael and Clutching Hand waited. Then, in the general confusion, Clutching Hand slowly disappeared, foiled.

"Where did this package come from?" asked Kennedy of Jennings suspiciously.

Jennings looked blank.

"Why," put in Elaine, "Michael brought it to me."

"Get Michael," ordered Kennedy.

A moment later he returned. "I found him, going upstairs," reported Jennings, leading Michael in.

"Where did you get this package?" shot out Kennedy.

"It was left at the door, sir, by a boy, sir."

Question after question could not shake that simple, stolid sentence. Kennedy frowned.

"You may go," he said finally, as if reserving something for Michael later.

A sudden exclamation followed from Elaine as Michael passed down the hall again. She had moved over to the desk, during the questioning, and was leaning against it.

Inadvertently she had touched an envelope. It was addressed, "Craig Kennedy."

Craig tore it open, Elaine bending anxiously over his shoulder, frightened.

We read:

"YOU HAVE INTERFERED FOR THE LAST TIME. IT IS THE END."

Beneath it stood the fearsome sign of the Clutching Hand!

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The warning of the Clutching Hand had no other effect on Kennedy than the redoubling of his precautions for safety. Nothing further happened that night, however, and the next morning found us early at the laboratory.

It was the late forenoon, when, after a hurried trip down to the office, I rejoined Kennedy at his scientific workshop.

We walked down the street when a big limousine shot past. Kennedy stopped in the middle of a remark. He had recognized the car, with a sort of instinct.

At the same moment I saw a smiling face at the window of the car. It was Elaine Dodge.

The car stopped in something less than twice its length and then backed toward us.

Kennedy, hat off, was at the window in a moment. There were Aunt Josephine and Susie Martin, also.

"Where are you boys going?" asked Elaine, with interest, then added with a gayety that ill concealed her real anxiety, "I'm so glad to see you—to see that—er—nothing has happened from the dreadful Clutching Hand."

"Why, we were just going up to our rooms," replied Kennedy.

"Can't we drive you around?"

We climbed in and a moment later were off. The ride was only too short for Kennedy. We stepped out in front of our apartment and stood chatting for a moment.

"Some day I want to show you the laboratory," Craig was saying.

"It must be so—interesting!" exclaimed Elaine very enthusiastically. "Think of all the bad men you must have caught!"

Elaine hesitated. "Would you like to see it?" she wheedled of Aunt Josephine.

Aunt Josephine nodded acquiescence, and a moment later we all entered the building.

"You—you are very careful since that last warning?" asked Elaine as we approached our door.

"More than ever—now," replied Craig. "I have made up my mind to win."

Kennedy had started to unlock the door, when he stopped short.

"See," he said, "this is a precaution I have just installed. I almost forgot in the excitement."

He pressed a panel and disclosed the boxlike apparatus.

"This is my kinograph, which tells me whether I have had any visitors in my absence. If the pen traces a straight line, it is all right; but if—hello—Walter, the line is wavy."

We exchanged a significant glance.

"Would you mind—er—standing down the hall just a bit while I enter?" asked Craig.

"Be careful," cautioned Elaine.

He unlocked the door, standing off to one side. Then he extended his hand across the doorway. Still nothing happened. There was not a sound. He looked cautiously into the room. Apparently there was nothing.



It Was the Clutching Hand.

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It had been about the middle of the morning that an express wagon had pulled up sharply before our apartment.

"Mr. Kennedy live here?" asked one of the expressmen, descending with his helper and approaching our janitor, Jens Jensen, a typical Swede, who was coming up out of the basement.

Jens growled a surly, "Yes—but Mr. Kannady, he bane out."

"Too bad—we've got this large cabinet he ordered from Grand Rapids. We can't cart it around all day. Can't you let us in so we can leave it?"

Jensen muttered: "Well—I guess it bane all right."

They took the cabinet off the wagon and carried it upstairs. Jensen opened our door, still grumbling, and they placed the heavy cabinet in the living room.

"Sign here."

"You fallers bane a nuisance," protested Jens, signing nevertheless.

Scarcely had the sound of their footfalls died away in the outside hallway when the door of the cabinet slowly opened and a masked face protruded, gazing about the room.

It was the Clutching Hand!

From the cabinet he took a large package wrapped in newspapers. As he held it, looking keenly about, his eye rested on Elaine's picture. A moment he looked at it, then quickly at the fireplace opposite.

An idea seemed to occur to him. He took the package to the fireplace, removed the screen and laid the package over the andirons with one end pointing out into the room.

Next he took from the cabinet a couple of storage batteries and a coil of wire. Deftly and quickly he fixed them on the package.

Meanwhile, before an alleyway across the street and further down the long block the express wagon had stopped.

Having completed fixing the batteries and wires, Clutching Hand ran the wires along the molding on the wall overhead, from the fireplace until he was directly over Elaine's picture. Skillfully he managed to fix the wires, using them in place of the picture wires to support the framed photograph until it hung very noticeably askew on the wall.

The last wire joined, he looked about the room, then noiselessly moved to the window and raised the shade.

Quickly he raised his hand and brought the fingers slowly together. It was the sign.

Off in the alley, the express driver and his helper jumped into the wagon and away it rattled.

Jensen was smoking placidly as the wagon pulled up the second time.

"Sorry," said the driver sheepishly, "but we delivered the cabinet to the wrong Mr. Kennedy."

He pulled out the inevitable book to prove it.

"Wall, you bane fine fallers," growled Jensen, puffing like a furnace, in his fury. "You cannot go up agane."

"We'll get fired for the mistake," pleaded the helper.

"Just this once," urged the driver, as he rattled some loose change in his pocket. "Here—there goes a whole day's tips."

He handed Jens a dollar in small change.

Still grumpy, but mollified by the silver, Jens let them go up and opened the door to our rooms again. There stood the cabinet, as outwardly innocent as when it came in.

Lugging and tugging they managed to get the heavy piece of furniture out and downstairs again, loading it on the wagon. Then they drove off with it, accompanied by a parting volley from Jensen.

In an unfrequented street, perhaps half a mile away, the wagon stopped. With a keen glance around, the driver and his helper made sure that no one was about.

"Such a shaking up as you've given me!" growled a voice as the cabinet door opened. "But I've got him this time!"

It was the Clutching Hand.

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Craig gazed into our living room cautiously.

"I can't see anything wrong," he said to me as I stood just beside him. "Miss Dodge," he added, "will you and the rest excuse me if I ask you to wait just a moment longer?"

Elaine watched him, fascinated. He crossed the room, then went into each of our other rooms. Apparently nothing was wrong and a minute later he reappeared at the doorway.

"I guess it's all right," he said. "Perhaps it was only Jensen, the janitor."

Elaine, Aunt Josephine and Susie Martin entered. Craig placed chairs for them, but still I could see that he was uneasy. From time to time, while they were admiring one of our treasures after another, he glanced about suspiciously.

"What is the trouble, do you think?" asked Elaine wonderingly, noticing his manner.

"I—I can't just say," answered Craig, trying to appear easy.

She had risen and with keen interest was looking at the books, the pictures, the queer collection of weapons and odds and ends from the underworld that Craig had amassed in his adventures.

At last her eye wandered across the room. She caught sight of her own picture, occupying a place of honor—but hanging askew.

"Isn't that just like a man!" she exclaimed. "Such housekeepers as you are—such carelessness!"

She had taken a step or two across the room to straighten the picture.

"Miss Dodge!" almost shouted Kennedy, his face fairly blanched. "Stop!"

She turned, her stunning eyes filled with amazement at his suddenness. Nevertheless she moved quickly to one side, as he waved his arms, unable to speak quickly enough.

Kennedy stood quite still, gazing at the picture, askew, with suspicion.

"That wasn't that way when we left, was it, Walter?" he asked.

"It certainly was not," I answered positively. "There was more time spent in getting that picture just right than I ever saw you spend on the room."

Craig frowned.

As for myself I did not know what to make of it.

"I'm afraid I shall have to ask you to step into this back room," said Craig at length to the ladies. "I'm sorry—but we can't be too careful with this intruder, whoever he was."

Elaine, however, stopped at the door.

For a moment Kennedy appeared to be considering. Then his eye fell on a fishing rod that stood in a corner. He took it and moved toward the picture.

On his hands and knees, to one side, down as close as he could get to the floor, with the rod extended at arm's length, he motioned to me to do the same, behind him.

Carefully Kennedy reached out with the pole and straightened the picture.

As he did so there was a flash, a loud, deafening report, and a great puff of smoke from the fireplace.

The fire screen was riddled and overturned. A charge of buckshot shattered the precious photograph of Elaine.

We had dropped flat on the floor at the report. I looked about. Kennedy was unharmed and so were the rest.

With a bound he was at the fireplace, followed by Elaine and the rest of us. There, in what remained of a package done up roughly in newspaper, was a shotgun with its barrel sawed off about six inches from the lock, fastened to a block of wood, and connected to a series of springs on the trigger, released by a little electromagnetic arrangement actuated by two batteries and leading by wires up along the molding to the picture where the slightest touch would complete the circuit.

A startled cry from Elaine caused us to turn.

She was standing directly before her shattered picture where it hung awry on the wall. The heavy charge of buckshot had knocked away large pieces of paper and plaster under it.

"Craig!" she gasped.

He was at her side in a second.

She laid one hand on his arm, as she faced him. With the other she traced an imaginary line in the air from the level of the buckshot to his head and then straight to the infernal thing that had lain in the fireplace.

"And to think," she shuddered, "that it was through me that he tried to kill you!"

"Never mind," laughed Craig easily, as they gazed into each other's eyes, drawn together by their mutual peril, "Clutching Hand will have to be cleverer than this to get either of us—Elaine!"

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JOHN J. O'HARA

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ed the town as its treasurer, while Mr. Curtis the subject of this sketch served four years as City treasurer under Mayor Shea.

Mr. Curtis was born in Quincy, Dec. 9, 1855, and was educated in the public schools. When a young man he



JOHN CURTIS

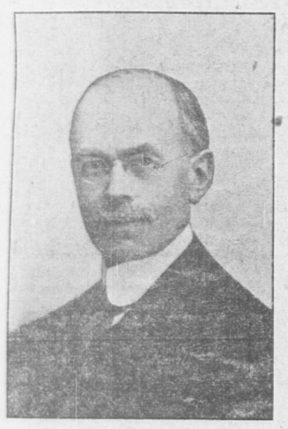
learned the shoemaker's trade which he followed for some years. Later he engaged in the grocery business at South Quincy and East Milton.

He served as a member of the City Council from Ward Three in 1892 and in 1894 served as an assistant assessor under Mayor Hodges, which position he held for four years, part of the time being under Mayor Adams In 1899 he was appointed to the same office by Mayor Keith and served one year

He was appointed as city treasurer by Mayor Shea when he came into office and served for four years

CITY CLERK CRANE.

The office of the city clerk would look unfamiliar to one who frequently visits the office if he did not see the



EMERY L. CRANE,

ever smiling face of Emery L. Crane, and it is no surprise to the citizens that he has been reappointed. Mr Crane was born in Quincy June 29, 1861, and was educated in the public schools and at the Adams Academy. Leaving school he entered the leather house of Converse, Stanwood & Co., of Boston, afterward Emery & Crane, where he remained for some years. During the year 1911 he was employed at the Fore River shipyard in the purchasing department.

He served as a member of the board of trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library for five years having been first appointed by Mayor Porter. He also served as a member of the School Committee for six years four of which were as chairman.

He is a past Master of Rural lodge of Masons and has been the secretary of the Quincy Historical society for several years.

SOLICITOR PINKHAM.

Walter S. Pinkham, reappointed as city solicitor is almost too well known to need any introduction to the people of Quincy, for he has served the city as a member of the city council for a number of years, a part of the time as its president. He also served on some of the administrative boards. Mr. Pinkham was born in Cambridgeport, Aug. 21, 1865, coming to Wollaston in the spring of 1870. He received his education in the public schools of Quincy, the Adams Academy and Harvard, graduating in 1887 as a P. B. K. man. He then entered the Harvard law school and in 1890 he received the degree of A. M. and L. L. B. That year he was admitted to practice.



WALTER S PINKHAM
City Solicitor

His first public position was as a member of the city council from Ward Five serving in the years 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899. During the year 1898 he presided over the deliberations of the city council. After a lapse of several years he again entered the city council of 1907, serving one year.

During his seven years in the city council he served on practically all of the standing committees of that body He is a past Master of Wollaston Masonic lodge and the present District Deputy Grand Master of the 26th Masonic district. He is also a member of St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter and Quincy Commandery, Knights Templar.

CITY ENGINEER SARGENT.

Ezekiel C. Sargent, reappointed as city engineer is one of those men who is eminently qualified for the position and it would have been hard for mayor Campbell to have selected a more efficient official. He was born in Concord, N. H., Aug. 7, 1874, but has always considered himself as a native of Quincy.

He is the son of Walter C. Sargent, grandson of Ezekiel C. Sargent, both of whom were engaged for many years in the granite business in Quincy and Concord. He was educated in the public schools of Concord, N. H., Montpelier, Vt., and Monson, Mass On the death of his father in 1890 his family returned to Quincy when he entered Adams Academy from which he was graduated in 1893. The same year he entered the Institute of Technology where he remained until 1896.

That year the city began the construction of its sewerage system and he entered the employ of the city as a transitman and has been in the employ of the city continuously since From 1896 to 1900 he was connected with the sewer department and from 1900 with the engineering department. He was appointed as city engineer in 1909.

He is a member of Rural Masonic lodge, St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter, and the Boston society of civil engineers.

CHIEF BILLINGS.

It is no surprise that Chief Engineer Faxon Billings has been selected to succeed himself. The chief is a Quincy boy having been born May 28, 1866. He has been a member of the fire department for 21 years, five of which were as a call man and 16 as a permanent man. For the past 12 years he has been the captain at the station of Combination 2 at Atlantic. He served for five years as a member of Co. K 5th regiment when that company was located at Braintree, and for nine years as a member of Troup D of the Roxbury Horse Guards, during a part of which time he was riding instructor of the troop. He retired from the troop with the rank of sergeant.

He has always taken a deep interest in fire department matters and it is stated that during his days off it has been his custom to spend the day at some station of the Boston fire department getting points, and on account of his interest had a pass which permitted him inside the lines at a Boston fire and also to ride on the apparatus responding to alarms.



FAXON BILLINGS
Chief. Fire Dept

CITY PHYSICIAN BARTLETT.

Dr. F. A. Bartlett, reappointed city physician, has been a resident of Norfolk Downs since 1909. Dr. Bartlett was born in Warren, N. H., in 1881 and was educated in the public schools of his native town and at the High school. He then entered Tufts Medical school from which he graduated in 1907. He then entered the Maine State Hospital at Portland, from which he graduated in 1908. He came to Boston and entered the Children's Hospital where he remained until 1909. During this same year he was connected with the Boston City Hospital Relief station. Since 1909 he has practiced in Quincy and he is at present on the staff of the Quincy City Hospital.

He is a member of the Massachusetts Medical society, the Children's Hospital alumni. He is also a member of Wollaston Masonic lodge.

THE ASSESSORS.

John J. O'Hara is transferred from the tax collector's office to the chairmanship of the board of assessors.



ASSESOR O'HARA.

His first appointment was by ex-Mayor Shea in 1910 to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Timothy J. Carey, who resigned to accept a position on the State Board of Charity.

Mr. O'Hara is a Quincy boy and was born Oct. 4, 1880, receiving his early education at the Washington school and Adams Academy. While at the Adams Academy he was much interested in athletic sports and was the star man in the three standing jumps. He also played on the third bag for the Academy ball team. Leaving Adams Academy he entered Boston college where he was graduated with an A. B. He entered the Georgetown University at Washington, D. C., attending the law school of that university from which he graduated in 1904 later being admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

In 1907 he was elected as a member of the School Committee from Ward Two serving three years.

He is a member of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, Quincy lodge of Elks, and of the Boston college and Georgetown University alumni associations.

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WELLINGTON W. MITCHELL.

Who will succeed Mr. Bergfors, on the Board of Assessors is one of the best known citizens of Quincy. He is a son of the late Chester Mitchell who in 1848 founded the Mitchell Granite Co. which was for many years one of the leading granite firms of the city. Assessor Mitchell was born in Dalton, in 1853 but has been a resident of Quincy since a boy. He received his early education in the public schools of Quincy afterwards attending Wesley academy. After leaving school he entered business with his father and he has been interested in the granite business ever since. He is a man well and favorably known in Quincy and his appointment will give general satisfaction.

He was for many years a member of the Board of Managers of Public Burial places having first been appointed in 1907 and served as clerk of the board until 1911 when he resigned to accept an appointment by Mayor Shea as an assessor. He



ASSESSOR MITCHELL.

served one year under Mayor Shea and two years under Mayor Stone and was removed by Mayor Miller when he swept City Hall a year ago.

THOMAS A. L. MUSGRAVE.

The only member of the Board of Health who is retained in office is a native of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, where he was born in 1879 He came to America nine years ago and has since been engaged in the clothing business up to a few months ago when he entered the laundry business. He was for a number of years a member of the Monarch Clothing Co. He is a member of Wollaston Masonic lodge St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter and Quincy Commandery.

CHARLES R. SHERMAN.

Whose term expires Monday as a member of the Board of Assessors and who is reappointed is a man who has seen many years of service in the city. He was a member of the City Council in the years 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893 during which time he served on all of the important committees. He was one of the original advocates for the municipal ownership of the water works and also strongly advocated the establishment of a sewerage system both of which he saw carried out. He also at various times served as an assistant assessor during the early years of the city, and also served for many years as an election officer. His business is that of real estate and insurance and he has had many years experience in this line. He was also one of the authors of the city charter, which even now is considered one of the most model in the state and was an earnest advocate of changing the form of government from a town to a city.

He was born in Fall River in 1845 where he obtained his early education. In early life he followed various occupations such as tailoring, telegraphing, post office clerk and drug clerk and from 1870 up to the early nineties he was a member of the firm of John H. Pray Sons & Co. He then became resident manager of the Wollaston Land Co. and was largely instrumental in the development of Wollaston, where he settled in 1871.

INSPECTOR THOMAS.

George E. Thomas who has been appointed as Inspector of Buildings to succeed Lora C. Merrill, is a well known Wollaston builder. He was born in Nova Scotia in 1851 and came to Massachusetts at the age of 19 years and to Quincy in 1876 where he has since resided. He joined the fire department in 1883 and has since been a member of the department being attached to the Wollaston station He at one time served as an assistant engineer and for many years has been foreman of the Hose Co. He was educated in the schools of Framingham, after which he mastered the carpenters trade which he has since followed. He has built many buildings in Wollaston and Quincy also several public buildings among which were Brasee's block in Wollaston, St. Chrysostom's church, and the Y. M. C. A. building at Quincy. He is prominently identified with the Wollaston Baptist church.

DOCK COMMISSIONER.

The occupant of the office with the longest name, Commissioner of Water Front, Water Ways and Navigation, and the smallest salary, nothing; again goes to Frank Fessenden Crane.

Mr. Crane was born in South Boston in 1855 and came to Quincy in 1863. Here he obtained his education leaving the Quincy High school

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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

All the men in the city who are interested, are invited to attend the Religious Work conference which opens at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. It will be conducted by Mr. Herman de Anguera of the Worcester Association.

Every senior member of the association is urged to be at the next membership supper which will be served Friday evening next at 6.15 P. M.

Following the supper at 7 o'clock there will be an entertainment which will be furnished by the Sandell Trio of Boston. If a member cannot possibly attend the supper he is urged to make an effort to get to the entertainment. This will close in time for the members to get on the floor for the class in the gymnasium.

The annual Y. M. C. A. play will be given in Music Hall on the evening of April 7. A comedy in three acts entitled "A Family Affair" one of the new plays of this year is to be presented. As an added attraction Erastus Osgood assisted by William Walker will appear in a short whimsical sketch entitled "Old Cronies," which will be given as a curtain raiser.

The basket ball games scheduled for Saturday evening this week will be between the Y. M. C. A. 1st team and a team from the U. S. S. Brooklyn. The Y. M. C. A. 2nd team will play the Redmen. Both these games should prove interesting. First game will be called at eight o'clock.

The speaker for the Boys Meeting at nine o'clock Saturday morning will be S. C. Lang who will speak on the topic "Cain and Abel's last Week." Mr. Lang is a fine speaker for boys and the hall should be crowded.

The play which the Boys Division had planned to give the early part of February has had to be postponed but the boys are working on a play now which they hope to present shortly after Easter.

The Employed Boys Gym club, one of the latest clubs to be started in the Boys Division, met last Sunday afternoon at three for a very interesting meeting. Thursday evening a number of them sat down to a "feed" prepared in the Boys Room and after the supper were entertained with phonograph selections through the courtesy of Mr. Harry Wessels. Short talks by S. C. Melville and C. H. Humphrey, the Boys Work secretary, followed.

The attendance at the Bible Classes continues to increase each week, and as these classes are open to any boy in Quincy, whether a member of the Boys Division or not, many more boys should avail themselves of the opportunity of coming in and seeing what we do along this line. Classes meet for boys from 10 to 14 years old on Tuesday afternoon 4. 15 P. M. and Sunday afternoon at 3 P. M.

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QUINCY HOGANS KEEP THE NAME

Verdict Against Them in Bowling Match

The Dreadnought Inspectors of the Fore River shipyard, serving as a jury in a special bowling match at the City Square alleys on Thursday night, returned a verdict against the Hogan quintette who contested to change their name of losers to that of winners. The petitioners presented a fair case in the first instance but had a weak opening.

Foreman Jrenhower overruled a motion to quash the finding by getting 125 willows in the second single. His four associates upheld him in the final vote.

The decision handed down was 1306 to 1271. The arguments were as follows:

DREADNOUGHT INSPECTORS.

Curtis	84	98	83	265
Trapp	93	84	75	252
Zoost	82	92	84	258
Jrenhower	82	125	80	287
Olsen	83	77	84	244
	424	476	496	1306

HOGAN QUINTETTE.

Sheriff	85	88	89	262
Breen	78	70	95	243
Teasdale	93	84	91	268
Florin	78	85	85	248
Hogan	77	84	89	250
	411	411	449	1271

HILDEBRANDS CAPTURE THREE

Larkins Boys March Into First Place

ELKS LEAGUE STANDING.

Capt. Larkin	34	18	16620
Capt. Hanson	31	21	16565
Capt. Maloney	29	23	16373
Capt. Hildebrand	10	42	15193

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.
Larkins 4—Hansons—0.
Hildebrands 3—Maloneys—1.

Capt. John Hildebrands Belgians made three out of four hits at the Elks league at Wardwells Thursday night. The miss counted for Dr. Maloneys defenders. Both teams fired dummy cartridges. The victors hummed "Its a long way to Tipperary" (the first place,) when the fire ceased.

The Larkins dropped a bomb in the Hanson camp and scattered the defenders. The Larkins took four points and jumped to first place.

CAPT. HILDEBRAND—3.

Hildebrand	78	76	77	226
George	85	83	98	266
Brown	81	94	87	262
Ross	81	106	88	275
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	395	434	425	1254

CAPT. DR. MALONEY.—1

Reveney	98	81	111	290
Dr. Murphy	90	90	79	259
Sweeney	73	61	71	205
Dr. Sweeney	87	81	75	243
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	423	388	411	1222

CAPT. LARKIN.—4.

Coyle	84	84	79	247
Hoye	96	80	78	254
Larkin	78	89	93	260
Joyce	101	82	84	268
Gould	75	75	93	248
	434	411	427	1272

CAPT. HANSON—0.

Desmond	67	81	78	226
Williams	70	70	67	207
Hanson	100	101	90	291
Sweeney	75	79	81	235
Dummy	75	75	93	243
	387	406	409	1202

COLISEUM ROLLOFFS.

The Coliseum rolloffs Thursday night resulted as follows:

Olindy	118	84	117	319
Smith	110	92	99	301
Nicoll	88	99	101	288

Mrs. H. N. Thomas's class of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school will hold a candy sale in the vestry Saturday afternoon from two to five o'clock. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Belgians.

SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

CONSISTENT.

Star Actor—I must insist, Mr. Stager, on having real food in the banquet scene.

Manager—Very vell, then; if you insist on that you will be supplied with real poison in the death scene.—Tit-Bits.

OH! FUDGE.

"Why did she withdraw after receiving the nomination?

"They told her, if elected, she would become a member of the common council, and you know how particular she is."

MEN INCLUDED?

A bachelor minister, when about to call in a village district, stated quite frankly:

"In these visits I shall, of course, embrace the servants."

HOW ABOUT DAYS?

Sympathetic Friend.—There's wan comfort, Mrs. McHinnery. Noo that yer puir man has gone to a better warld, ye ken where he is o'nights.

Mrs. McHinnery (grimly)—I still hae my doots.—Judge.

DID IT FOR NOTHING.

Pat—Kehoe gave a dermatologist $20 for changing his pug nose into a Grecian nose!

Mike—He did?

Pat—He did! Next day Callahan knocked it back into a pug nose agin fer nothing at all!—Kansas City Times

MILDLY SARCASTIC.

He had just reached the philosophical stage when he slipped into a restaurant for a bit to eat. Then he sat staring ahead, quietly thoughtful in expression, and waited.

It is admitted he did some waiting, too. What happened to his order could not be understood outside the peculiar restaurant kitchen, but he spent half an hour sitting there staring ahead of him.

At last it came. As the waitress put the order before him, he started from his deep study, as if he had forgotten he had an order coming. Then looking up at the fair transporter of edibles, he said:

"You don't look a day older!"—Everybody's Magazine.

HIS RESEMBLANCE.

"Prohibition," said Rep. Hobson, "is advancing everywhere. Take politics; the politician, even the statesman, was a heavy drinker in the past. How different now!

"A political failure during his first, last and only term in the house, went into the house barber shop to be shaved one day.

"Congressman, sah! said the barber do you know, sah, you remind me mightly strong, sah, of Daniel Webster.'

"The brow, eh?' chuckled the congressman. 'Is it the brow, George?'

"'No, sah,' the barber answered, 'It ain't de brow. It's de breff.'"—Washington Star.

LEFT HIS CARD.

J. Stanley Todd, the portrait painter, was talking about the beggars of different lands.

"I have met," said Mr. Todd, "beggars of every description shy beggars blustering ones, old beggars, robust ones—but the most remarkable beggar of the lot was a man whom I never assuredly will forget. All I saw of this beggar was his hat and chair. The chair stood on a corner of the Rue street, Lazare, in Paris. The hat lay on the chair, with a few coppers in it, and behind the hat was a placard reading:

"'Please don't forget the beggar, who is now taking his luncheon.'"—N. Y. World.

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News of Interest to Granite Manufacturers and Workers

CUTTING PAVINGS HARD WORK.

The granite cutters and quarrymen who were laid off at the start of the winter and who could not find any other employment have gone into cutting pavings and blocks. There are at the present time more paving and blocks being cut in this city than at any other time in the past ten years. Every grout pile in the city has at least one paving cutter at its bottom picking out the best pieces and cutting them up into paving or blocks.

Should the contractors have a call for a large order next summer as in summers past they will not have to get them from the Cape Cod quarries as there is an abundant supply right here in Quincy. Quincy granite is a very hard substance to cut up into paving and these men have to work hard from morning till night to make an average day's pay. When spring comes these men give up paving cutting and return to the quarries.

TO ERECT HUGE DERRICK.

The Granite Railway Company is preparing to handle its share of the spring business. A new derrick 110 feet high is rigged, ready to be raised as soon as weather permits it to be done with safety. When in place this derrick will be the tallest in Quincy and it will loom up so that it can easily be distinguished from the other 30 derricks on the hill.

The spar is a perfect one of Norway pine and was furnished by the Pigeon Spar Co. Mr. Philip Dalphe of Cross street had charge of the rigging. When erected this derrick will be capable of lifting a load of 100 tons.

This has never been accomplished in any quarry in Quincy to date. The power will be furnished by the large compressor installed last year by the company in its yard on Bates avenue. The derrick is to be placed on the side of the quarry near Swingle's to get at the Imperial Dark Stock.

PURCHASES PROUT QUARRY.

Austin L. Johnson the stone contractor of Hall place has purchased the Prout Quarry which he will have ready for operation in a short time. This quarry produces a very fine, medium grained granite, which is especially adapted to use for bottom bases. The quarry was formerly run by Bishop Bros. who closed it down last fall. It is situated near the Milton line on the side of the railroad.

Mr. Johnson is having a new derrick raised on the further side of the quarry where the stock appears to be good. Joseph Ford of Grove street has been secured by Mr. Johnson as foreman and Harry Bowdoin as engineer.

EXPECT TO OPEN SOON.

It is reported on good authority that the Plymouth Seam Face quarry will open Feb. 1. This quarry is run by a Boston concern and is situated at South Weymouth. The company employs when in full swing between fifty and sixty men, over half of which reside in Quincy. Last summer was a busy one at this quarry and it is expected that this year will be the biggest in the history of the firm.

LAYING IN STOCK.

Hughes & Johnson's yard on Granite street presents a busy appearance. A large amount of rough stock is being laid in as these men do not believe in waiting till the quarries are rushed before ordering their stock and then have to wait from one to three weeks for delivery of same. The polishing mill is fairly busy considering the time of year.

The Barre Times comments editorially on this city as follows: "So Quincy's granite business is doomed, is it unless those huge grout piles are removed? The only solution seems to be more road building and the use of Quincy's grout piles as material. The partially crushed rock makes a good underpinning and the powdered granite makes a fairly acceptable top dressing when treated with an oil "binder." Next comes the problem of transporting the grout from Quincy to the places where the roads are to be built. And that is quite a problem we admit."

The inclement weather of the past week has again held up business in the granite industry. The large amount of snow in New York state has prevented the retailers there from getting any sales Business depression at the close of last fall is given by some of the manufacturers as the reason for such poor prospects. As soon as the snow breaks away in New York state the retailers will reap the the harvest they have been waiting for all along. The granite manufacturers of Quincy will in due course receive their share of this work. It is expected that by March 1st all of the men will be back on full time.

HEARING ON MILITIA.

Some Sentiment Toward Adopting Swiss System.

The question of asking the Legislature to consider the advisability of Massachusetts adopting the military system of Switzerland in preparing for war will be considered at the State House tomorrow by the Joint Committee on Rules upon petition by former Governor Curtis Guild, former Secretary of the Navy George von L. Meyer, J. Randolph Coolidge, former president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce: Henry M. Whitney and other eminent citizens.

The Swiss army system provides for three reserves in which about all able-bodied citizens are divided, in accordance with age, into a large army, in ratio to population, in case of great emergency.

The committee will decide if it is advisable to report a resolve which would call for an investigation on these questions:

How many militia companies has Massachusetts?

Is the militia properly drilled?

Is there a full complement of men?

How much ammunition is available?

In what condition are guns and all war accoutrements?

How many men could be mustered, where could they be assembled by mobilization?

Is the sanitary equipment adequate?

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QUINCY SOCIAL CLUBS BOWLING

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Nonpareils 4—Quincy Adams 0.
Seneca 3—Pastime 1.

Three men, McLoud, another McLoud and F. J. Markham, tied at 113 for high single in the Quincy Social clubs matches at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night. There were no triples.

NONPAREILS—4.

O. Djerf	84	96	82	262
F. J. Markham	89	113	89	291
T. Djerf	79	73	93	245
J. Rouillard	90	80	91	261
C. Larson	89	89	89	267
	431	451	444	1326

QUINCY ADAMS—0

Panek	69	84	77	230
Muer	86	85	89	260
Galvin	84	88	100	272
Sullivan	82	86	74	242
Curtin	84	85	64	233
	405	428	404	1237

SENECAS—3.

Crammond	86	90	78	254
Grassick	81	97	77	255
Main	72	95	96	263
Copeland	70	78	80	228
M. McLoud	81	113	75	269
	390	473	406	1269

PASTIMES—1.

F. Smith	81	91	99	271
N. Allicon	76	72	67	215
Di Bona	72	93	81	246
G. Blanchard	74	86	82	242
M. McLoud	81	113	79	273
	384	455	408	1247

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Charles M. Bugel, Maurice E Kilpatrick and William Arthur of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; George I. Adams of Lancaster, in the County of Worcester, and said Commonwealth; William S. Daniels of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Fred W. Wood and Henry Thornton of said Boston, and I. Warren Flagg of Acton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth, Trustees of the Park Land Company; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Charles W. Ward and David E. Saunders, Administrators of the estate of Nathan W. Osborne, late of Salem, in said County of Essex, deceased, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—

Westerly by Faxon Road one hundred and fourteen and 14-100 (114.14) feet; Northerly on Hollis Avenue, formerly Charles Street, eighty-three and 35-100 (83.35) feet; Easterly by land of William Arthur one hundred and nine and 80-100 (109.80) feet; and Southerly by land of Fred W. Wood, I. Warren Flagg and Henry Thornton, Trustees of the Park Land Company, eighty-four and 89-100 (84.89) feet. Containing nine thousand four hundred and ten (9410) square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
(Seal)
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Georgiana B. Sanger sometimes called Georgiana Sanger late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Fanny B. Fish of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 29-Feb. 1-8

Charles E. Decker, Auctioneer, Room 3, Adams Bldg, Quincy, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Arthur E. Holland to Benjamin Johnson dated March 11, 1913 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1242, page 396, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday the ninth day of February, 1915, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage and bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Oxenbridge Road in Taylor Terrace in that part of Quincy in the county of Norfolk called Wollaston, being lot Sixty-one (61) on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan book 50, plan 2392, the said lot being bounded Easterly on Oxenbridge Road, forty-five and 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 60 on said plan, eight-five and 28-100 feet; Westerly on Lot 64 on said plan, forty-five feet, and Southerly on Lot 62 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet, containing 3691 square feet of land, more or less.

Also Lot 62 on said plan, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly on Oxenbridge Road forty-five 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 61 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet; Westerly by Lot 97 on said plan forty-five feet and Southerly by lot 63 on said plan seventy-two 26-100 feet, containing 3398 square feet of land.

A deposit of one hundred dollars will be required at the time and place of sale; balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

BENJAMIN JOHNSON,
Mortgagee.
3t Jan. 15-22-29

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of William Edward Hayden late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lillian E. Hayden of Quincy in said County without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D., 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mary D. Dame late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, and appointing Michael T. Sullivan of said Quincy, address Durgin & Merrill Blk., his agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

HARRY H. BROWN,
Executor.
(Address)
136 Wade St., Jersey City, N. J., or P. O. address Care of Box 54, Quincy, Mass.
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Battle Cruisers Would Greatly Add to Cost of Navy

DREADNOUGHTS MUCH BETTER

Nothing Has Occurred In Present War to Change Original Belief of Naval Experts—Present United States Warships Declared to Be Amply Able to Guard Atlantic Coast

Washington, Jan. 29.—Naval experts figure it will require an annual naval appropriation of $200,000,000 instead of the present average of $140,000,000, if congress decides to add to the present type of American naval vessels a suitable proportion of "battle cruisers" such as have played so prominent a part in the recent naval engagements in European and South American waters.

This estimate is based on the theory that there will be no interruption in the permanent plan of naval increase, which contemplates the addition of two dreadnoughts each year.

If the naval experts were required to choose between building dreadnoughts or battle cruisers, they would unhesitatingly turn to the dreadnought type, and it is stated by prominent officials that nothing yet has occurred in the naval battles of the present war to change their original belief regarding the superiority of the dreadnought type.

They are quite willing to accept a proper proportion of battle cruisers, but insist that the first requisite is the completion of the plan whereby the navy is to possess forty-eight dreadnoughts.

Admitting the advantage of high speed possessed by the naval cruisers in certain cases, the naval experts feel that they would stand no show whatever against a corresponding number of dreadnoughts, because of the heavy armor and tremendous defensive qualities of the latter type.

No European fleet, they say, could successfully attempt to land troops or reduce the fortifications of the Atlantic seaboard so long as the United States has even the twenty-one battleships which now make up the Atlantic fleet.

MEXICO FACES FAMINE

Capital Is Already In the Grip of Anarchy and Terror

Washington, Jan. 29.—Anarchy and terror grip Mexico City, according to reliable reports. Provisional President Garza departed suddenly. This plunged the city again into a state of desperation.

Frightened inhabitants are quitting the city. Isolated robberies and some general looting have occurred.

Looming above all is the spectre of famine. Food prices, already abnormal, have taken a sudden jump to prohibitive figures. The needy are suffering and threatening rebellion.

As predicted when Garza assumed office, his rule is apparently doomed to be short-lived, and he probably will be succeeded within a few days by General Angeles.

The prices of foodstuffs have soared beyond the reach of the needy. The supply of food is very low in the capital, and unless the railway line to Vera Cruz is opened soon, it is believed that much suffering will ensue.

VERDICT QUICKLY REACHED

Jury Finds Dobrolister Guilty of Murdering Henry

Saco, Me., Jan. 29.—Wesin Dobrolister was found guilty of the murder of Napoleon Henry after the jury had deliberated for an hour and a half. His counsel filed a motion for a new trial and the matter will be decided at the June session of the law court.

Until then the prisoner will be confined in the county jail and if a new trial is denied sentence will then be imposed. Henry was shot as the result of a dispute over the lease of a store in Biddeford.

LAYS HER 3000TH EGG

New Jersey Hen Has Earned Title of "Old Reliable"

Caldwell, N. J., Jan. 29.—Miss Elsie Dobbins of this town is the owner of a hen which she believes holds the world's championship for industry. The hen is 14 years old and yesterday laid her 3000th egg.

The hen, a Plymouth Rock, was hatched June 30, 1901, the third birthday of Miss Dobbins, to whom the chick was presented. A record of every egg the hen has laid has been kept. The hen has come to be called Old Reliable.

Zimmerman Will Cuts Duke

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—The will of Eugene Zimmerman, filed for probate here, completely ignored the Duke of Manchester. Zimmerman's son-in-law. The entire estate, amount unnamed, is left to the Duchess of Manchester, Zimmerman's only daughter.

Robbins Trial Postponed

New York, Jan. 29.—Trial by jury of the plea of immunity entered by Edward D. Robbins, a director and former counsel of the New Haven road, in answer to the indictment accusing him of violating the Sherman law, was postponed to Feb. 23.

WALTER W. VICK

Counter Charges Against Him Made by Sullivan



Photo by American Press Association.

DENIES ALL CHARGES

Statement of Minister Sullivan Is Presented In Evidence

New York, Jan. 29.—A statement from James M. Sullivan, American minister to the Dominican republic, denying all the charges of unfitness made against him, chiefly by Walter W. Vick, former receiver general of customs of San Domingo, was read in evidence at the hearings into the charges before Senator-elect Phelan.

The statement, received by mail, was supported by documentary evidence and made counter charges against Vick. Sullivan declared that he had been made the victim of a newspaper campaign engineered by Vick to attack his character and conduct, which was unsupported by facts.

He said that certain newspapers in the United States had "championed the cause of as audacious a gang of pirates as ever sailed the Caribbean."

TREASURY DEFICIT WILL BE WIPED OUT

Federal Taxes Are Dependec Upon to Accomplish It

Washington, Jan. 29.—Income and corporation taxes amounting to $80,000,000, due in June, will wipe out the present treasury deficit of $69,540,408, according to a treasury department statement.

Departmental officials said that while cabinet members have agreed to trim expenses in their various jurisdiction, there is no cause for alarm and that it would not be necessary, as had been asserted, to start any wholesale cutting of appropriation bills before congress.

It was stated also that the war tax has not yet had a thorough test and that within a short time it will greatly increase the government's revenues.

In connection with this statement it was understood that the administration does not consider any additional revenue legislation necessary at present.

OPENING OF PANAMA CANAL

Report of Goethals Causes Postponement of Formal Ceremonies

Washington, Jan. 29.—Formal opening ceremonies at the Panama canal probably will be postponed from March to July, and President Wilson will go to San Francisco by rail in March and to Panama later, when the naval review will be held.

Although no formal announcement of the change in plans has been made, the president has taken up the question with Secretary Daniels.

The report of Governor Goethals that he could not guarantee passage of warships at the original time set for the formal opening is understood to have been chiefly instrumental in bringing about the change.

DENIED NEW TRIAL

Schmidt Claimed to Have New Evidence Which Would Free Him

New York, Jan. 29.—Hans Schmidt, who murdered Anna Aumuller and cut up her body, was denied a new trial by Supreme Court Justice Davis.

In his application for a rehearing the convicted man asserted that newly discovered evidence would free him.

Auto Kills Little Girl

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 29.—Esque Donabedian, 6, was fatally injured when, in jumping off a sleigh on which she was stealing a ride, she stepped in front of an automobile. She died twenty minutes later.

Coast Guard Bill a Law

Washington, Jan. 29.—President Wilson signed the coast guard bill, which combines the revenue cutter service and the life saving service.

Not After Senate Seat

Washington, Jan. 29.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels denied rumors that he would seek a senate seat from North Carolina.

AMUSEMENTS

PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

"Too Many Cooks." Frank Craven's comedy of suburban life which Monday night scored an instantaneous success will begin its second week at the Plymouth theatre. The piece is one of the most wholesome kind and moves with the regularity of a 17-jewelled watch. It is as sweet as a June breeze and has not a single blush. It shows the funny side of a loving couple trying to build a little cottage within commuting distance while a long line of family relatives look on and start two arguments for every shingle. The plot moves around Albert Bennett and Alice Cook the girl he is to marry. The first act finds their little home with the brick foundation completed; the second act shows their cottage half built and the last act shows it completed. The plot is one of the most ingenuous ever conceived. "Too Many Cooks" is fatal to the gloom germ" said the Evening Record. "It is a racy pungent fling at the business of 'butting in' which parents and friends of young lovers are prone to indulge in, usually to the disaster of the lovers." In short those who love wholesome love-making and wholesome side-splitting fun will welcome this refreshing comedy. It ought to be especially appealing to the great number of suburbanites. The play moves with lightning-like rapidity and there is never a moment when the auditor is not howling over the genuine appeal of some witty humor. It is the best comedy that has visited Boston in a long time and is destined to repeat its great New York success.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

Three years ago, Miss Hazel Dawn, a beauteous blonde, burst into view on Broadway as Claudine in "The Pink Lady," and ever since that has been one of the favorite young women of the stage. So rapid has been her rise in the profession that in this short space of time she is now at the head of her own company and is bidding for stellar honors, in unquestionably the largest and most magnificent musical organization seen in Boston in recent years. "The Debutante" which is the title of the operetta, is the collaborated effort of Victor Herbert, who wrote the music score, Harry B. Smith, of the book and Robert B. Smith of the lyrics. She is being presented by John C. Fisher, the noted producer of "Florodora," "The Silver Slipper" and other famous musical successes.

Victor Herbert, undoubtedly the most popular of American composers, has filled the new operetta with a score which he wrote in his very best vein. Some of the numbers which have become most popular are "The Lorelei," the theme of the production, "Call Around Again," "Peggy is a Creature of Moods," "The Cubist's Opera," (Will West's best song) "The Will o' the Wisp," "All for the Sake of a Girl" and "When I Played Carmen" (Zoe Barent's song hit.) Next week is the final one at the Colonial. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

SHUBERT THEATRE.

No musical attraction since "The Merry Widow" first came to Boston seems to have made such an impression on the Boston press and public as "The Peasant Girl." Its two stars, Emma Trentini and Clifton Crawford, are two magnets, who, alone, could draw a large percentage of Boston theatre goers to the Shubert whatever their vehicle. But "The Peasant Girl" has made good so emphatically on its own account, that the stars have not outshone its merits in the least. It is with real regret that amusement lovers will read the announcement that this operetta cannot linger here, but must continue on its journey toward Broadway. The third and last week of its engagement at the Shubert begins, Feb. 1.

Trentini reaches the very top of her musical glory in the songs that have been allotted her in "The Peasant Girl." No such stirring music has been heard on the musical comedy stage for a long time. With the prima donna are associated artists who are worthy of the operetta and of the honor of singing with her. John Charles Thomas, Francis J. Boyle, and Ethel Heuston help to make the ensemble numbers a delight, and in Letty Yorke, the little English prima donna, the Messrs. Shubert have discovered a personality which it is not hard to recognize as a predestined star. The chorus is, as one critic expressed, one of the brightest stars of the production, and the costumes and stage settings are as full of color and harmony as the music. Letty Yorke sings the title role at the popular Wednesday matinee.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Ingenious devices of twentieth century stagecraft have made possible the wonderfully elaborate World's Fair production of "Ben-Hur," now running at the Boston Theatre Boston and which has drawn the biggest patronage that playhouse has enjoyed in many seasons. When one considers that "Ben-Hur," as now staged, is the biggest dramatic spectacle ever shown in the United States and that the best seat in the Boston Theatre can be secured for one dollar, it is small wonder that the public seek this opportunity to enjoy General Wallace's masterpiece, which is unquestionably the strongest play ever based on a Biblical theme, and its extended runs in all the large cities during the fifteen successful seasons of its career, are most potent proofs of its popularity.

The appeal of this great play is not to the eye and ear alone, but to the heart. Through all the scenes of wondrous beauty, of this vivid portrayal of the exciting incidents of the time of the dawn of Christianity, the plain, simple story of the "Man of Calvary" is brought home with all compelling force. The Star of Bethlehem; the lonely desert; the adoration of the Wise Men; the heart-throbbing tale of the meeting of the Christ with Hur; the greetings of the great multitude with waving of palms on the Mount of Olives; and the final miracle of the cleansing of the lepers, are some of the incidents of "Ben-Hur" which separate it from all other plays and make it stand apart from all other attractions of the theatre. While the spectacular features are phenomenal, the atmosphere is most reverent.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

Miss Billie Burke, one of America's favorite actresses, will be the attraction at the Hollis Street Theatre, Boston, for a few weeks beginning Monday, when she will appear in "Jerry," the comedy that Catherine Chisholm Cushing wrote for her and in which she scored one of her biggest successes at the Lyceum Theatre, New York, last spring. This by the way, is the play in which Miss Burke wears the pink pajamas that set all New York talking. "Jerry" is a spoiled and precocious miss from Chicago who comes on a visit to her relatives in the Philadelphia suburb and proceeds straightway to imbue them with the true Chicago spirit. She succeeds so well in her efforts that in less than a week she has captured the man who has been betrothed to her patient aunt for twenty years—captured him and led him off to the altar. How she does this—that is the play. It is a very amusing play and it enables Miss Burke—who impersonates "Jerry", of course— to wear a lot of pretty frocks as well as the aforementioned pink pajamas and to display her charming personality to the very best possible advantage.

Matinees will be given at the Hollis during Miss Burke's engagement Wednesdays and Saturdays.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

William Faversham begins an engagement of four weeks at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, Monday, in the greatest play of his career, "The Hawk," from the French of Francis-de-Croisse. For twenty weeks Mr. Faversham in "The Hawk" has been the dramatic sensation of the New York season. In Paris the play was hailed as the masterpiece of the modern French stage. Although for years Mr. Faversham has been one of the most prominent and successful of actor managers he has not in years been so fortunate in finding a role so peculiarly fitted to his talents. Not since the days of "The Squaw Man" has he had a play so popular with the public.

In the splendid cast which Mr. Faversham has gathered together are Virginia Pearson, Conway Tearle, Frank Losee, Grace Henderson and twenty others. The scenery, which is particularly effective, is from the brush of Joseph Harker, who painted the splendid Shakespearean productions made by Mr. Faversham during the past few years. The costumes by Doucet, most famous of Parisian dressmakers, are sure to prove a delight to feminine theatregoers.

CORT THEATRE.

John Cort, who controls a chain of theatres that reaches from Boston to San Francisco finds time to make more or less presumptuous productions yearly. One of his new plays is a musical farce entitled "What's Going On" with an important cast of players.

The story of the play has to do with a German innkeeper, an Irish Baronet and a poet. The two latter personages are stranded in a hotel and the innkeeper is about to take summary proceedings and have them put out, when Madame Pom-Pom, a lady of dignified grace and her model maid, Elaine, arrive on the scene. The landlord gathers the impression that Madame Pom-Pom is a woman of wealth and high social position, and he evolves the idea of marrying his titled debtors to Madam, thus solving the problem of his delinquent guests. It suggests a theme for good farce, and with the eighteen musical numbers that have been written into the score it will no doubt be a worthy successor to "Peg O' My Heart," which has just finished its sixth month in Boston at the Cort Theatre.

Mr. Cort has equipped the play with every scenic "prop" and light effect that have always made his productions notable ones. On account of the rather unexpected closing of "Peg," which was necessitated by existing contracts and which could not be rearranged, the Cort Theatre will be dark this coming week, in order to give the new play time to arrive in Boston and will positively open Monday evening, February 1st.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

"Julius Caesar," presented by the Henry Jewett Players at the Boston Opera House Monday evening, scored heavily in popular favor. So great has been the demand for seats that the management has decided upon an extension of the production through next week, instead of "The Merchant of Venice," as previously announced. Not only was the public impressed by the elaborate and finished performance of "Julius Caesar," but the critics were also won by the production, as the following excerpts from Tuesday morning's criticisms bear witness.

Herald—"The performance last night strikes a new note in the general excellence of the entire cast; and the opera house permitted a staging at once magnificent, appropriate and not overdone."

Globe—"Tragedy is Staged with impressive Splendor, and admirably acted by the Henry Jewett Players: Added interest as well as artistic value was given the performance by the appearance of R. D. MacLean, a widely known portrayer of Shakespearean roles, as Brutus; and Mr. Jewett himself as Cassius. To witness the work of these admirable actors would of itself have been sufficient compensation to admirers of good acting, but the entire cast was excellent."

WILBUR THEATRE.

Staid old Boston is just now indulging in a soree of happy laughter, caused by "A Pair of Sixes," the merry farce which has scored such a terrific hit at Ye Wilbur Theatre, and which promises to break all records for attendance and hilarity in the Hub City. Not in the memory of the present generation of playgoers has any farce been seen in a Boston theatre which has given such general and absolute satisfaction and which had the audience laughing so immoderately. And the fun is all of the wholesome and healthy sort—the kind your mother or daughter would enjoy quite as heartily as you would yourself. In fact, the Boston Post in commenting on "A Pair of Sixes," said it contained "thousands of laughs and not a single blush." The Boston Globe called it "The Merriest play of the season," while the Boston Herald remarked that "the audience was sore from laughter." Not only is "A Pair of Sixes" the most amusing play ever seen here, but it is presented by a company of comedy stars, and a dozen other expert farceurs. The ladies of the company are given an opportunity to display some very handsome frocks, which are now being copied by Boston society.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

With each successive performance of "Common Clay" which began its third week yesterday, Mr. Kinkead's thrilling drama of modern life seems to be drawing its audiences from wider and wider public. Quite a feature of the production now are the big box parties which come in nightly, not only from greater Boston but from towns and cities outside of the New England metropolis, to see the play, and discuss it together between acts. It was left for a lady member of one of these parties the other night to find the fitting and inevitable word for Ellen Neal, the wayward but big hearted little heroine. "I like your play" she wrote in to the management after witnessing Common Clay "not only because it is big drama, but because Ellen is such a brave example of the girl who is not afraid to 'hit back.'" It looks as if Common Clay were fated to go down in dramatic history with the subtitle of "The Girl who Hit Back."

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Wilton A. Dunham to City of Quincy, Houghs Neck.

Axel E. Ellis et ux to Hiram L. Hutchinson, Warwick street.

Thomas Fenno, tr to Marion F. Thompson, et al, Chinton road, Berlin street Chester street, Cushing street, Woodbine street, Wayland street, Weston avenue Hancock street.

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Leroy M. Hill to Laura E. McLaughlin, Billings road, Beach street.

Robert W. Hill to Arthur L. Thomas Grafton street, Glenwood way.

Harry S. Kaulbeck to William N. Swain, Tyler street.

Arthur W. Lane to Mary E. Lynch, Atlantic avenue, Bay View avenue.

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FRANK F. CRANE.

He is an enthusiastic yachtsman. He joined the Quincy Yacht club in 1880 and has served as its vice commodore, commodore and rear commodore.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

George E. Pfaffmann appointed as chairman of the board of Park Commissioners returns to the office he held in all 14 years. He was one of those dropped by Mayor Miller.

Mr. Pfaffmann was born in Marshfield, Mass., in 1865. He came to Quincy when young and was educated in the grammar and high schools. Mr. Pfaffmann first entered the wholesale millinery business, he later turned to that of dye-stuffs and chemicals and is now doing an extensive business as a manufacturing chemist with office and salesrooms on Summer street, Boston and factory at South Boston.

BOARD OF SURVEY.

This is another new Board which was created by a special act of the legislature in 1914 and later accepted by the city council and the honor of being the first chairman of the board has been bestowed upon ex-Councilman Charles L. Gilliatt. He served for three years as a member of the committee on streets of the council and in 1914 as the chairman of this important committee. He is a well known Wollaston business man being president and general manager of the Norfolk Iron works.

Mr. Gilliatt was born in Digby, Nova Scotia, in 1874. At the age of 16 years he went to Worcester to learn the trade in the ornamental iron business. Here he was employed by three different firms, at one time being superintendent for the firm with whom he learned the business. In 1901 he associated himself with the A. B. Robbins Co., and is at present its president and general manager. He is a member of the Wollaston Yacht club, the Park and Downs Men's club, Quincy Commandery K. T. Order of the Eastern Star and of the Master Builders' Association and the New England Iron League.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Dr. Harold Diehl, one of the three appointed to the Board of Health is the youngest male appointee of Mayor Campbell.

He was born in Easton, Pa., 29 years ago. After attending the grammar and high schools of that city he entered Lafayette college and received an A. B. degree there in 1907 and graduated from Boston University Medical school in 1911. He was registered a practicing physician that year. During his last year at medical school he was an inferne at the Massachusetts General Hospital and for two years was connected with the pathological department of that institution under Dr. Waters. After graduation he served a full year as house physician at the Newton Hospital, Newton. At present he is a member of the medical staff of the Quincy City Hospital, secretary of the Boston District of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic Medical society, and a member of the obstetrical staff of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital of Boston. He is also a member of the Massachusetts Surgical and Gynecological society, and a director of the Quincy Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Diehl came to Quincy in 1912 as the successor of the late Dr. Henry C. Hallowell. Last June he claimed Helene M. Thayer of Arlington as his bride and with her resides at 1241 Hancock street.



WILLIAM H. BUCHAN.

Walter H. Buchan, chairman of the Board of Health is a resident of Houghs Neck and is most actively interested in the welfare of that section.

He was born in Westford, Aug. 22, 1876. When a boy his parents moved to Hyde Park. As a young man he learned the printers trade in the office of the Norfolk County Gazette, published in Hyde Park by Samuel L. Mosely, postmaster of the town. He went from there to the Norwood Press at Norwood where he was employed for 11 years. Three years ago he became connected with the Boston Globe as a linotype man.

Mr. Buchan is married and has lived in Houghs Neck the past seven years. He is president of the Houghs Neck Associates, a member of the Order of Scottish Clans, Boston Caledonian Club, Scottish Border Club Scottish Charitable Society and the Boston Typographical Society.

SCISSORS PASTE

BOSTON 1915.

"Whatever became of that Boston 1915 movement 1915 is here. The North Station is still with us and leaking. Not a main thoroughfare of Boston has been repaired since the 1915 movement started and the new part of Boylston street where it is split into two one way streets is a poorer paved street than any of the old ones. Curley like Fitzgerald is continually talking without doing anything. The Boston & Maine is pretty near a receivership and the New Haven is riding for a fall. The street car lines seem farther away from solving their problems than ever and the quotations of their stocks would appear to indicate that investors are wary of them. The traffic is still so poorly handled that pedestrians curse motorists and teamsters and vice versa. Boston Common is being gobbled up little by little so that the proposition to sell it before it is stolen or given away doesn't seem so absurd after all. A great noise is being made of trying to get new industries which when analyzed means that Boston is trying to drag in a few factories from the suburbs. A new pier has been built and the fishermen on it wish they were back to T wharf and there is a row over setting up a rum shop there. Those who looked for the millenium in Boston in 1915 must be disappointed for save from those departments over which the state exercises control the management of the city as far as the comfort and convenience of its citizens and visitors go is worse than ever."—Malden News.

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DISTRICT COURT.

Silas Cannon was arraigned for neglecting to support his family at Quincy. Case continued to the family trouble session of the court on Feb. 11.

Peter McPhee was fined $15 for drunkenness Quincy Peter came from Neponset Thursday afternoon on an electric car and after arriving in Quincy he amused himself while waiting for a Fore River car by abusing everybody in sight. Then Officer Murray came along and Peter took a ride in the police auto to the police hotel on School street where he was an unwilling guest for the night.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Levi H. Turner lafe of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Emily T. Turner of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915.

J. R. McCOOLE. Register.

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DEATHS

WALLACE—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Ernest Wallace in his 47th year. Funeral services at Christ Episcopal church, Saturday, Jan. 30 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 28-2t

DILL—In Quincy, Jan. 28, Margaret, beloved wife of Charles H. Dill. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas V. Keating 53 Upland road, Saturday, Jan. 30 at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. John's church at nine o'clock sharp. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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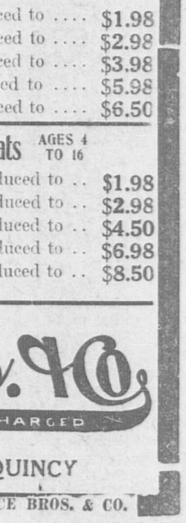
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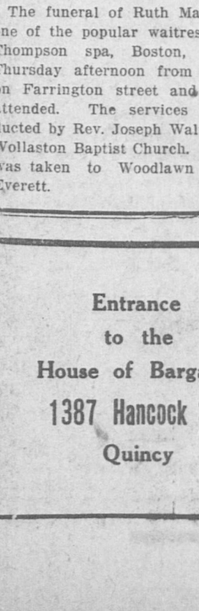
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$ 5.00 Girls' Coats reduced to	$ 2.98
$10.00 Girls' Coats reduced to	$ 5.93
$ 3.00 Girls' Dresses reduced to	$1.98
$ 5.00 Girls' Dresses reduced to	$ 2.98
$ 8.00 Girls' Dresses reduced to	$ 4.98



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$15.00 Men's Suits reduced to	10.98
$18.00 Men's Suits reduced to	12.50
$20.00 Men's Suits reduced to	14.98
$25.00 Men's Suits reduced to	18.50

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$10. Men's O'Coats reduced to	$ 6.50
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$18.00 Overcoats reduced to	$14.98
$22.00 Overcoats reduced to	$16.50
$25.00 Overcoats reduced to	$19.98

Boys' Suits

$ 3.00 Boys' Suits reduced to	$1.98
$ 4.50 Boys' Suits reduced to	$2.98
$ 5.50 Boys' Suits reduced to	$3.98
$7.00 Boys' Suits reduced to	$5.98
$10.00 Boys' Suits reduced to	$6.50

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Table APPLES	50c pk
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GRAPE FRUIT	5c

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SERVICES FOR MISS THOMAS.

The funeral of Ruth Mae Thomas, one of the popular waitresses at the Thompson spa, Boston, was held Thursday afternoon from her home on Farrington street and was well attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist Church. The body was taken to Woodlawn cemetery, Everett.

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URGE WILLARD STREET SHOULD BE STATE ROAD

Ward Four Improvement Association Shows Vigorous Signs of Life

A well attended and lively meeting of the Ward Four Improvement association was held Thursday evening in St. Jean's hall. This meeting is the first meeting this association has held for several months and there was a rumor that the association was "down and out." The meeting last evening showed that this was not the case and that the Ward Four Improvement association will be heard from the coming year.

Among the speakers were Senator L. F. Langelier, Representative Edward J. Sandberg, William R. Teasdale of the Board of Trade, Messrs. Clarke and Ross from the Montclair Improvement association, Councilman Kessler also from Montclair, Councilman Thompson of the Norfolk Downs Improvement association and Councilman O'Dowd.

President Stephen B. Little was in the chair and in the absence of the secretary, Michael E. Monahan was chosen secretary pro-tem. The first speaker was Mr. Clarke of Montclair. He said that he came as a representative of the Montclair Improvement association to get a committee from this association appointed to work with his association to petition the State Gas & Electric Light Commission to give them a hearing for cheaper gas and electricity. He also spoke on co-operation of the different improvement societies in the city and hoped some day to see them combined.

Mr. Ross spoke along the same line and gave an interesting account on the founding of his association. On motion of Charles J. McGilvray the chair appointed Messrs. McGilvray, Fallon, Teasdale and Little to serve on the committee.

Senator Langelier and Representative Sandberg spoke on the work they are doing on Beacon Hill. Mr. Langelier reported that he had received word from the Highway Commission that it hoped to start work soon on the Old Colony Boulevard and the Quincy shore boulevard and that the condition of the road through the Metropolitan Park would not allow it to be opened to automobiles as yet. He said that he would try to get an appropriation of $15,000.00 to do this work.

In reference to making Willard street a state road he recommended that Quincy appropriate a sum of money for doing the same and notifying the Highway Commission of its action. He stated that the towns of Braintree and Holbrook will appropriate $10,000. and $8,000. respectively for this work and that if this is done, work will commence on this road in these towns in the spring. Langelier and Rep. Sandberg stated that they would go together today to the Highway Commission and see what they would do if the city of Quincy appropriated $5,000. for work on Willard street. He also stated he had introduced a bill for 75 cent gas in Quincy.

Representative Sandberg said that his heart and soul were for the best interests of West Quincy. He spoke of the paving of Willard street from Furnace Avenue to the depot because of the large amount of heavy traffic, which a macadam road would not stand. He also recommended that the city council appropriate a sum of money to help make Willard street a state road.

Councilmen Kessler and Thompson both spoke on co-operation among the different improvement societies and recommended that steps be taken to organize a general committee to bring the different associations closer together as they believed much more good could be accomplished in this way.

William R. Teasdale spoke at length of the fight made last year by the Board of Trade to have the price of gas and electricity reduced.

Ex-Representative Peter T. Fallon spoke on the Willard street highway and gave an interesting description of what good Quincy would receive from investing $5,000. in this road. He also favored the car line over Granite avenue bridge which he said would make West Quincy an entrance instead of a dead end in the city.

Councilman James O'Dowd spoke of the work of the street committee and said he hoped that because of the fact that he was chairman of that committee the people would not think that he could get anything he wanted. He stated that he would do all in his power to get the council to appropriate the money for Willard street.

A committee of five was appointed by the chair to bring in a list of names for nominations for office at the annual election which will be held at the next meeting. William R. Teasdale, Dr. John H. Ash, James H. Elcock, John Burke, Neil A. McDonald and John Kapples were appointed on this committee. A vote of thanks was extended the speaker after which the meeting adjourned.

GLENROSE GIRLS MEET.

The Glenrose Girls held a social meeting Thursday evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Williams on Ashland street. The first part of the evening was devoted to the regular sewing circle followed by a social hour. Solos were rendered by Misses May Williams and Caroline Reinhalter. Miss Margaret Reinhalter furnished the music. Games were in order until a late hour after which refreshments were served.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Saturday fair. Sunday unsettled. with rising temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.59
Sun sets	4.57
Length of day	9.58
Moon sets	7.00
High water, A. M.	11.30
High water, P. M.	12.00
Days increase	0 hrs. 52 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

At 12M. today	22 degrees
Jan. 29, 1914,	43 degrees
Jan. 29, 1913,	32 degrees

Jan. Noon Maximum, 18 years—67
Jan. Noon Minimum, 18 years—2

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CHURCH WILL CALL PASTOR

First Presbyterian to Invite Rev. Chas. E. Campbell

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church, Water street, was held Thursday evening to take action on calling a pastor of the church to succeed Rev. James Matheson.

Rev. Norman McQueen of Somerville was the moderator and after some little discusion the congregation was practically unanimous in extending a call to Rev. Charles E. Campbell of Paulding, Ohio, to become its pastor. Rev. Mr. Campbell is in Boston at the present time and he will be waited upon in a few days by a committee from the church and given the call. It is expected that he will accept.

GIRLS STAR IN JACK O'HEARTS

A large and appreciative audience witnessed Thursday afternoon in the Quincy High school hall, a pleasing and successful presentation of "Jack O' Hearts" given by a cast of girls selected from the Thalia club of the High school.

Mildred Harrison acted the part of Mary Hart, commonly known as "Polly," very naturally. Her voice was good and every word she spoke was easily heard by the audience. Her facial expressions were excellent.

Elizabeth Reed, as Mary Robinson, a friend of "Polly's", and Pauline Randall, as Betty Dwyer, the girl who lives next door, took their parts very well.

Annie Bartlett, as the maid, was very natural.

Helen Day, as Winthrop Hart, "Pollys" brother was splendid. Her acting in the last act was very good, and she looked most attractive in her clown's suit.

Marion Hardy, as John Ames, a young clergyman friend of Winthrop's acted her part, which was the most difficult one in the play, with distinction.

Mary Casey, as Dr. Hart, father of Polly and Winthrop, was well made up and certainly looked her part.

Jack Bostford, an unknown cousin of the Harts, was well impersonated by Margaret Hegan.

Piano solos before the play and between the acts, were given by Olga Versarj.

Miss Thayer, one of the English teachers of the High school, coached the girls and she is to be congratulated upon her work. The girls had very few rehearsals, but a good deal of hard work on the part of the entire cast resulted in an excellent performance.

INSTALLS OFFICERS.

District Deputy Grand Master Sadie M. Walker and suite conducted the installation of the officers of Miriam Rebekah lodge of Dorchester Thursday evening. Accompanying the suite were several members of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge. The exemplification of the work was highly complimented by the large gathering present for the occasion.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS

New Half-Year

The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

ALBERT L. BARBOUR,
Superintendent.
Jan. 26-5t

ACCEPTS CALL TO BRAINTREE CHURCH

Rev. Powell of Manchester Will Assume Duties at All Souls on March 1.

CALL WAS UNANIMOUS

Rev. Frank Abram Powell of Manchester, N. H., has accepted the call to All Souls' church, Braintree, and John W. West, clerk, has received the notice of acceptance. He will come to Braintree March first.

In Manchester he is popular not only in the pulpit but also among the church people and the citizens of the community. He holds the opinion that "The great cause of liberal Christianity these days is interdenominational and the more effectively we can disregard mere "names" the better.

Rev. Frank Abram Powell was born in Kansas in 1872 and with his parents went to Oregon as a child. Rev. Mr. Powell has been a preacher for many years, his first sermons being given when a boy. For fourteen years he delivered sermons in the Christian of "Disciples" church and at the age of 30 came into the Unitarian fellowship. He has been a minister at Salem, Oregon, Helena, Montana and Manchester, N. H.

He was educated at Pacific University, Forest Grove and Portland University, Portland, Oregon. He took special courses in biology at the Agricultural college, Corvallis, Oregon, and took his divinity course at the Berkeley Divinity School, Berkeley, Cal. He also took a course in philosophy at Harvard and took a course in comparative religion in the University of Chicago.

Rev. M. Powell is married and is the father of two children of High school age. Both have been entered as pupils at Thayer Academy.

HOSPITAL AID ASSOCIATION.

"Bandages" was the topic of the day at a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Hospital Aid Association, Thursday afternoon, at the house of Mrs. Laurance H. Sturtevant, Adams street. Thirty-eight ladies gathered from different parts of the city and, armed with needle and thread, basted and turned and sewed bandages of all sizes and kinds for use in our City Hospital. The hostess, Mrs. Sturtevant, in reward for such diligence, served most delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

The president, Mrs. Blackmur, expressed her pleasure at the amount of work accomplished and asked the ladies to plan for an even larger meeting Feb. 25 when the Association will meet at the home of Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, 701 Washington street.

Special mention was made of a contribution of a dozen nurses' operating gowns for the Ladies' Social and Benevolent society of the Wollaston Baptist church. Such help is always welcome to the Hospital Aid Association and assistance from other benevolent societies is anticipated.

CLEANING GRANITE.

The process of cleaning the court house is being carefully watched by granite men. The building is being cleaned by a preparation of George Murray, the granite man of Granite street. If a preparation can be obtained to clean granite without leaving the usual yellow streaks on the building it will be a great boon to the trade. A certain man cleaned city hall a few years ago but to look at it today with the streaks of yellow from each joint, many say it would have been better to leave it the way it was and save the city that much money. So far Mr. Murrays work is holding its own and we hope he has at last found the solution which has been so long wanted by the granite men of the city.

Mrs. Ella May of Lynn was entertained by relatives in this city Thursday.

MAYOR REMOVES ERIC G. BERGFORS

Assessor Takes Dismissal Gracefully and Says He Will Make no Trouble

REFUSED TO RESIGN

Eric G. Bergfors, one of the assessors appointed a year ago by Mayor Miller, was officially removed from office this morning by Mayor Campbell. As announced in the Ledger on Thursday, the mayor asked Mr. Bergfors to resign, but he declined. This morning notice was filed with the city clerk stating that he had been removed as a member of the board of assessors. The reason assigned for the removal was "For the good of the service." A similar notice was served on Mr. Bergfors by Constable Decker.

Mr. Bergfors took his discharge from office gracefully and said that he had no desire to hamper the mayor. He said he would step out without disturbance.

TO CONTINUE UNION SERVICES

The Evangelistic Union services which have been conducted by three Swedish churches of the city have proved so successful during the past three weeks that it has been decided to continue them another week. They will be conducted at the Swedish Congregational church beginning next Sunday evening.

The meeting Thursday evening at the Congregational church was highly successful. There was a large attendance. The first part of the meeting was led by Rev. Paul Hallin of the Swedish Baptist church and the scripture and prayers were given by Rev. A. E. Hillman of the Swedish M. E. church. The sermon was delivered by Rev. A. G. Sporrong of the Swedish Congregational church. He spoke on "Reasons for Accepting Christ." Selections were rendered by the Union choir. The appeal was made by Rev. Mr. Sporrong and a large number of young people responded and asked for prayer.

FINNISH CHURCH HOLDS SERVICES

Other Pastors at Recognition of Rev. Stenman

A recognition service of Rev. Mr. Stenman, who has just become the pastor of the Finnish Congregational church, was held Thursday evening at the church on Buckley street. The service was very largely attended and there were also a large number of visiting clergymen present. These included Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott of the Bethany Congregational church who represented the Norfolk Ministers' association, Rev. John Walker of the Massachusetts Home Missionary association, Rev. Thomas W. Davison of the Atlantic Memorial church, Rev. Tyler Gale of Braintree, representing the conference on ministerial standing and Rev. Mr. Clark of North Weymouth. Each of the above clergymen spoke, their remarks being translated into the Finnish language by Rev. Mr. Stenman. Music during the service was by a large choir.

School Committeeman Joseph H. McPherson returned Thursday from an extended business trip through Rhode Island and Connecticut. Mr. McPherson is manager of the specialty department of the Walworth Manufacturing Company.

FR. OWENS GUEST OF HONOR AT RECEPTION

Quincy Council, K. of C., Pledge Loyalty to Newly Appointed Chaplain

More than 100 members of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, and invited guests gathered in Colonial hall Thursday evening to greet Fr. Michael J. Owens, pastor of St. John's church and newly appointed chaplain of the council. The affair was strictly informal and the speeches of welcome and the messages of loyalty were preceded by a banquet.

Grand Knight Peter M. Sullivan was toastmaster of the evening and those who were at the head table were Fr. Owens, Fr. Thomas R. McCoy, pastor of St. Mary's parish, Fr. J. P. Cuffe, pastor of the parish of the Sacred Heart, District Deputy Supreme Knight William Byrne of the council, District Deputy Supreme Knight Edward D. Barrett of the southeastern district and past grand Knight of the council, James E. Geary, grand knight of Ave Maria council of West Quincy, Michael T. Walsh, Edward J. Parker and William A. Carey, past grand knights of the council.

During the evening vocal selections were rendered by a quintette of members of the Braintree council, under he leadership of Edward Cuffe, and with monologues by Henry Barnes, and a musical sketch by Brown and Moulton, a professional double act now appearing at the Kincaide theatre, which was complimentary on the part of Capt. George Wardwell, lessee.

Grand Knight Peter M. Sullivan extended the official welcome of the council and in a few choice words spoke of the loyalty of the members to Father Owens, new pastor of St. John's and chaplain of the council. "I know," said Mr. Sullivan, "he has the hearty support of all the Catholics of the city, no matter in which of the three parishes they reside. We want to honor him and pledge our assistance during his pastorate."

"Cead Mile a Falthe" a hundred thousand welcomes to you in your new fields of labor, was the greeting of Fr. McCoy after he spoke of the pleasure in participating in the program. An outburst of applause served to emphasize the meaning of the words

"Father Owens," he said "comes amongst us, well known for his splendid work ah a priest of God. No matter what zeal a priest may have, no matter how untiring his labors are from a wordly standpoint, but little can be accomplished without the hearty support ofthe people of his parish and especially of the men.

"All that is needed to enlist men is to impress them with the worthiness of a cause and to it they will give their undying support. This is realized in every phase of human activity, in the political, social and fraternal life. Men become absorbed with one ideal and they become active agents in trying to enlist the sympathy of others. Gentlemen, there may be causes in the world which arouse your sympathy, but there is one cause which should be dearest to your heart and that is the cause of your holy religion. Your pastor comes here to make it better known, better loved and he will succeed only in the proportion as you realize the sacredness of that cause and give him your co-operation.

"You have a most sacred cause to advance. He is your leader, a representative of the holy faith so near and dear to your hearts. If you assist him his interests and the impressions he makes will be lasting and will force those outside your faith to stop and reflect when they see you exemplifying the teachings of holy mother the church and with that impression it can be said to the unprejudiced observer, here you behold the fruit of Catholic life. Look and learn what the Catholic church is as a conservative force in the community and see those who are trying to bring out the best there is in civic and moral life.

"Fr. Cuffe an individual without whom no Catholic gathering in the city is complete," was the introduction given the dean of Catholic priests. His reception was warm and hearty. In extending his welcome to Father Owens he spoke of the untimely death of Fr. John J. Coan. The Knights of Columbus, he said were a great help to the church. He then dwelt in an inspirational way on the affiliation of the church and society and the conclusion of his speech was the signal for more applause.

Father Owens, in acknowledgement of the gracious introduction of the toastmaster and of the thunderous applause from the gathering which stood as he arose, smiled genially. As the applause subsided he commenced to speak in a voice which showed how affected he was by the greeting and welcome. He said: "I don't known when I have ever been so honored. I have received on all sides a most cordial greeting. A whole hearted welcome has been extended and many have greeted me individually. This helps me, gives me strength, and afterwards you men are going to be my mainstay. I appreciate the honor you have shown me and if you will forget all of the nice things said about me, forget them and form your own impressions, I will be happy if you then continue to give me the undivided support tendered from the very outset of my pastorate."

Father Owens, to the enjoyment of those present illustrated the various points of his speech with apt human interest stories which were good in every sense of the word. His ovation at the close of his speech was long and continuous and then those who had not the opportunity of grasping him by the hand before the banquet were presented by Toastmaster Sullivan.

District Deputies Byrne and Barrett as representatives of the state council, spoke on the organization and the citizenship of the members. Grand Knight Geary brought the welcome of Ave Maria council and spoke of the work of the organization in the country.

The menu of the banquet was inviting and was prepared and served under the direction of Burleigh and Martin of West Quincy.

HONOR QUINCY SHRINERS.

Quincy Shriners figure in the appointments announced Thursday by Potentate William W. Morrison, of Aleppo Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Mayor Campbell was appointed one of the directors. E. H. Kavanagh, of South Quincy one of the keepers of the signet ring, and Councilman Frederick J. Kessler, one of the degree staff.

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GROWTH OF THE CRIME STORY.

Among the most interesting phases of literature is the development of the detective story. Its germ was in the tales of roguery, "Gil Blas," written by Lesage in 1715, and other so called Picturesque novels. The Picturesque novel takes as its hero a rogue who by his cleverness outwits his victims and those who are sent to pursue him. The stories of "Raffles" and "Arsene Lupin" are nothing but refined Picturesque novels.

The next step in the development was naturally the pitting of the rogue against the honest upholder of the law. The upholder of the law becomes a shrewder individual than the criminal and we have the beginning of the detective story. Edgar Allen Poe introduced a detective who was all mentality, a man who by his deductions was enabled to apprehend the criminal.

Sir. A. Conan Doyle added to the mentality element the personal element and created the immortal Sherlock Holmes. Sherlock Holmes is interesting not only because of his extraordinary mind, which enables him to draw deductions which usually bring his search to a successful end, but also because of his unique personality.

A few years ago Arthur B. Reeve introduced an entirely new type of detective the scientific detective, the man who had at his command in his search for the criminal the latest discoveries of science. The possibilities of such a combination were great. There has never been anything more startling than the discoveries of science in recent times, the X-Ray, the wireless the dictaphone, and the rest. Of these discoverics Mr. Reeve's detective, Craig Kennedy makes good use. Craig Kennedy is the most interesting detective in fiction today.

The danger which stories based upon Mr. Reeve's plan are likely to face is that of having so much of the scientific element that they lack the personal element so essential to the real interest of a story. But Craig Kennedy is a real personality and there is plenty of human interest in the adventures in which he is involved. Reeve's latest and best tale woven about Craig Kennedy and the "Clutching Hand" is entitled "The Exploits of Elaine."

"The Exploits of Elaine" is an absorbing story. Craig Kennedy appears at his best in his fight to the death with the Master Crook. It is a respectable contribution to modern literature. Craig Kennedy has another distinction. He is the first detective of note to be presented on the motion picture screen.

The Ledger began Wednesday to print "The Exploits of Elaine" which are being shown in motion picture form on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week at the Kincaide theatre. It is a tale worth reading and worth seeing.

THE NEW BUILDING.

Mayor Campbell has once more demonstrated that he is "on the job" by inducing F. W. Norris of Cambridge to erect a large and modern business block, as announced in Thursday's Ledger. That a man of Mr. Norris' experience should feel justified in building a block of 20 stores near the Wollaston depot and that about half those stores should already be let is a convincing indication that Quincy is growing. It is to be hoped that work will start immediately so that employment may be provided for many good workmen who through no fault of their own happen to be out of work at this time.

The Somerville Journal asks: "Is it irreverent for a man, making up his personal cash account, to put 'Pew Rent' and 'Fire Insurance' in the same class?"

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The Exploits of Elaine

A Detective Novel and a Motion Picture Drama

By ARTHUR B. REEVE
The Well-Known Novelist and the Creator of the "Craig Kennedy" Stories

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SYNOPSIS.

The New York police are mystified by a series of murders of prominent men. The principal clue to the murderer is the warning letter which is sent the victims signed with a "clutching hand." The latest victim of the mysterious assassin is Taylor Dodge, the insurance president. His daughter, Elaine, employs Craig Kennedy, the famous scientific detective, to try to unravel the mystery. What Kennedy accomplishes is told by his friend, Jameson, a newspaper man. Kennedy frustrates a daring attempt to rob a jewelry store and rescues Elaine from a boiler where she had been imprisoned by the thugs.

FOURTH EPISODE

The Frozen Safe.

Kennedy swung open the door of our taxicab as we pulled up, safe at last, before the Dodge mansion, after the rescue of Elaine from the brutal machinations of the Clutching Hand.

Bennett was on the step of the cab in a moment, and together, one on each side of Elaine, they assisted her out of the car and up the steps to the house.

Elaine's Aunt Josephine was waiting for us in the drawing-room, very much worried. The dear old lady was quite scandalized as Elaine excitedly told of the thrilling events that had just taken place.

"And to think they—actually—carried you!" she exclaimed, horrified, adding, "And I not—"

"But Mr. Kennedy came along and saved me just in time," interrupted Elaine with a smile. "I was well chnperoned!"

Aunt Josephine turned to Craig, gratefully. "How can I ever thank you enough, Mr. Kennedy," she said fervently.

Kennedy was quite embarrassed. With a smile, Elaine perceived his discomfiture, not at all displeased by it.

"Come into the library!" she cried gayly, taking his arm. "I've something to show you."

Where the old safe, which had been burnt through, had stood, was now a brand-new safe of the very latest construction and design—one of those globular safes that look and are so formidable.

"Here is the new safe," she pointed out brightly. "It is not only proof against explosives, but between the plates is a lining that is proof against thermit and even that oxyacetylene blowpipe by which you rescued me from the old boiler. It has a time clock, too, that will prevent its being opened at night, even if any one should learn the combination."

They stood before the safe a moment, and Kennedy examined it closely with much interest.

"Wonderful!" he admired.

"I knew you'd approve of it," cried Elaine, much pleased. "Now I have something else to show you."

She paused at the desk, and from a drawer took out a portfolio of large photographs. They were very handsome photographs of herself.

"Much more wonderful than the safe," remarked Craig earnestly. Then, hesitating and a trifle embarrassed, he added, "May I—may I have one?"

"If you care for it," she said, dropping her eyes, then glancing up at him quickly.

"Care for it?" he repeated. "It will be one of the greatest treasures—"

She slipped the picture quickly into an envelope. "Come," she interrupted. "Aunt Josephine will be wondering where we are. She—she's a demon chaperon."

Bennett, Aunt Josephine and myself were talking earnestly as Elaine and Craig returned.

That morning I had noticed Kennedy fussing some time at the door of our apartment before we went over to the laboratory. As nearly as I could make out he had placed something under the rug at the door out into the hallway.

"Well," said Bennett, glancing at his watch and rising as he turned to Elaine, "I'm afraid I must go now."

He crossed over to where she stood and shook hands. There was no doubt that Bennett was very much smitten by his fair client.

"Good-by, Mr. Bennett," she murmured, "and I thank you so much for what you have done for me today."

But there was something lifeless about the words. She turned quickly to Craig, who had remained standing.

"Must you go too, Mr. Kennedy?" she asked, noticing his position.

"I'm afraid Mr. Jameson and I must get back on the job before this Clutching Hand gets busy again," he replied reluctantly.

"Oh, I hope you—we get them soon!" she exclaimed, and there was nothing lifeless about the way she gave Craig her hand, as Bennett, he and I left a moment later.

When we approached our door, now, Craig paused. By pressing a little concealed button he caused a panel in the wall outside to loosen, disclosing a small, boxlike plate in the wall underneath.

It was about a foot long and perhaps four inches wide. Through it ran a piece of paper which unrolled from one coil and wound up on another, actuated by clockwork. Across the blank white paper ran an ink line traced by a stylographic pen, used as I had seen in mechanical pencils used in offices, hotels, banks and such places.

Kennedy examined the thing with interest.

"What is it?" I asked.

"A new kinograph," he replied, still gazing carefully at the rolled-up part of the paper. "I have installed it because it registers every footstep on the floor of our apartment. We can't be too careful with this Clutching Hand. I want to know whether we have had any visitors or not in our absence. This straight line indicates that we have not. Wait a moment."

Craig hastily unlocked the door and entered. Inside I could see him pacing up and down our modest quarters.

"Do you see anything, Walter?" he called.

I looked at the kinograph. The pen had started to trace its line, no longer even and straight, but zigzag, at different heights across the paper. He came to the door. "What do you think of it?" he inquired.

"Some idea," I answered enthusiastically.

We entered and I fell to work on a special Sunday story that I had been forced to neglect. I was not so busy, however, that I did not notice out of the corner of my eye that Kennedy had taken from its cover Elaine Dodge's picture and was gazing at it ravenously.

I had finished as much of the article as I could do then and was smoking and reading it over. Kennedy was still gazing at the picture Miss Dodge had given him, then moving from place to place about the room, evidently wondering where it would look best. I doubt whether he had done another blessed thing since we returned.

He tried it on the mantel. That wouldn't do. At last he held it up beside a picture of Galton, I think, of finger print and eugenics fame, who hung on the wall directly opposite the fireplace. Hastily he compared the two. Elaine's picture was precisely the same size.

Next he tore out the picture of the scientist and threw it carelessly into the fireplace. Then he placed Elaine's picture in its place and hung it up again, standing off to admire it.

I watched him gleefully. Was this Craig? Purposely I moved my elbow suddenly and pushed a book with a bang on the floor. Kennedy actually jumped. I picked up the book with a muttered apology. No, this was not the same old Craig.

Perhaps half an hour later I was still reading. Kennedy was now pacing up and down the room, apparently unable to concentrate his mind on any but one subject.

He stopped a moment before the photograph, looked at it fixedly. Then he started his methodical walk again, hesitated, and went over to the telephone, calling a number which I recognized.

"She must have been pretty well done up by her experience," he said apologetically, catching my eye. "I was wondering if—hello!—oh, Miss Dodge—I—er—I—er—just called up to see if you were all right."

Craig was very much embarrassed, but also very much in earnest.

A musical laugh rippled over the telephone. "Yes, I'm all right, thank you, Mr. Kennedy—and I put the package you sent me into the safe, but—"

"Package?" frowned Craig. "Why, I sent you no package, Miss Dodge. In the safe?"

"Why, yes, and the safe is all covered with moisture—and so cold."

"Moisture—cold?" he repeated hastily.

"Yes. I have been wondering if it is all right. In fact, I was going to call you up, only I was afraid you'd think I was foolish."

"I shall be right over," he answered hastily, clapping the receiver back on its hook. "Walter," he added, seizing his hat and coat, "come on—hurry!"

A few minutes later we drove up in a taxi before the Dodge house and rang the bell.

Jennings admitted us sleepily.

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It could not have been long after we left Miss Dodge, late in the afternoon, that Susie Martin, who had been quite worried over our long absence after the attempt to rob her father, dropped in on Elaine. Wide-eyed, she had listened to Elaine's story of what had happened.

"And you think this Clutching Hand has never recovered the incriminating papers that caused him to murder your father?" asked Susie.

Elaine shook her head. "No. Let me show you the new safe I've bought. Mr. Kennedy thinks it wonderful."

"I should think you'd be proud of it," admired Susie. "I must tell father to get one, too."

At that very moment, if they had known it, the Clutching Hand, with his sinister, masked face, was peering at the two girls from the other side of the portieres.

Susie rose to go and Elaine followed her to the door. No sooner had she gone than the Clutching Hand came out from behind the curtains. He gazed about a moment, then, moving over to the safe about which the two girls had been talking, stealthily examined it.

He must have heard someone coming, for with a gesture of hate at the safe itself, as though he personified it, he slipped back of the curtains again.

Elaine had returned, and as she sat down at the desk to go over some papers which Bennett had left relative to settling up the estate the masked intruder stealthily and silently withdrew.

"A package for you, Miss Dodge," announced Michael later in the evening, as Elaine, in her dainty evening gown, was still engaged in going over the papers. He carried it in his hands rather gingerly.

"Mr. Kennedy sent it, ma'am. He says it contains clues, and will you please put it in the new safe for him."

Elaine took the package eagerly and examined it. Then she pulled open the little round door of the globular safe.

"It must be getting cold out, Michael," she remarked. "This package is as cold as ice."

"It is, ma'am," answered Michael.

She closed the safe, and, with a glance at her watch, set the time lock and went upstairs to her room.

No sooner had Elaine disappeared than Michael appeared again, catlike, through the curtains from the drawing-room, and, after a glance about the dimly lighted library, discovering that the coast was clear, motioned to a figure hiding behind the portieres.

A moment and Clutching Hand himself came out.

He moved over to the safe and looked it over. Then he put out his hand and touched it.

"Listen!" cautioned Michael.

Someone was coming, and they hastily slunk behind the protecting portieres. It was Marie, Elaine's maid.

She turned up the lights and went over to the desk for a book for which Elaine had evidently sent her. She paused and appeared to be listening. Then she went to the door.

"Jennings!" she beckoned.

"What is it, Marie?" he replied.

She said nothing, but as he came up the hall led him to the center of the room.

"Listen! I heard sighs and groans!" Jennings looked at her a moment, puzzled, then laughed. "You girls!" he exclaimed. "I suppose you'll always think the library haunted now."

"But, Jennings, listen," she persisted.

Jennings did listen. Sure enough, there were sounds, weird, uncanny. He gazed about the room. It was eerie. Then he took a few steps toward the safe. Marie put out her hand to it and started back.

"Why, that safe is all covered with cold sweat!" she cried with bated breath.

Sure enough, the face of the safe was beaded with dampness. Jennings put his hand on it and quickly drew it away, leaving a mark on the dampness.

"W-what do you think of that?" he gasped.

"I'm going to tell Miss Dodge," cried Marie, genuinely frightened.

A moment later she burst into Elaine's room.

"What is the matter, Marie?" asked Elaine, laying down her book. "You look as if you had seen a ghost."

"Ah, but mademoiselle—it ees just like that. The safe—if mademoiselle



"A Package for You, Miss Dodge."

will come down stairs, I will show it you."

Puzzled, but interested, Elaine followed her. In the library Jennings pointed mutely at the new safe. Elaine approached it. As they stood about, new beads of perspiration, as it were, formed on it. Elaine touched it and also quickly withdrew her hand.

"I can't imagine what's the matter," she said. "But—well—Jennings, you may go—and Marie, also."

When the servants had gone she still regarded the safe with the same wondering look, then turning out the light, she followed.

She had scarcely disappeared when, from the portiered doorway near by, the Clutching Hand appeared, and, after gazing out at them, took a quick look at the safe.

"Good!" he muttered.

Noiselessly Michael of the sinister face moved in and took a position in the center of the room, as if on guard, while Clutching Hand sat before the safe watching it intently.

"Someone at the door—Jennings is answering the bell," Michael whispered hoarsely.

"Confound it!" muttered Clutching Hand, as both moved again behind the heavy velour curtains.

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"I'm so glad to see you, Mr. Kennedy," greeted Elaine unaffectedly as Jennings admitted us.

She had heard the bell and was coming downstairs as we entered. We three moved toward the library and someone switched on the lights.

Craig strode over to the safe. The cold sweat on it had now turned to icicles. Craig's face clouded with thought as he examined it more closely. There was actually a groaning sound from within.

"It can't be opened," he said to himself. "The time lock is set for tomorrow morning."

Outside, if we had not been so absorbed in the present mystery, we might have seen Michael and the Clutching Hand listening to us. Clutching Hand looked hastily at his watch.

"The deuce!" he muttered under his breath, stifling his suppressed fury.

We stood looking at the safe. Kennedy was deeply interested, Elaine standing close beside him. Suddenly he seemed to make up his mind.

"Quick—Elaine!" he cried, taking her arm. "Stand back!"

We all retreated. The safe door, powerful as it was, had actually begun to warp and bend. The plates were bulging. A moment later, with a loud report and concussion, the door blew off.

A blast of cold air and flakes like snow flew out. Papers were scattered on every side.

We stood gazing, aghast, a second, then ran forward. Kennedy quickly examined the safe. He bent down and from the wreck took up a package, now covered with white.

As quickly he dropped it.

"That is the package that was sent," cried Elaine.

Taking it in a table cover, he laid it on the table and opened it. Inside was a peculiar shape flask, open at the top, but like a vacuum bottle.

"A Dewar flask!" ejaculated Craig.

"What is it?" asked Elaine, appealing to him.

"Liquid air!" he answered. "As it evaporated, the terrific pressure of expanding air in the safe increased until it blew out the door. That is what caused the cold sweating and the groans."

We watched him, startled.

On the other side of the portieres Michael and Clutching Hand waited. Then, in the general confusion, Clutching Hand slowly disappeared, foiled.

"Where did this package come from?" asked Kennedy of Jennings suspiciously.

Jennings looked blank.

"Why," put in Elaine, "Michael brought it to me."

"Get Michael," ordered Kennedy.

A moment later he returned. "I found him, going upstairs," reported Jennings, leading Michael in.

"Where did you get this package?" shot out Kennedy.

"It was left at the door, sir, by a boy, sir."

Question after question could not shake that simple, stolid sentence. Kennedy frowned.

"You may go," he said finally, as if reserving something for Michael later.

A sudden exclamation followed from Elaine as Michael passed down the hall again. She had moved over to the desk, during the questioning, and was leaning against it.

Inadvertently she had touched an envelope. It was addressed, "Craig Kennedy."

Craig tore it open, Elaine bending anxiously over his shoulder, frightened.

We read:

"YOU HAVE INTERFERED FOR THE LAST TIME. IT IS THE END."

Beneath it stood the fearsome sign of the Clutching Hand!

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The warning of the Clutching Hand had no other effect on Kennedy than the redoubling of his precautions for safety. Nothing further happened that night, however, and the next morning found us early at the laboratory.

It was the late forenoon, when, after a hurried trip down to the office, I rejoined Kennedy at his scientific workshop.

We walked down the street when a big limousine shot past. Kennedy stopped in the middle of a remark. He had recognized the car, with a sort of instinct.

At the same moment I saw a smiling face at the window of the car. It was Elaine Dodge.

The car stopped in something less than twice its length and then backed toward us.

Kennedy, hat off, was at the window in a moment. There were Aunt Josephine and Susie Martin, also.

"Where are you boys going?" asked Elaine, with interest, then added with a gayety that ill concealed her real anxiety, "I'm so glad to see you—to see that—er—nothing has happened from the dreadful Clutching Hand."

"Why, we were just going up to our rooms," replied Kennedy.

"Can't we drive you around?"

We climbed in and a moment later were off. The ride was only too short for Kennedy. We stepped out in front of our apartment and stood chatting for a moment.

"Some day I want to show you the laboratory," Craig was saying.

"It must be so—interesting!" exclaimed Elaine very enthusiastically. "Think of all the bad men you must have caught!"

Elaine hesitated. "Would you like to see it?" she wheedled of Aunt Josephine.

Aunt Josephine nodded acquiescence, and a moment later we all entered the building.

"You—you are very careful since that last warning?" asked Elaine as we approached our door.

"More than ever—now," replied Craig. "I have made up my mind to win."

Kennedy had started to unlock the door, when he stopped short.

"See," he said, "this is a precaution I have just installed. I almost forgot in the excitement."

He pressed a panel and disclosed the boxlike apparatus.

"This is my kinograph, which tells me whether I have had any visitors in my absence. If the pen traces a straight line, it is all right; but if—hello—Walter, the line is wavy."

We exchanged a significant glance.

"Would you mind—er—standing down the hall just a bit while I enter?" asked Craig.

"Be careful," cautioned Elaine.

He unlocked the door, standing off to one side. Then he extended his hand across the doorway. Still nothing happened. There was not a sound. He looked cautiously into the room. Apparently there was nothing.



It Was the Clutching Hand.

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It had been about the middle of the morning that an express wagon had pulled up sharply before our apartment.

"Mr. Kennedy live here?" asked one of the expressmen, descending with his helper and approaching our janitor, Jens Jensen, a typical Swede, who was coming up out of the basement.

Jens growled a surly, "Yes—but Mr. Kannady, he bane out."

"Too bad—we've got this large cabinet he ordered from Grand Rapids. We can't cart it around all day. Can't you let us in so we can leave it?"

Jensen muttered: "Well—I guess it bane all right."

They took the cabinet off the wagon and carried it upstairs. Jensen opened our door, still grumbling, and they placed the heavy cabinet in the living room.

"Sign here."

"You fallers bane a nuisance," protested Jens, signing nevertheless.

Scarcely had the sound of their footfalls died away in the outside hallway when the door of the cabinet slowly opened and a masked face protruded, gazing about the room.

It was the Clutching Hand!

From the cabinet he took a large package wrapped in newspapers. As he held it, looking keenly about, his eye rested on Elaine's picture. A moment he looked at it, then quickly at the fireplace opposite.

An idea seemed to occur to him. He took the package to the fireplace, removed the screen and laid the package over the andirons with one end pointing out into the room.

Next he took from the cabinet a couple of storage batteries and a coil of wire. Deftly and quickly he fixed them on the package.

Meanwhile, before an alleyway across the street and further down the long block the express wagon had stopped.

Having completed fixing the batteries and wires, Clutching Hand ran the wires along the molding on the wall overhead, from the fireplace until he was directly over Elaine's picture. Skillfully he managed to fix the wires, using them in place of the picture wires to support the framed photograph until it hung very noticeably askew on the wall.

The last wire joined, he looked about the room, then noiselessly moved to the window and raised the shade.

Quickly he raised his hand and brought the fingers slowly together. It was the sign.

Off in the alley, the express driver and his helper jumped into the wagon and away it rattled.

Jensen was smoking placidly as the wagon pulled up the second time.

"Sorry," said the driver sheepishly, "but we delivered the cabinet to the wrong Mr. Kennedy."

He pulled out the inevitable book to prove it.

"Wall, you bane fine fallers," growled Jensen, puffing like a furnace, in his fury. "You cannot go up agane."

"We'll get fired for the mistake," pleaded the helper.

"Just this once," urged the driver, as he rattled some loose change in his pocket. "Here—there goes a whole day's tips."

He handed Jens a dollar in small change.

Still grumpy, but mollified by the silver, Jens let them go up and opened the door to our rooms again. There stood the cabinet, as outwardly innocent as when it came in.

Lugging and tugging they managed to get the heavy piece of furniture out and downstairs again, loading it on the wagon. Then they drove off with it, accompanied by a parting volley from Jensen.

In an unfrequented street, perhaps half a mile away, the wagon stopped. With a keen glance around, the driver and his helper made sure that no one was about.

"Such a shaking up as you've given me!" growled a voice as the cabinet door opened. "But I've got him this time!"

It was the Clutching Hand.

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Craig gazed into our living room cautiously.

"I can't see anything wrong," he said to me as I stood just beside him. "Miss Dodge," he added, "will you and the rest excuse me if I ask you to wait just a moment longer?"

Elaine watched him, fascinated. He crossed the room, then went into each of our other rooms. Apparently nothing was wrong and a minute later he reappeared at the doorway.

"I guess it's all right," he said. "Perhaps it was only Jensen, the janitor."

Elaine, Aunt Josephine and Susie Martin entered. Craig placed chairs for them, but still I could see that he was uneasy. From time to time, while they were admiring one of our treasures after another, he glanced about suspiciously.

"What is the trouble, do you think?" asked Elaine wonderingly, noticing his manner.

"I—I can't just say," answered Craig, trying to appear easy.

She had risen and with keen interest was looking at the books, the pictures, the queer collection of weapons and odds and ends from the underworld that Craig had amassed in his adventures.

At last her eye wandered across the room. She caught sight of her own picture, occupying a place of honor—but hanging askew.

"Isn't that just like a man!" she exclaimed. "Such housekeepers as you are—such carelessness!"

She had taken a stop or two across the room to straighten the picture.

"Miss Dodge!" almost shouted Kennedy, his face fairly blanched. "Stop!"

She turned, her stunning eyes filled with amazement at his suddenness. Nevertheless she moved quickly to one side, as he waved his arms, unable to speak quickly enough.

Kennedy stood quite still, gazing at the picture, askew, with suspicion.

"That wasn't that way when we left, was it, Walter?" he asked.

"It certainly was not," I answered positively. "There was more time spent in getting that picture just right than I ever saw you spend on the room."

Craig frowned.

As for myself I did not know what to make of it.

"I'm afraid I shall have to ask you to step into this back room," said Craig at length to the ladies. "I'm sorry—but we can't be too careful with this intruder, whoever he was."

Elaine, however, stopped at the door.

For a moment Kennedy appeared to be considering. Then his eye fell on a fishing rod that stood in a corner. He took it and moved toward the picture.

On his hands and knees, to one side, down as close as he could get to the floor, with the rod extended at arm's length, he motioned to me to do the same, behind him.

Carefully Kennedy reached out with the pole and straightened the picture.

As he did so there was a flash, a loud, deafening report, and a great puff of smoke from the fireplace.

The fire screen was riddled and overturned. A charge of buckshot shattered the precious photograph of Elaine.

We had dropped flat on the floor at the report. I looked about. Kennedy was unharmed and so were the rest.

With a bound he was at the fireplace, followed by Elaine and the rest of us. There, in what remained of a package done up roughly in newspaper, was a shotgun with its barrel sawed off about six inches from the lock, fastened to a block of wood, and connected to a series of springs on the trigger, released by a little electromagnetic arrangement actuated by two batteries and leading by wires up along the molding to the picture where the slightest touch would complete the circuit.

A startled cry from Elaine caused us to turn.

She was standing directly before her shattered picture where it hung awry on the wall. The heavy charge of buckshot had knocked away large pieces of paper and plaster under it.

"Craig!" she gasped.

He was at her side in a second.

She laid one hand on his arm, as she faced him. With the other she traced an imaginary line in the air from the level of the buckshot to his head and then straight to the infernal thing that had lain in the fireplace.

"And to think," she shuddered, "that it was through me that he tried to kill you!"

"Never mind," laughed Craig easily, as they gazed into each other's eyes, drawn together by their mutual peril, "Clutching Hand will have to be cleverer than this to get either of us—Elaine!"

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VIKING CIRCLE IN MASQUERADE

Dancers Represent Many Different Characters

Circle Daughters of Viking, Companions Foresters of America, and Court John Ericson, Foresters of America, joined in giving a masquerade ball in Alpha hall Thursday night. Several hundred people were present in costume, representing characters seen in every day life and also the military organizations of different countries. The first prizes were awarded to Kari Makepiece and Mrs. C. Gustafson.

Dancing during the evening was under the direction of Representative Charles F. Erickson and he was assisted by Mrs. Carl Bonnivier. The members of the committee served as aids. The ladies' organization was represented by Mrs. Edward J. Sandberg, Mrs. Otto Peterson, Mrs. Ellen Anderson, Miss Alice Loddengaard and Mrs. Emma Lund. Music was furnished by Hamiltons orchestra and refreshments were served in Union hall.

FORM NEW S. S. ORGANIZATION

The Sunday school teachers of the First Parish entertained the Unitarian Sunday school teachers from Wollaston and Braintree Thursday evening in the social rooms of the chapel The object of the meeting was to form a Neighborhood Conference of Unitarian Sunday School Workers.

Mr. West of Braintree was elected president and Miss Maria Whitney of Quincy secretary. It was voted to hold meetings three times a year for the discussion of Sunday school problems.

During the evening Sunday school lessons were talked over and some of the work being done by the younger classes was shown.

Light refreshments were served by Miss Maria Whitney and Miss Harriet B. Pierce.

The committee appointed to arrange for the April meeting were: Mrs. Carl G. Horst of Wollaston, Miss Holyoke of Braintree and Miss Ruth Bass of Quincy.

There were eight present from Wollaston, nine from Braintree and fourteen from Quincy.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

Y. M. C. A. TEAMS RETURN VICTORS

Both Y. M. C. A. teams were winners Thursday night in their games with Hyde Park. Although without the services of "Ernie" Rich the first team won 35—19 Morrison who took Rich's place played a star game. McAlpee was the star for Hyde Park.

The second won easily, 90—14 Thomas ran wild getting 20 baskets Bishop was not far behind with fourteen. This makes ten straight for Quincy 2nd without a loss. They have scored 519 points to opponents 187.

The score:

QUINCY 1st	HYDE PARK 1st
Jenkins, rf	lb, Johnson
Morrison, lf	rb, Beaufre
Trask ,c	c, Mac Alpee
Chapman, lb	rf, Roman
Kenn, r b	lf, Mac Elroy

Score Quincy 35—Hyde Park 19. Goals from floor Morrison 6, Trask 6, Jenkins 3, Chapman 1, Kenn 1, MacAlpee 4, Johnson 2 Mac Elroy 1.

Goals from free tries. Trask 1, Roman 5.

QUINCY 2nd	HYDE PARK 2nd
Dineen, rf	lb ,Silver
Thomas, lf	rb, True
Bishop, c	c, Carle
Eaton rb	lf, Dalquist
Brooks, lb	rf, Moore

Score Quincy 90—Hyde Park 14 Thomas 20, Bishop 14, Dineen 6, Brooks 4, Eaton 1, Moore 4, Carle 3.

Referee, Robertson. Scorer Shirley Timer Snow.

TWO CLERGYMEN OFFICIATE.

Services Held For Mrs. John Evans This Afternoon.

Rev. Edward Norton, pastor emeritus of the Bethany Congregational church, and its pastor, Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, officiated at the services held in connection with the funeral of Mrs. John Evans this afternoon. The services were at the home on Copeland street and were largely attended by members of the Bethany church, where the deceased was a constant attendant, and by neighbors, relatives and friends. There were a number of floral remembrances. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

RIVALS SUMMER BOARDERS.

Nantucket has apparently a much more lucrative source of revenue than her time honored keeping of summer boarders. One of the islanders last week received a $1,200 check for the quahogs he had sold. The supply of these bivalves is said to be inexaustible in the recently discovered beds.

DEDICATE NEW PARISH HOUSE

Bishop Babcock Conducts Service at St. Chrysostom's

Thursday evening's reception held in the assembly room of St. Chrysostom's new parish house and the dedication of the parish house was a large and representative gathering. The rector Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra and Mrs. Steenstra were assisted in receiving by Suffragan Bishop Samuel G. Babcock and Mrs. Babcock, Rev. Carleton P. Miles, Senior Warden Edward F. Parlee and Mrs. Parlee, and Junior warden Percy L. Davidson and Mrs. Davidson.

During the reception Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gorham Fowler rendered duets at the piano. The platform was decorated with palms and on the table was a vase of jonquils. After singing the hymn "Work for the night is coming," with Miss Louisa Allison Ross at the piano, the dedicatory exercises were conducted by Bishop Babcock.

The rector spoke briefly of a project accomplished. "Everyone," he said, "has taken some part, helped loyally with the one end in view. There has been no large contribution but each has had a part in the work. I am thankful and happy that this is so it should be regarded as an opportunity for Christian service."

The rector read a letter of congratulation from Rt. Rev. Bishop Lawrence, expressing regret that he could not be present, and one from Dean Rousmamere of the Cathedral church of St. Paul, both of whom are in Chicago attending the consecration of Rev. Herman Page as Bishop of Spokane. He also read a letter from the second rector of the church Rev. A. Edwin Clattenburg of Wilmington Delaware.

Bishop Babcock congratulated all on the beautiful building. "I know the history of the parish," he said "the prayers, labor, sacrifices and fond anticipation. This object has been the heart and mind and real unselfish devotion of Mr. Cleveland, the architect. The building is worth while for the Sunday school alone."

He closed with a tribute of high esteem of the worth of Mr. and Mrs Steenstra,.

Rev. Mr. Mills, the first rector of the church said it seemed like a family gathering. Nineteen years ago when he came to the parish only 38 grown ups could be ministered.

Rev. Welles M. Partridge, a parishioner, said he admired the spirit of the parish, the church can not do her duty and play her great part without the social order and social life in the true sense. He spoke of how good a teacher the church had in Mrs. Steenstra.

Frank E. Cleveland for several years senior warden and architect of the building, said: "No one is so glad as I that this building is a reality. It is a happy occasion. The vestry acted wisely on Bishop Babcock's judgment, in changing the plans to less expensive ones as shown by the results obtained."

A musical program was given by Misses Jessie J. and Edna H. Fowler and Messrs. A. Linde, Carl G. Paul Raymond, and Victor B. Fowler with Mrs. Carl G. Raymond, accompanist.

Refreshments of fruit, punch and home made cake were served in the old parish rooms. The tables were effectively decorated with red carnations, by the following committee: Mrs. Ama K. Lee, Mrs. Thomas H. Bramhall Mrs. George M. Campbell, Mrs. Horace W. Richmond, Mrs. John E. Walter, Mrs. Alfred A. Bibber, Mrs. Fred W. A. Shultz and Mrs. Hattie Gurney.

PALMER HELD BY ANCHORS

Schooner a Menace to Navigation and Will Be Blown Up

Delaware Breakwater, Jan. 29:—The five-masted schooner Elizabeth Palmer of Bath, Me., which collided with the American-Hawaiian line steamship Washingtonian last Tuesday, probably will be destroyed with mines.

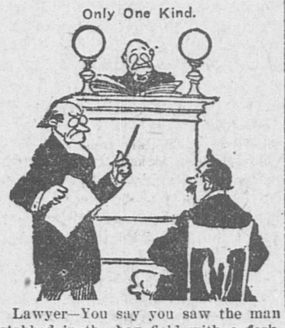
The schooner lays about a mile south-southeast of the Fenwick island shoals buoy, with two anchors holding her fast in eleven fathoms of water, on her beams end, with port rails showing just above the surface and all the masts slapping the seas with every swell.

Men from the revenue cutter Mohawk tried to cut her adrift, but the submerged bows and constantly breaking combers made the task impossible.

A fruitless search was made to locate the Washingtonian, which sank after the collision.

The crews of both vessels were saved, with the exception of one man—a water tender—lost from the Washingtonian.

Only One Kind.



Lawyer—You say you saw the man stabbed in the hay field with a fork. What kind of a fork?

Witness—Well, did you ever see a tuning fork or an oyster fork in a hay field?—Chicago News.

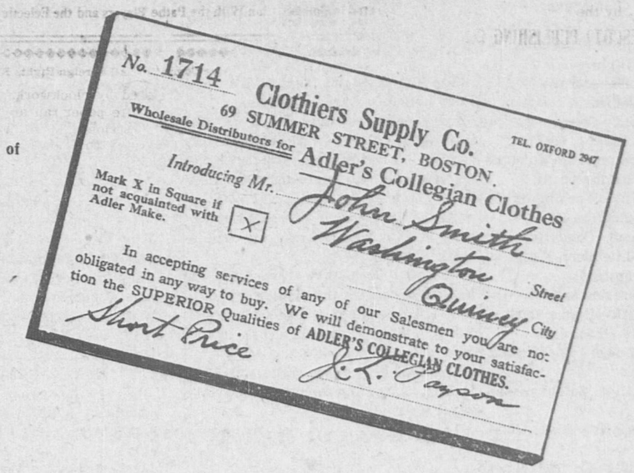
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REDMEN RESUME BOWLING SERIES

The Redmen A. C. members resumed their bowling series at Wardwell's Thursday night and the Tytler pets beat Stronach's five 3 out of five. The teams rolled four strings. Summers got high single 113 in the third but Veale tied him in the fourth. The latter took the high total with 389.

TYTLER'S PETS—1686.				
Tytler	88	86	88	95
Vergobbi	72	76	89	89
Wills	93	71	95	76
Tantarini	83	73	77	56
Veale	104	85	86	113
	440	391	435	420
STRONACH'S PETS—1634				
Martin	81	84	88	86
Mullin	67	75	85	84
Stronach	73	79	77	78
Kenn	62	82	77	83
Summers	82	81	113	97
	365	401	440	428

GETS GOOD POSITION.

Joseph F. Rogers Well Known In West Quincy.

Joseph F. Rogers of West Quincy on Tuesday received the appointment of superintendent of the Haverhill branch of the service department of the Chalmers Motor Car Company.

Mr. Rogers is the son of Joseph Rogers of 287 Copeland street and was educated in the Willard school. Leaving school he served as a machinist, later taking up the study of automobile and marine engines. He will be remembered as being chauffeur for Lewis J. White and Henry L. Kincaide.

Mr. Rogers entered the employ of the Chalmers Company three years ago and rose rapidly until he became chief test man of the Boston plant.

A few months ago he entered into partnership with James Lewis and opened a shop at Edison Park for the repair of automobile and marine engines. He will sell his interest in this business. Mr. Rogers will assume the duties of his new position next Monday.

EXECUTIVE BOARD HOLDS MEETING

The executive board of the Quincy Federation of Womens Clubs met at the Quincy Women's clubhouse Thursday morning and appointed committees to study various subjects of interest in the city. Representatives of the Quincy, Wollaston and Squantum Women's clubs were present.

The committee which has been investigating the question of whether or not a waiting room should be established in city square reported in favor of petitioning the Public Service Commission of the state for a public hearing to determine the need of one and also whether or not the street railway company should co-operate in its establishment. The report suggested that the movement be carried on in co-operation with the Board of Trade which is expected to join in the action.

The use of Adams Academy as a rest and recreation centre for girls was considered and it was voted to have the president of the clubs appoint a ways and means committee to add to the fund already at hand to put the building in condition for use. Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann has been appointed to represent the Quincy Women's club. The other members of the committee have not yet been appointed.

It was also voted to appoint a committee of three to inform themselves on the matter of fire drills in the schools of the different cities and towns in the state and another committee will be appointed to carry on a study, the Civic, Education and Legislative committee of the clubs, on matters regarding birth registration, employment certificates, part time and vocational schools of the city. The latter work is in connection with the social and industrial conditions committee of the State Federation and is to help the work of the children's bureau at Washington, D. C. During the discussion it was stated that such studies are being made in Winchester and Walpole by representatives of the Women's clubs.

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109 "	11 1-2 to 2	1.75	1.39
57 "	11 1-2 to 2	2.00	1.59
66 "	8 1-2 to 11	1.25	.98
67 "	8 1-2 to 11	1.50	1.19
38 "	8 1-2 to 11	1.75	1.39
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Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915.

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NEPONSET—Thompson's at the Quincy car barn.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—D. A. Jones Sea street.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

All the men in the city who are interested, are invited to attend the Religious Work conference which opens at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. It will be conducted by Mr. Herman de Anguera of the Worcester Association.

Every senior member of the association is urged to be at the next membership supper which will be served Friday evening next at 6.15 P. M.

Following the supper at 7 o'clock there will be an entertainment which will be furnished by the Sandell Trio of Boston. If a member cannot possibly attend the supper he is urged to make an effort to get to the entertainment. This will close in time for the members to get on the floor for the class in the gymnasium.

The annual Y. M. C. A. play will be given in Music Hall on the evening of April 7. A comedy in three acts entitled "A Family Affair" one of the new plays of this year is to be presented. As an added attraction Erastus Osgood assisted by William Walker will appear in a short whimsical sketch entitled "Old Cronies," which will be given as a curtain raiser.

The basket ball games scheduled for Saturday evening this week will be between the Y. M. C. A. 1st team and a team from the U. S. S. Brooklyn. The Y. M. C. A. 2nd team will play the Redmen. Both these games should prove interesting. First game will be called at eight o'clock.

The speaker for the Boys Meeting at nine o'clock Saturday morning will be S. C. Lang who will speak on the topic "Cain and Abel's last Week." Mr. Lang is a fine speaker for boys and the hall should be crowded.

The play which the Boys Division had planned to give the early part of February has had to be postponed but the boys are working on a play now which they hope to present shortly after Easter.

The Employed Boys Gym club, one of the latest clubs to be started in the Boys Division, met last Sunday afternoon at three for a very interesting meeting. Thursday evening a number of them sat down to a "feed" prepared in the Boys Room and after the supper were entertained with phonograph selections through the courtesy of Mr. Harry Wessels. Short talks by S. C. Melville and C. H. Humphrey, the Boys Work secretary, followed.

The attendance at the Bible Classes continues to increase each week, and as these classes are open to any boy in Quincy, whether a member of the Boys Division or not, many more boys should avail themselves of the opportunity of coming in and seeing what we do along this line. Classes meet for boys from 10 to 14 years old on Tuesday afternoon 4. 15 P. M. and Sunday afternoon at 3. P. M.

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QUINCY HOGANS KEEP THE NAME

Verdict Against Them in Bowling Match

The Dreadnought Inspectors of the Fore River shipyard, serving as a jury in a special bowling match at the City Square alleys on Thursday night, returned a verdict against the Hogan quintette who contested to change their name of losers to that of winners. The petitioners presented a fair case in the first instance but had a weak opening.

Foreman Jrenhower overruled a motion to quash the finding by getting 125 willows in the second single. His four associates upheld him in the final vote.

The decision handed down was 1306 to 1271. The arguments were as follows:

DREADNOUGHT INSPECTORS.

Curtis	84	98	83	265
Trapp	93	84	75	252
Zoost	82	92	84	258
Jrenhower	82	125	80	287
Olsen	83	77	84	244
	424	476	496	1306

HOGAN QUINTETTE.

Sheriff	85	88	89	262
Breen	78	70	95	243
Teasdale	93	84	91	268
Florin	78	85	85	248
Hogan	77	84	89	250
	411	411	449	1271

HILDEBRANDS CAPTURE THREE

Larkins Boys March into First Place

ELKS LEAGUE STANDING.

Capt. Larkin	34	18	16620
Capt. Hanson	31	21	16565
Capt. Maloney	29	23	16373
Capt. Hildebrand	10	42	15193

RESULTS LAST NIGHT.
Larkins 4—Hansons—0.
Hildebrands 3—Maloneys—1.

Capt. John Hildebrands Belgians made three out of four hits at the Elks league at Wardwells Thursday night. The miss counted for Dr. Maloneys defenders. Both teams fired dummy cartridges. The victors hummed "Its a long way to Tipperary" (the first place,) when the fire ceased.

The Larkins dropped a bomb in the Hanson camp and scattered the defenders. The Larkins took four points and jumped to first place.

CAPT. HILDEBRAND—3.

Hildebrand	73	76	77	226
George	85	83	98	266
Brown	81	94	87	262
Ross	81	106	88	275
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	395	434	425	1254

CAPT. DR. MALONEY.—1

Reveney	98	81	111	290
Dr. Murphy	90	90	79	259
Sweeney	73	61	71	205
Dr. Sweeney	87	81	75	243
Dummy	75	75	75	225
	423	388	411	1222

CAPT. LARKIN.—4.

Coyle	84	84	79	247
Hoye	96	80	78	254
Larkin	78	89	93	260
Joyce	101	83	84	268
Gould	75	75	93	243
	434	411	427	1272

CAPT. HANSON—0.

Desmond	67	81	78	226
Williams	70	70	67	207
Hanson	100	101	90	291
Sweeney	75	79	81	285
Dummy	75	75	93	243
	387	406	409	1203

COLISEUM ROLLOFFS.

The Coliseum rolloffs Thursday night resulted as follows:

Olindy	118	84	117	319
Smith	116	92	99	301
Nicoll	88	99	101	288

Mrs. H. N. Thomas's class of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school will hold a candy sale in the vestry Saturday afternoon from two to five o'clock. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Belgians.

SUNNY SIDE of LIFE

CONSISTENT.

Star Actor—I must insist, Mr. Stager, on having real food in the banquet scene!!

Manager—Very well, then; if you insist on that you will be supplied with real poison in the death scene.—Tit-Bits.

OH! FUDGE.

"Why did she withdraw after receiving the nomination?

"They told her, if elected, she would become a member of the common council, and you know how particular she is."

MEN INCLUDED?

A bachelor minister, when about to call in a village district, stated quite frankly:

"In these visits I shall, of course, embrace the servants."

HOW ABOUT DAYS?

Sympathetic Friend.—There's wan comfort, Mrs. McHinnery. Noo that yer puir man has gone to a better warld, ye ken where he is o'nights.

Mrs. McHinnery (grimly)—I still hae my doots.—Judge.

DID IT FOR NOTHING.

Pat—Kehoe gave a dermatologist $20 for changing his pug nose into a Grecian nose!

Mike—He did?

Pat—He did! Next day Callahan knocked it back into a pug nose agin fer nothing at all!—Kansas City Times

MILDLY SARCASTIC.

He had just reached the philosophical stage when he slipped into a restaurant for a bit to eat. Then he sat staring ahead, quietly thoughtful in expression, and waited.

It is admitted he did some waiting, too. What happened to his order could not be understood outside the peculiar restaurant kitchen, but he spent half an hour sitting there staring ahead of him.

At last it came. As the waitress put the order before him, he started from his deep study, as if he had forgotten he had an order coming. Then looking up at the fair transporter of edibles, he said:

"You don't look a day older!"—Everybody's Magazine.

HIS RESEMBLANCE.

"Prohibition," said Rep. Hobson, "is advancing everywhere. Take politics; the politician, even the statesman, was a heavy drinker in the past. How different now!

"A political failure during his first, last and only term in the house, went into the house barber shop to be shaved one day.

"'Congressman, sah! said the barber do you know, sah, you remind me mightly strong, sah, of Daniel Webster.'

"'The brow, eh?' chuckled the congressman. 'Is it the brow, George?'

"'No, sah,' the barber answered, 'It ain't de brow. It's de breff.'"—Washington Star.

LEFT HIS CARD.

J. Stanley Todd, the portrait painter, was talking about the beggars of different lands.

"I have met," said Mr. Todd, "beggars of every description shy beggars blustering ones, old beggars, robust ones—but the most remarkable beggar of the lot was a man whom I never assuredly will forget. All I saw of this beggar was his hat and chair. The chair stood on a corner of the Rue street, Lazare, in Paris. The hat lay on the chair, with a few coppers in it, and behind the hat was a placard reading:

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News of Interest to Granite Manufacturers and Workers

CUTTING PAVINGS HARD WORK.

The granite cutters and quarrymen who were laid off at the start of the winter and who could not find any other employment have gone into cutting pavings and blocks. There are at the present time more paving and blocks being cut in this city than at any other time in the past ten years. Every grout pile in the city has at least one paving cutter at its bottom picking out the best pieces and cutting them up into paving or blocks.

Should the contractors have a call for a large order next summer as in summers past they will not have to get them from the Cape Cod quarries as there is an abundant supply right here in Quincy. Quincy granite is a very hard substance to cut up into paving and these men have to work hard from morning till night to make an average day's pay. When spring comes these men give up paving cutting and return to the quarries.

TO ERECT HUGE DERRICK.

The Granite Railway Company is preparing to handle its share of the spring business. A new derrick 110 feet high is rigged, ready to be raised as soon as weather permits it to be done with safety. When in place this derrick will be the tallest in Quincy and it will loom up so that it can easily be distinguished from the other 30 derricks on the hill.

The spar is a perfect one of Norway pine and was furnished by the Pigeon Spar Co. Mr. Philip Dalphe of Cross street had charge of the rigging. When erected this derrick will be capable of lifting a load of 100 tons.

This has never been accomplished in any quarry in Quincy to date. The power will be furnished by the large compressor installed last year by the company in its yard on Bates avenue. The derrick is to be placed on the side of the quarry near Swingle's to get at the Imperial Dark Stock.

PURCHASES PROUT QUARRY.

Austin L. Johnson the stone contractor of Hall place has purchased the Prout Quarry which he will have ready for operation in a short time. This quarry produces a very fine, medium grained granite, which is especially adapted to use for bottom bases. The quarry was formerly run by Bishop Bros. who closed it down last fall. It is situated near the Milton line on the side of the railroad.

Mr. Johnson is having a new derrick raised on the further side of the quarry where the stock appears to be good. Joseph Ford of Grove street has been secured by Mr. Johnson as foreman and Harry Bowdoin as engineer.

EXPECT TO OPEN SOON.

It is reported on good authority that the Plymouth Seam Face quarry will open Feb. 1. This quarry is run by a Boston concern and is situated at South Weymouth. The company employs when in full swing between fifty and sixty men, over half of which reside in Quincy. Last summer was a busy one at this quarry and it is expected that this year will be the biggest in the history of the firm.

LAYING IN STOCK.

Hughes & Johnson's yard on Granite street presents a busy appearance. A large amount of rough stock is being laid in as these men do not believe in waiting till the quarries are rushed before ordering their stock and then have to wait from one to three weeks for delivery of same. The polishing mill is fairly busy considering the time of year.

The Barre Times comments editorially on this city as follows: "So Quincy's granite business is doomed, is it unless those huge grout piles are removed? The only solution seems to be more road building and the use of Quincy's grout piles as material. The partially crushed rock makes a good underpinning and the powdered granite makes a fairly acceptable top dressing when treated with an oil "binder." Next comes the problem of transporting the grout from Quincy to the places where the roads are to be built. And that is quite a problem we admit."

The inclement weather of the past week has again held up business in the granite industry. The large amount of snow in New York state has prevented the retailers there from getting any sales Business depression at the close of last fall is given by some of the manufacturers as the reason for such poor prospects. As soon as the snow breaks away in New York state the retailers will reap the the harvest they have been waiting for all along. The granite manufacturers of Quincy will in due course receive their share of this work. It is expected that by March 1st all of the men will be back on full time.

HEARING ON MILITIA.

Some Sentiment Toward Adopting Swiss System.

The question of asking the Legislature to consider the advisability of Massachusetts adopting the military system of Switzerland in preparing for war will be considered at the State House tomorrow by the Joint Committee on Rules upon petition by former Governor Curtis Guild, former Secretary of the Navy George von L. Meyer, J. Randolph Coolidge, former president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce: Henry M. Whitney and other eminent citizens.

The Swiss army system provides for three reserves in which about all able-bodied citizens are divided, in accordance with age, into a large army, in ratio to population, in case of great emergency.

The committee will decide if it is advisable to report a resolve which would call for an investigation on these questions:

How many militia companies has Massachusetts?

Is the militia properly drilled?

Is there a full complement of men?

How much ammunition is available?

In what condition are guns and all war accoutrements?

How many men could be mustered, where could they be assembled by mobilization?

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QUINCY SOCIAL CLUBS BOWLING

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Nonpareils 4—Quincy Adams 0.
Seneca 3—Pastime 1.

Three men, McLoud, another McLoud and F. J. Markham, tied at 113 for high single in the Quincy Social clubs matches at the Coliseum alleys Thursday night. There were no triples.

NONPAREILS—4.

O. Djerf	84	96	82	262
F. J. Markham	89	113	89	291
T. Djerf	79	73	93	245
J. Rouillard	90	80	91	261
C. Larson	89	89	89	267
	431	451	444	1326

QUINCY ADAMS—0

Panek	69	84	77	230
Muer	86	85	89	260
Galvin	84	88	100	272
Sullivan	82	86	74	242
Curtin	84	85	64	233
	405	428	404	1237

SENECAS—3.

Crammond	86	90	78	254
Grassick	81	97	77	255
Main	72	95	96	263
Copeland	70	78	80	228
M. McLoud	81	113	75	269
	390	473	406	1269

PASTIMES—1.

F. Smith	81	91	99	271
N. Allicon	76	72	67	215
Di Bona	72	92	81	246
G. Blanchard	74	86	82	242
M. McLoud	81	113	79	273
	384	455	408	1247

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
LAND COURT.

To Charles M. Bugel, Maurice E. Kilpatrick and William Arthur of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; George I. Adams of Lancaster, in the County of Worcester, and said Commonwealth; William S. Daniels of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and said Commonwealth; Fred W. Wood and Henry Thornton of said Boston, and I. Warren Flagg of Acton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth, Trustees of the Park Land Company; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Charles W. Ward and David E. Saunders, Administrators of the estate of Nathan W. Osborne, late of Salem, in said County of Essex, deceased, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows:—

Westerly by Faxon Road one hundred and fourteen and 14-100 (114.14) feet; Northerly on Hollis Avenue, formerly Charles Street, eighty-three and 35-100 (83.35) feet; Easterly by land of William Arthur one hundred and nine and 80-100 (109.80) feet; and Southerly by land of Fred W. Wood, I. Warren Flagg and Henry Thornton, Trustees of the Park Land Company, eighty-four and 89-100 (84.89) feet. Containing nine thousand four hundred and ten (9410) square feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen.

Attest with Seal of said Court.
(Seal)
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.
3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Georgiana B. Sanger sometimes called Georgiana Sanger late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Fanny B. Fish of said Quincy without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 29-Feb. 1-8

Charles E. Decker, Auctioneer,
Room 3, Adams Bldg, Quincy, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Arthur E. Holland to Benjamin Johnson dated March 11, 1913 and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 1242, page 396, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Tuesday the ninth day of February, 1915, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage and bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Oxenbridge Road in Taylor Terrace in that part of Quincy in the county of Norfolk called Wollaston, being lot Sixty-one (61) on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan book 50, plan 2392, the said lot being bounded Easterly on Oxenbridge Road, forty-five and 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 60 on said plan, eight-five and 28-100 feet; Westerly on Lot 64 on said plan, forty-five feet, and Southerly on Lot 62 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet, containing 3621 square feet of land, more or less.

Also Lot 62 on said plan, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly on Oxenbridge Road forty-five 47-100 feet; Northerly on Lot 61 on said plan, seventy-eight 77-100 feet; Westerly by Lot 97 on said plan forty-five feet and Southerly by lot 63 on said plan seventy-two 26-100 feet, containing 3398 square feet of land.

A deposit of one hundred dollars will be required at the time and place of sale; balance in ten days, upon delivery of deed.

BENJAMIN JOHNSON,
Mortgagee.
3t Jan. 15-22-29

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Norfolk, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of William Edward Hayden late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Lillian E. Hayden of Quincy in said County without giving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February A. D., 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger a newspaper published in said Quincy the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January A. D. 1915.
J. R. McCOOLE, Register.
3t Jan. 22-29-Feb. 5

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Mary D. Dame late of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, and appointing Michael T. Sullivan of said Quincy, address Durgin & Merrill Blk., his agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

HARRY H. BROWN,
Executor.
(Address)
136 Wade St., Jersey City, N. J., or P. O. address Care of Box 54, Quincy, Mass.
Jan. 29, 1915.
3t Jan. 29 Feb. 1-8

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Battle Cruisers Would Greatly Add to Cost of Navy

DREADNOUGHTS MUCH BETTER

Nothing Has Occurred In Present War to Change Original Belief of Naval Experts—Present United States Warships Declared to Be Amply Able to Guard Atlantic Coast

Washington, Jan. 29.—Naval experts figure it will require an annual naval appropriation of $200,000,000 instead of the present average of $140,000,000, if congress decides to add to the present type of American naval vessels a suitable proportion of "battle cruisers" such as have played so prominent a part in the recent naval engagements in European and South American waters.

This estimate is based on the theory that there will be no interruption in the permanent plan of naval increase, which contemplates the addition of two dreadnoughts each year.

If the naval experts were required to choose between building dreadnoughts or battle cruisers, they would unhesitatingly turn to the dreadnought type, and it is stated by prominent officials that nothing yet has occurred in the naval battles of the present war to change their original belief regarding the superiority of the dreadnought type.

They are quite willing to accept a proper proportion of battle cruisers, but insist that the first requisite is the completion of the plan whereby the navy is to possess forty-eight dreadnoughts.

Admitting the advantage of high speed possessed by the naval cruisers in certain cases, the naval experts feel that they would stand no show whatever against a corresponding number of dreadnoughts, because of the heavy armor and tremendous defensive qualities of the latter type.

No European fleet, they say, could successfully attempt to land troops or reduce the fortifications of the Atlantic seaboard so long as the United States has even the twenty-one battleships which now make up the Atlantic fleet.

MEXICO FACES FAMINE

Capital Is Already In the Grip of Anarchy and Terror

Washington, Jan. 29.—Anarchy and terror grip Mexico City, according to reliable reports. Provisional President Garza departed suddenly. This plunged the city again into a state of desperation.

Frightened inhabitants are quitting the city. Isolated robberies and some general looting have occurred.

Looming above all is the spectre of famine. Food prices, already abnormal, have taken a sudden jump to prohibitive figures. The needy are suffering and threatening rebellion.

As predicted when Garza assumed office, his rule is apparently doomed to be short-lived, and he probably will be succeeded within a few days by General Angeles.

The prices of foodstuffs have soared beyond the reach of the needy. The supply of food is very low in the capital, and unless the railway line to Vera Cruz is opened soon, it is believed that much suffering will ensue.

VERDICT QUICKLY REACHED

Jury Finds Dobrolister Guilty of Murdering Henry

Saco, Me., Jan. 29.—Wesin Dobrolister was found guilty of the murder of Napoleon Henry after the jury had deliberated for an hour and a half. His counsel filed a motion for a new trial and the matter will be decided at the June session of the law court.

Until then the prisoner will be confined in the county jail and if a new trial is denied sentence will then be imposed. Henry was shot as the result of a dispute over the lease of a store in Biddeford.

LAYS HER 3000TH EGG

New Jersey Hen Has Earned Title of "Old Reliable"

Caldwell, N. J., Jan. 29.—Miss Elsie Dobbins of this town is the owner of a hen which she believes holds the world's championship for industry. The hen is 14 years old and yesterday laid her 3000th egg.

The hen, a Plymouth Rock, was hatched June 30, 1901, the third birthday of Miss Dobbins, to whom the chick was presented. A record of every egg the hen has laid has been kept. The hen has come to be called Old Reliable.

Zimmerman Will Cuts Duke

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—The will of Eugene Zimmerman, filed for probate here, completely ignored the Duke of Manchester, Zimmerman's son-in-law. The entire estate, amount unnamed, is left to the Duchess of Manchester, Zimmerman's only daughter.

Robbins Trial Postponed

New York, Jan. 29.—Trial by jury of the plea of immunity entered by Edward D. Robbins, a director and former counsel of the New Haven road, in answer to the indictment accusing him of violating the Sherman law, was postponed to Feb. 23.

WALTER W. VICK

Counter Charges Against Him Made by Sullivan



Photo by American Press Association.

DENIES ALL CHARGES

Statement of Minister Sullivan Is Presented In Evidence

New York, Jan. 29.—A statement from James M. Sullivan, American minister to the Dominican republic, denying all the charges of unfitness made against him, chiefly by Walter W. Vick, former receiver general of customs of San Domingo, was read in evidence at the hearings into the charges before Senator-elect Phelan.

The statement, received by mail, was supported by documentary evidence and made counter charges against Vick. Sullivan declared that he had been made the victim of a newspaper campaign engineered by Vick to attack his character and conduct, which was unsupported by facts.

He said that certain newspapers in the United States had "championed the cause of as audacious a gang of pirates as ever sailed the Caribbean."

TREASURY DEFICIT IT WILL BE WIPED OUT

Federal Taxes Are Depended Upon to Accomplish It

Washington, Jan. 29.—Income and corporation taxes amounting to $85,000,000, due in June, will wipe out the present treasury deficit of $69,540,408, according to a treasury department statement.

Departmental officials said that while cabinet members have agreed to trim expenses in their various jurisdiction, there is no cause for alarm and that it would not be necessary, as had been asserted, to start any wholesale cutting of appropriation bills before congress.

It was stated also that the war tax has not yet had a thorough test and that within a short time it will greatly increase the government's revenues.

In connection with this statement it was understood that the administration does not consider any additional revenue legislation necessary at present.

OPENING OF PANAMA CANAL

Report of Goethals Causes Postponement of Formal Ceremonies

Washington, Jan. 29.—Formal opening ceremonies at the Panama canal probably will be postponed from March to July, and President Wilson will go to San Francisco by rail in March and to Panama later, when the naval review will be held.

Although no formal announcement of the change in plans has been made, the president has taken up the question with Secretary Daniels.

The report of Governor Goethals that he could not guarantee passage of warships at the original time set for the formal opening is understood to have been chiefly instrumental in bringing about the change.

DENIED NEW TRIAL

Schmidt Claimed to Have New Evidence Which Would Free Him

New York, Jan. 29.—Hans Schmidt, who murdered Anna Aumuller and cut up her body, was denied a new trial by Supreme Court Justice Davis.

In his application for a rehearing the convicted man asserted that newly discovered evidence would free him.

Auto Kills Little Girl

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 29.—Esque Donabedian, 6, was fatally injured when, in jumping off a sleigh on which she was stealing a ride, she stepped in front of an automobile. She died twenty minutes later.

Coast Guard Bill a Law

Washington, Jan. 29.—President Wilson signed the coast guard bill, which combines the revenue cutter service and the life saving service.

Not After Senate Seat

Washington, Jan. 29.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels denied rumors that he would seek a senate seat from North Carolina.

AMUSEMENTS

PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

"Too Many Cooks," Frank Craven's comedy of suburban life which Monday night scored an instantaneous success will begin its second week at the Plymouth theatre. The piece is one of the most wholesome kind and moves with the regularity of a 17-jewelled watch. It is as sweet as a June breeze and has not a single blush. It shows the funny side of a loving couple trying to build a little cottage within commuting distance while a long line of family relatives look on and start two arguments for every shingle. The plot moves around Albert Bennett and Alice Cook the girl he is to marry. The first act finds their little home with the brick foundation completed; the second act shows their cottage half built and the last act shows it completed. The plot is one of the most ingenuous ever conceived. "Too Many Cooks" is fatal to the gloom germ" said the Evening Record. "It is a racy pungent fling at the business of 'butting in' which parents and friends of young lovers are prone to indulge in, usually to the disaster of the lovers." In short those who love wholesome love-making and wholesome side-splitting fun will welcome this refreshing comedy. It ought to be especially appealing to the great number of suburbanites. The play moves with lightning-like rapidity and there is never a moment when the auditor is not howling over the genuine appeal of some witty humor. It is the best comedy that has visited Boston in a long time and is destined to repeat its great New York success.

COLONIAL THEATRE.

Three years ago, Miss Hazel Dawn, a beauteous blonde, burst into view on Broadway as Claudine in "The Pink Lady," and ever since that has been one of the favorite young women of the stage. So rapid has been her rise in the profession that in this short space of time she is now at the head of her own company and is bidding for stellar honors, in unquestionably the largest and most magnificent musical organization seen in Boston in recent years. "The Debutante" which is the title of the operetta, is the collaborated effort of Victor Herbert, who wrote the music score, Harry B. Smith, of the book and Robert B. Smith of the lyrics. She is being presented by John C. Fisher, the noted producer of "Florodora," "The Silver Slipper" and other famous musical successes.

Victor Herbert, undoubtedly the most popular of American composers, has filled the new operetta with a score which he wrote in his very best vein. Some of the numbers which have become most popular are "The Lorelei," the theme of the production, "Call Around Again," "Peggy is a Creature of Moods," "The Cubist's Opera," (Will West's best song) "The Will o' the Wisp," "All for the Sake of a Girl" and "When I Played Carmen" (Zoe Barent's song hit.) Next week is the final one at the Colonial. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

SHUBERT THEATRE.

No musical attraction since "The Merry Widow" first came to Boston seems to have made such an impression on the Boston press and public as "The Peasant Girl." Its two stars, Emma Trentini and Clifton Crawford, are two magnets, who, alone, could draw a large percentage of Boston theatre goers to the Shubert whatever their vehicle. But "The Peasant Girl" has made good so emphatically on its own account, that the stars have not outshone its merits in the least. It is with real regret that amusement lovers will read the announcement that this operetta cannot linger here, but must continue on its journey toward Broadway. The third and last week of its engagement at the Shubert begins, Feb. 1.

Trentini reaches the very top of her musical glory in the songs that have been allotted her in "The Peasant Girl." No such stirring music has been heard on the musical comedy stage for a long time. With the prima donna are associated artists who are worthy of the operetta and of the honor of singing with her. John Charles Thomas, Francis J. Boyle, and Ethel Houston help to make the ensemble numbers a delight, and in Letty Yorke, the little English prima donna, the Messrs. Shubert have discovered a personality which it is not hard to recognize as a predestined star. The chorus is, as one critic expressed, one of the brightest stars of the production, and the costumes and stage settings are as full of color and harmony as the music. Letty Yorke sings the title role at the popular Wednesday matinee.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Ingenious devices of twentieth century stagecraft have made possible the wonderfully elaborate World's Fair production of "Ben-Hur" now running at the Boston Theatre Boston and which has drawn the biggest patronage that playhouse has enjoyed in many seasons. When one considers that "Ben-Hur," as now staged, is the biggest dramatic spectacle ever shown in the United States and that the best seat in the Boston Theatre can be secured for one dollar, it is small wonder that the public seek this opportunity to enjoy General Wallace's masterpiece, which is unquestionably the strongest play ever based on a Biblical theme, and its extended runs in all the large cities during the fifteen successful seasons of its career, are most potent proofs of its popularity.

The appeal of this great play is not to the eye and ear alone, but to the heart. Through all the scenes of wondrous beauty, of this vivid portrayal of the exciting incidents of the time of the dawn of Christianity, the plain, simple story, of the "Man of Calvary" is brought home with all compelling force. The Star of Bethlehem; the lonely desert; the adoration of the Wise Men; the heart-throbbing tale of the meeting of the Christ with Hur; the greetings of the great multitude with waving of palms on the Mount of Olives; and the final miracle of the cleansing of the lepers, are some of the incidents of "Ben-Hur" which separate it from all other plays and make it stand apart from all other attractions of the theatre. While the spectacular features are phenomenal, the atmosphere is most reverent.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

Miss Billie Burke, one of America's favorite actresses, will be the attraction at the Hollis Street Theatre, Boston, for a few weeks beginning Monday, when she will appear in "Jerry," the comedy that Catherine Chisholm Cushing wrote for her and in which she scored one of her biggest successes at the Lyceum Theatre, New York, last spring. This by the way, is the play in which Miss Burke wears the pink pajamas that set all New York talking. "Jerry" is a spoiled and precocious miss from Chicago who comes on a visit to her relatives in the Philadelphia suburb and proceeds straightway to imbue them with the true Chicago spirit. She succeeds so well in her efforts that in less than a week she has captured the man who has been betrothed to her patient aunt for twenty years—captured him and led him off to the altar. How she does this—that is the play. It is a very amusing play and it enables Miss Burke—who impersonates "Jerry", of course—to wear a lot of pretty frocks as well as the aforementioned pink pajamas and to display her charming personality to the very best possible advantage.

Matinees will be given at the Hollis during Miss Burke's engagement Wednesdays and Saturdays.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

William Faversham begins an engagement of four weeks at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, Monday, in the greatest play of his career, "The Hawk," from the French of Francis de-Croisse. For twenty weeks Mr. Faversham in "The Hawk" has been the dramatic sensation of the New York season. In Paris the play was hailed as the masterpiece of the modern French stage. Although for years Mr. Faversham has been one of the most prominent and successful of actor managers he has not in years been so fortunate in finding a role so peculiarly fitted to his talents. Not since the days of "The Squaw Man" has he had a play so popular with the public.

In the splendid cast which Mr. Faversham has gathered together are Virginia Pearson, Conway Tearle, Frank Losee, Grace Henderson and twenty others. The scenery, which is particularly effective, is from the brush of Joseph Harker, who painted the splendid Shakespearean productions made by Mr. Faversham during the past few years. The costumes by Doucet, most famous of Parisian dressmakers, are sure to prove a delight to feminine theatregoers.

CORT THEATRE.

John Cort, who controls a chain of theatres that reaches from Boston to San Francisco finds time to make more or less presumptuous productions yearly. One of his new plays is a musical farce entitled "What's Going On" with an important cast of players.

The story of the play has to do with a German innkeeper, an Irish Baronet and a poet. The two latter personages are stranded in a hotel and the innkeeper is about to take summary proceedings and have them put out, when Madame Pom-Pom, a lady of dignified grace and her model maid, Elaine, arrive on the scene. The landlord gathers the impression that Madame Pom-Pom is a woman of wealth and high social position, and he evolves the idea of marrying his titled debtors to Madam, thus solving the problem of his delinquent guests. It suggests a theme for good farce, and with the eighteen musical numbers that have been written into the score it will no doubt be a worthy successor to "Peg O' My Heart," which has just finished its sixth month in Boston at the Cort Theatre.

Mr. Cort has equipped the play with every scenic "prop" and light effect that have always made his productions notable ones. On account of the rather unexpected closing of "Peg," which was necessitated by existing contracts and which could not be rearranged, the Cort Theatre will be dark this coming week, in order to give the new play time to arrive in Boston and will positively open Monday evening, February 1st.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE.

"Julius Caesar," presented by the Henry Jewett Players at the Boston Opera House Monday evening, scored heavily in popular favor. So great has been the demand for seats that the management has decided upon an extension of the production through next week, instead of "The Merchant of Venice," as previously announced. Not only was the public impressed by the elaborate and finished performance of "Julius Caesar," but the critics were also won by the production, as the following excerpts from Tuesday morning's criticisms bear witness.

Herald—"The performance last night strikes a new note in the general excellence of the entire cast; and the opera house permitted a staging at once magnificent, appropriate and not overdone."

Globe—"Tragedy is Staged with impressive Splendor, and admirably acted by the Henry Jewett Players: Added interest as well as artistic value was given the performance by the appearance of R. D. MacLean, a widely known portrayer of Shakespearean roles, as Brutus; and Mr. Jewett himself as Cassius. To witness the work of these admirable actors would of itself have been sufficient compensation to admirers of good acting, but the entire cast was excellent."

WILBUR THEATRE.

Staid old Boston is just now indulging in a spree of happy laughter, caused by "A Pair of Sixes," the merry farce which has scored such a terrific hit at Ye Wilbur Theatre, and which promises to break all records for attendance and hilarity in the Hub City. Not in the memory of the present generation of playgoers has any farce been seen in a Boston theatre which has given such general and absolute satisfaction and which had the audience laughing so immoderately. And the fun is all of the wholesome and healthy sort—the kind your mother or daughter would enjoy quite as heartily as you would yourself. In fact, the Boston Post, in commenting on "A Pair of Sixes," said it contained "thousands of laughs and not a single blush." The Boston Globe called it "The Merriest play of the season." while the Boston Herald remarked that "the audience was sore from laughter." Not only is "A Pair of Sixes" the most amusing play ever seen here, but it is presented by a company of comedy stars, and a dozen other expert farceurs. The ladies of the company are given an opportunity to display some very handsome frocks, which are now being copied by Boston society.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

With each successive performance of "Common Clay" which began its third week yesterday, Mr. Kinkead's thrilling drama of modern life seems to be drawing its audiences from wider and wider public. Quite a feature of the production now are the big box parties which come in nightly, not only from greater Boston but from towns and cities outside of the New England metropolis, to see the play, and discuss it together between acts. It was left for a lady member of one of these parties the other night to find the fitting and inevitable word for Ellen Neal, the wayward but big hearted little heroine. "I like your play" she wrote in to the management after witnessing Common Clay "not only because it is big drama, but because Ellen is such a brave example of the girl who is not afraid to 'hit back.'" It looks as if Common Clay were fated to go down in dramatic history with the subtitle of "The Girl who Hit Back."

QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

Francis P. Adams to Francis A. Clark, Wilson, Highland & Hamilton avenues.

John Bowton to Amelia M. Rogers, Charles street.

Richard D. Chase to Albert Nelson, Cherry avenue.

Amalia R. Day to Claude L. Slayter, Botolph street.

Climena H. Drake to Arthur L. Thomas, Glenwood way, Grafton street.

Wilton A. Dunham to Clara C. Widell, Houghs Neck.

Wilton A. Dunham to City of Quincy, Houghs Neck.

Axel E. Ellis et ux to Hiram L. Hutchinson, Warwick street.

Thomas Fenno, tr to Marion F. Thompson, et al, Chinton road, Berlin street Chester street, Cushing street, Woodbine street, Wayland street, Weston avenue Hancock street.

John Q. A. Field to Janet G. Paterson, Independence avenue.

John Q. A. Field to Matthew S. Nicoll Independence avenue.

Hamilton Flood to Ernest J. Regnier Ocean street.

John P. Granahan to George F. Folkins, et ux, Walker street.

Leroy M. Hill to Laura E. McLaughlin, Billings road, Beach street.

Robert W. Hill to Arthur L. Thomas Grafton street, Glenwood way.

Harry S. Kaulbeck to William N. Swain, Tyler street.

Arthur W. Lane to Mary E. Lynch, Atlantic avenue, Bay View avenue.

Edward A. Loftus to John F. Loftus, Riverside.

Judson W. Maxim to City of Quincy, Houghs Neck.

Andrew Milne, et al trs to Andrew J. Erickson, Cranch street.

Andrew Milne et al trs to Charles H. Wilkes, Cranch street, Roselin avenue.

Emma F. Pratt to Grover C. Russell, Glenwood way.

Maria A. Reed to Daniel R. Lamson, Sea street.

William N. Swain to Harry S. Kaulbeck, et ux, Tyler street.

Minna Thompson to Aaron P. Brest, Bittern road, Albatross road, Darow street.

Charles H. Wilkes to Andrew Milne et al trs, Cranch street, Roselin avenue.

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GOOD RECORD.

Henry Trask of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. tossed 17 baskets Thursday night and contributed 34 points through goals from the floor toward the 35 to 19 defeat of the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. He secured one point from a free try. His individual record for the season in Y. M. C. A. circles has not been bettered by any man on the South Shore.

EXCITING WHIST PARTY.

The George L. Gill Associates, under the direction of Noble Grand Mrs. Sadie M. Walker, held a most successful whist party in Odd Fellows hall Thursday afternoon. The play was keen and exacting and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Emma Newcomb, Mrs. Grace Welsh, Mrs. William R. Thomas, Mrs. Annie P. Morrison, Mrs. S. Sampson, Mrs. B. Magnus.

WOLLASTON WINS.

The Wollaston A. A. beat the Parkway A. C. at Milton Thursday night in a fast hockey game by a score of 5 to 2. Hall and Fowler played well for the winners and Dudley and Crowd for the losers.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

"Paint up" will be added to "Clean up" as Washington's slogan in a propsed two weeks "clean city" campaign.

Rev. Alexander Mann, rector of Trinity church, Boston, will accept the position of suffragan-bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Newark.

Morris M. Nelson, expert swimmer and waterman; was drowned at Boston when he slipped from a boat as he was preparing to go out to a barge.

Senator Jones offered an amendment to the ship purchase bill making all vessels the United States may acquire absolutely "dry."

William H. Blood, 30, a brakeman, was killed at Newburyport, Mass., while trying to board a freight train.

Charles A. Jacobson, 48, was found hanging from a beam in the cellar at his home at Boston. He had been despondent because of unemployment.

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REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Mrs. Celia Goodwin of Holmes street is ill in the Quincy hospital.

Friends of James S. Butler of Billings street, Atlantic, tendered him a surprise party Thursday evening.

The Saturday Auction Bridge club will meet this week with Mrs. Fred G. Howe, Jr., Butler road.

The Montclair Women's club held a whist party in Association hall, Thursday evening.

George Call of Holbrook road, who is in a Brockton sanitarium for rest is reported as greatly improved.

Ambrose Newcomb of Water street is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kissell of Hyde Park.

The Chickatawbut Social club will meet this evening at the home of William Sheehan on Crescent street.

Thomas Turner of 105 Independence avenue, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Quincy City Hospital is improving.

C. L. Beeman of Atlantic, former councilman from that ward, leaves today for a three weeks trip to Pittsfield, Mass.

A social meeting of St. Mary's Guild will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Stephen B. Little on Crescent street.

Mrs. James F. Foy of 117 Cranch street has been called to Yarmouth where her mother is dangerously ill.

Mr. Briggs of Warwick street, has moved into the apartment on Division street, Montclair, recently vacated by Edward F. Parlee.

Edward F. Parlee of Montclair has staked ground for two new houses on Montclair avenue and two on Division street.

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DEATHS

WALLACE—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Ernest Wallace in his 47th year. Funeral services at Christ Episcopal church, Saturday, Jan. 30 at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. 28-2t

DILL—In Quincy, Jan. 28, Margaret, beloved wife of Charles H. Dill. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas V. Keating, 52 Upland road, Saturday, Jan. 30, at 8.15 A. M. High mass of requiem at St. John's church at nine o'clock sharp. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

LEONARD—In Roxbury, Jan. 25, Mrs. Richard Leonard, formerly of Quincy.

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SCISSORS PASTE

BOSTON 1915.

"Whatever became of that Boston 1915 movement" 1915 is here. The North Station is still with us and leaking. Not a main thoroughfare of Boston has been repaired since the 1915 movement started and the new part of Boylston street where it is split into two one way streets is a poorer paved street than any of the old ones. Curley like Fitzgerald is continually talking without doing anything. The Boston & Maine is pretty near a receivership and the New Haven is riding for a fall. The street car lines seem farther away from solving their problems than ever and the quotations of their stocks would appear to indicate that investors are wary of them. The traffic is still so poorly handled that pedestrians curse motorists and teamsters and vice versa. Boston Common is being gobbled up little by little so that the proposition to sell it before it is stolen or given away doesn't seem so absurd after all. A great noise is being made of trying to get new industries which when analyzed means that Boston is trying to drag in a few factories from the suburbs. A new pier has been built and the fishermen on it wish they were back to T wharf and there is a row over setting up a rum shop there. Those who looked for the millenium in Boston in 1915 must be disappointed for save from those departments over which the state exercises control the management of the city as far as the comfort and convenience of its citizens and visitors go is worse than ever."—Malden News.

DISTRICT COURT.

Silas Cannon was arraigned for neglecting to support his family at Quincy. Case continued to the family trouble session of the court on Feb. 11.

Peter McPhee was fined $15 for drunkenness Quincy Peter came from Neponset Thursday afternoon on an electric car and after arriving in Quincy he amused himself while waiting for a Fore River car by abusing everybody in sight. Then Officer Murray came along and Peter took a ride in the police auto to the police hotel on School street where he was an unwilling guest for the night.

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BRIEFS

Miss Rose Anderson of Wollaston who underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Homoeopathic Hospital, Boston, is reported as gaining rapidly.

Mrs. Gustave Lundberg of Albertina street is a patient at the Quincy City Hospital where she is undergoing treatment for an operation. She is resting comfortably.

For the benefit of the Belgians, Mrs. H. N. Thomas' Sunday school class is to hold a sale of home made candies in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry Saturday, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Joseph Caravaglio, the popular tenor of West Quincy, has entered the night course of the Conservatory of Music. He is a driver for the Puritan Spring Beverage Company.

The foundation of the new addition of the Wollaston Congregational church is nearing completion. Carpenters will be at work in a short time.

A large delegation of members of the Franklin Associates journeyed by auto truck to Brockton Thursday evening to attend the annual dance of the Takyhoma Girls held in Canton hall.

There were eight tables in play at the whist party of the Town River Yacht club on Thursday evening. Elmer Sprague won the first prize Joseph Pinel won the second, and John Moriarty took third prize.

Clarence Metcalf has rented the house at the corner of Washington and Pray streets and will move in on Monday. The house is the property of Rev. Father Owens and has recently been renovated.

It is reported that the old Whalen estate on Squantum street, Bellevue park has been sold and that the property is to be cut up, the old house torn down and new houses built on the site.

The many Quincy friends of Mrs. Richard Leonard will be sorry to learn of her death on Monday at St. Margaret's hospital, Roxbury. Mrs. Leonard formerly lived at Quincy Point and was the wife of Richard Leonard who was well known in Quincy.

The new Wollaston Real Estate Co., which was under consideration a few weeks ago, has been formed with the following officers; Albert N. Murry president; Henry B. Dimmod, treasurer; N. G. Nickerson, secretary. This company has been formed for the buying, selling, and development of property in Quincy, especially in the Wollaston district.

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VEGETABLES

LETTUCE	7c head
BOSTON MARKET CELERY	18c
CALIFORNIA CELERY	15c
HUBBARD SQUASH	3 1-2c lb.
BRUSSELS SPROUTS	20c
RHUBARB 15c lb. 2 lbs. 25c	
Carrots, Parsnips, Beets, Turnips	

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Table APPLES	50c pk
Cooking APPLES	35c pk
GRAPE FRUIT	5c

Cheese

Young AMERICA	21c lb
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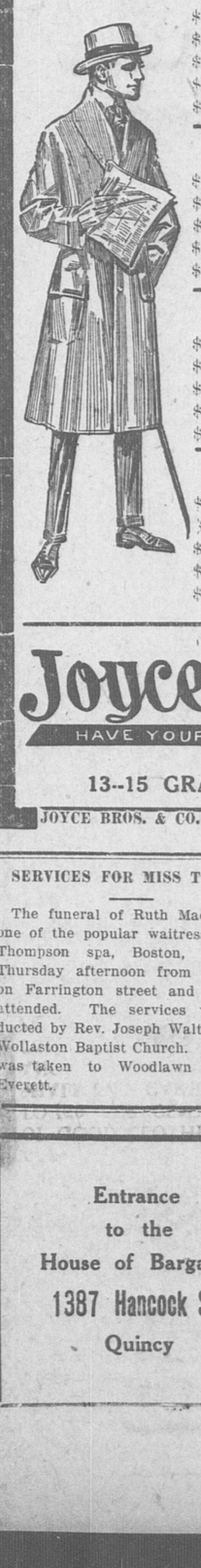
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The funeral of Ruth Mae Thomas, one of the popular waitresses at the Thompson spa, Boston, was held Thursday afternoon from her home on Farrington street and was well attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist Church. The body was taken to Woodlawn cemetery, Everett.

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Program Also Included Entertainment. Banquet and Dancing

The 156th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the Scottish poet, was celebrated by Clan MacGregor, O. S. C., in Music hall. The guests of the evening were the Loyal Ladies, the auxiliary of the clan, members of clans of Eastern Massachusetts, members and friends, more than 500 people and Mayor and Mrs. Campbell.

The program of the evening included an entertainment, banquet and dance. The first opened with remarks by Chief William Cantlay of the clan. It was his first public appearance since his election. He spoke of the incorporated Burns Memorial society, formed for the purpose of adding to the fund at hand to pay the cost of the erection of a memorial in Quincy.

Albert L. Barbour, superintendent of schools, was the speaker of the evening. He said no one can understand Scotland unless he is familiar with Burns. He is as much a part of Scotland as her mountains and her moors.

Quartette selections were rendered by Mrs. Margaret Gammon, Mrs. Helen Bates, Adam McGhee, William Ross. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Minnie Miller. Their songs were from the pen of Burns. All were in good voice and were encored.

The grand march was headed by Chief Cantlay and Mrs. Margaret Ross president of the Loyal Ladies, and was followed by Tanist Walter S. Nicol and Mrs. Bella Grassick, vice president of the Loyal Ladies. Directly after were the officers of the clan, all wearing the MacGregor plaid and then Mayor and Mrs. Campbell.

As the long line of more than 300 marchers rounded the hall it seemed as though Clansman Mayor Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, from their position in the line, had been given an escort of MacGregors plaids, and rounds of applause burst forth from the spectators.

Mr. Barbour said, "No one can do full justice to Robert Burns who does not possess an acquaintance with the Scottish tongue to enable him to appreciate Burns to the full in reading him.

"I wonder if it has ever occurred to you that the greatest possible tribute of appreciation that is paid to your national poet is this spontaneous and world wide rising on the part of his kinsmen each year to pay him their reverence and to sing her praises. He is something quite unique in national and literary history.

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The public schools will begin a new half-year on Monday, Feb. 1. New first grades will begin at that time and any children who are six years of age before March 1, 1915, may be admitted.

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Superintendent.
Jan. 26-5t

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Quincy and vicinity. Fair Sunday. Monday unsettled with slowly rising temperature.

TOMORROW'S ALMANAC.

Sun rises	6.59
Sun sets	4.57
Length of day	9.58
Moon rises	5.39
High water, A. M.	11.30
High water, P. M.	11.30
Days increase	0 hrs. 52 minutes

First Quarter, Jan. 22, 12.32 A. M.
Full Moon, Jan. 1, 7.21 A. M.
Last Quarter, Jan. 8, 4.13 P. M.
New Moon, Jan. 15, 9.42 A. M.

QUINCY NOON TEMPERATURE.

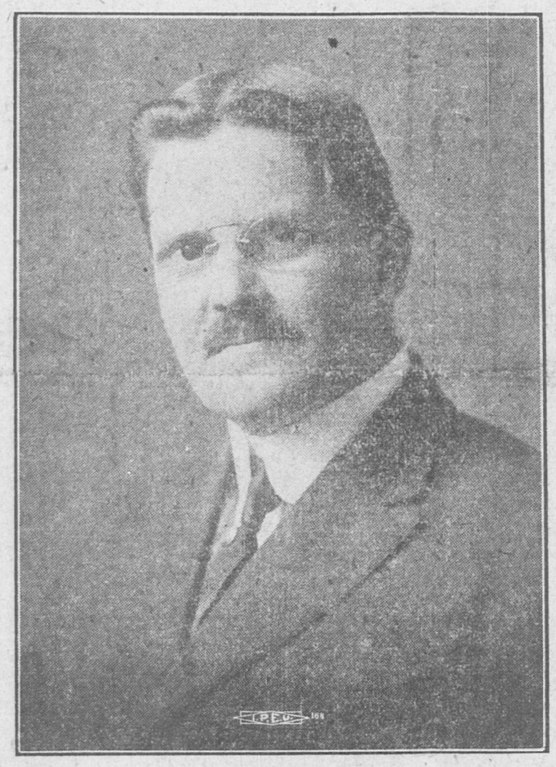
At 12M. today	18 degrees
Jan. 30, 1914,	62 degrees
Jan. 30, 1913,	44 degrees

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APPOINTMENTS

Commissioner of Public Works—Moses L. Brown.
City Treasurer and Tax Collector—John Curtis.
City Clerk—Emery L. Crane.
City Solicitor—Walter S. Pinkham
Chief Engineer Fire Department—Faxon Billings.
Overseer of the Poor—Miss Mildred Gray Huston.
City Engineer—Ezekiel C. Sargent
City Physician—Fred A. Bartlett
Assessors—John J. O'Hara, chairman, 2 years; Charles R. Sherman, 1 year, Wellington W. Mitchell, 3 years.
Park Commissioners—George E. Pfaffmann chairman; Ira M. Whittemore, John L. Hamilton.
Board of Health—William H. Buchan chairman; Dr. Harold E. Diehl, Thomas L. A. Musgrave.
Inspector of Buildings—George E. Thomas.
Dock and Water Front Commissioner—Frank Fessenden Crane
Registrar of Voters—Michael B. Geary, three years.
Managers of Public Burial Places—Albert W. Fay, Thomas Bishop, John Evans, Arthur B. Hultman, Joseph H. Vogel, John Q. Cudworth.
Managers of the Adams Academy—Nathaniel S. Hunting, George M. Sheahan, F. M. Rollins, Perry Lawton, Charles E. Hathaway, Herbert S. Parker.
Trustees Thomas Crane Public Library—Charles R. Sanford, Morton Smith, Harry W. Reed, Albert N. Murray, George W. Abele, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Alden.
City Planning Board—Eugene C. Hultman, Charles W. Bailey, George W. Abele, Charles A. Hadlock, Wilson Marsh.
Board of Survey—Charles L. Gilliatt 3 years; Walter E. Piper 2 years; Perry Lawton 1 year.



MAYOR CAMPBELL.

CITY COUNCIL HOLDS VERY BRIEF SESSION

It required but a few minutes to transact the business in the call for the special meeting of the city council last night. There were but four matters in the call none of which called for any debate.

The first matter to be acted upon was a communication from the Mayor appointing department officials and Administrative officers. Those appointed members of the Planning board and Board of Survey were confirmed, and the others were placed on file.

In the complete list which will be found elsewhere it will be noticed that John J. O'Hara is made the chairman of Assessors. Mr. O'Hara was appointed to fill the position made vacant by the resignation of Chairman Buckley, which expires in 1917, making him the two year man. Mr. Sherman is appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Eric G. Bergfors, which makes him the one year member on the board and Wellington W. Mitchell was appointed for the three year term.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing Michael B. Geary, a registrar of voters. Confirmed.

A communication was received from the Mayor appointing several special constables. Confirmed.

A communication was received from the Mayor inclosing the application of Lieut. Mark E. Hanson of the police department to be retired on a pension. The communication was referred to the Finance committee.

There were no other matters in the call and the meeting adjourned.

"RUNAWAY JUNE."

George Randolph Chester, author of "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford" and many other stories who is perhaps as popular as any other American writer of fiction, has entered the film field. He has just completed a great photo-play serial of love, mystery, and adventure, called "Runaway June," for the Serial Publication Company. It is in fifteen episodes, each one to contain two chapters in the fiction story and two reels of film each, which are to be released each week.

You can see this great picture at the Auditorium every Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Catherine J. Webber, widow of the late Chief Louis P. Webber is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Murphy on Russell park.

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JOHN J. O'HARA CHAIRMAN NEW BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Brown, Crane, Curtis, Pinkham, Billings, Sargent and Bartlett Reappointed

Office of Tax Collector Merged With That of City Treasurer Under John Curtis

A tense excitement appeared to imbue the large audience which crowded the council chamber this evening to hear the reading of the mayo's appointments. When President Whiton began to read the list the dropping of a pin could have been heard in the chamber. His Honor had kept his secret well and as the names were read expressions of surprise, delight, disappointment, succeeded each other on many faces.

Most interest was in the make-up of the new board of assessors and when President Whiton read off the three names, O'Hara, Mitchell and Sherman, every eye in the room was glued on him. The appointment which occasioned the greatest surprise was easily that of Miss Mildred Huston to be overseer of the poor, the first time in the history of this city, and it is believed the first time in the history of any Massachusetts city, when a woman has been appointed to that office.

Another innovation introduced by the Mayor this year is the appointing of a woman as a member of the Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library, in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Alden. This is also the first time in the history of Quincy that a woman has been appointed a trustee of the Public Library.

The great question which was in the mind of every auditor in the council chamber tonight was "where will the axe fall?" That the axe fell on so few official heads was in accord with the mayor's oft repeated declaration that there would be no clean sweeps or radical changes and that efficiency would be the first consideration.

In speaking of his appointments the mayor said: "You see that I have not made any radical changes. My one idea has been to obtain efficiency. In the list of appointments are names of some gentlemen who were not with me in the recent municipal election but in fact were arrayed with the forces of some of my opponents, but these I consider to be conscientious officials and for that reason have re-appointed them."

The office upon which the eyes of every tax payer has been fixed for some months is that of the board of assessors. The announcement Thursday that Chairman Buckley had declined to serve another year and that Assessor Bergfors had been asked to hand in his resignation and had refused and that he would probably be removed was evidence that this board would receive a shaking up. This speculation came true.

In making up this important board the mayor has appointed John J O'Hara the present tax collector chairman of the board. The second member is Wellington W. Mitchell who served several years on the board but was removed by Mayor Miller a year ago. The third member is Charles R. Sherman, who was appointed by Mayor Miller to succeed John A. Duggan, who resigned after serving a few weeks. Mr. Sherman's term expires Monday and he is re-appointed.

Of the important offices outside of the board of assessors the main change was in the office of overseer of the poor. Perry Green failing of reappointment. Moses L. Brown remains commissioner of public works, Faxon Billings remains chief of the fire department, John Curtis remains city treasurer with the added office of tax collector. Walter S. Pinkham remains city solicitor, Dr. F. A. Bartlett remains city physician, and Frank F. Crane remains dock and water front commissioner. George E. Thomas succeeds Inspector of Buildings L. C. Merrill.

An important change is the consolidation of the offices of city treasurer and tax collector. This is in line with the mayor's opinion that it is wise for all funds paid to the city to be paid to one official instead of to two as previously. Under this plan people in paying taxes will pay directly to the city treasurer.

The mayor would like it very much if the two offices could be combined in one room and this he hopes to do in the near future. For the present however some of the clerks in the present tax collector's office will be given a desk in the treasurer's office. The combining of these two offices also saves the city the sum of $1,500 which would be paid to the tax collector this year, had one been appointed, the salary having been increased $100 by the city council of 1914. The city treasurer will receive no extra compensation for filling two positions.

The position of the mayor upon the appointment of Miss Huston as overseer of the poor is that a large percentage of those who apply to the city for aid are women and that for this reason and for other reasons he believes a woman best suited for the position. His honor believes that every applicant for relief should be investigated personally by the overseer of the poor.

One of the new ideas which undoubtedly will be developed by this appointment will be the establishment of a city employment bureau, such as is now in force in many cities. Miss Huston by her association with the district court, where she has worked with the probation officer, is particularly fitted to establish such a bureau, and it will probably materialize in the near future.

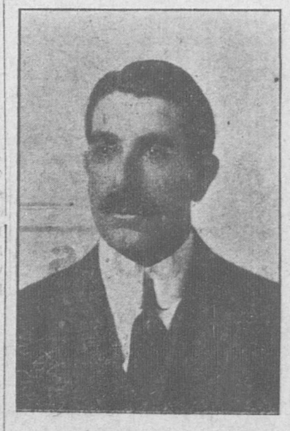
In addition to the officials usually appointed every year, this year it was necessary for the mayor to appoint for the first time members of two new boards, a Planning Board of five members, and a Board of Survey of three members. As chairman of the Board of Survey the mayor has selected ex-Councilman Charles L. Gilliatt.

A complete list of the appointments will be found elsewhere.

The Ledger herewith presents brief sketches of the principal officials appointed.

COMMISSIONER BROWN.

Moses L. Brown, who has been reappointed was born in Scituate in 1877.



COMMISSIONER BROWN.

Shortly after graduating from the High school of that town he entered the employ of the Engineering department of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, and after spending four years in the surveying department, was put on construction as resident engineer in charge of road building in western Massachusetts.

He left the Highway Commission in 1902 to take a position with the Boston Transit Commission, remaining with them for seven years, during the construction of the East Boston tunnel and the Washington street subway, as concrete inspector and draughtsman.

In 1909, desiring to see the business from the contractor's standpoint, Mr. Brown worked with the H. P. Nawn Contracting Company, as concrete foreman. At the starting of the Cambridge subway he entered the employ of the Boston Elevated Railway Co., Bureau of Elevated and Subway construction, as inspector on the Dana Hill tunnel station. At the completion of the tunnel he spent six months in various factories in Ohio and Western Pennsylvania as inspector of materials for the Elevated.

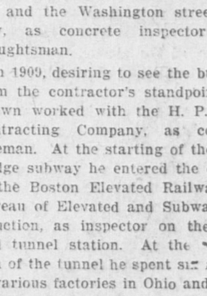
On returning he had charge of the construction of the Kendall Square surface station and connections.

He returned to the Massachusetts Highway Commission the latter part of 1911 as resident engineer in southeastern Massachusetts and the Cape which position he still holds.

He has lived in Quincy since 1908, He is a member of the Massachusetts Inspector Association, and of the Konohasset lodge A. F. and A. M., Cohasset, and St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter.

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

John Curtis, reappointed as treasurer, will also take on the duties of the tax collector. Mr. Curtis comes from a family that held the office of treasurer under the town form of government for many years. His father, Thomas Curtis was at one



JOHN CURTIS

time town treasurer, and Noah Curtis his grandfather was also town treasurer for thirteen years. Benjamin Curtis another relative also served the town as its treasurer, while Mr. Curtis the subject of this sketch served four years as City treasurer under Mayor Shea.

Mr. Curtis was born in Quincy, Dec. 9, 1855, and was educated in the public schools. When a young man he learned the shoemaker's trade which he followed for some years. Later he engaged in the grocery business at South Quincy and East Milton.

He served as a member of the City Council from Ward Three in 1892 and in 1894 served as an assistant assessor under Mayor Hodges, which position he held for four years, part of the time being under Mayor Adams In 1899 he was appointed to the same office by Mayor Keith and served one year

He was appointed as city treasurer

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THE APPOINTMENTS.

In a few cases we believe the mayor could have made better appointments. Taking the list as a whole, however, it is a strong one. For the most important offices his honor has chosen good men. Moses L. Brown, Emery L. Crane and Faxon Billings have certainly made good. Failure to reappoint any one of them would have laid Mayor Campbell open to grave censure.

John Curtis has been an efficient city treasurer and there is little doubt that he can perform the added duties trust upon him by the merger with the tax collector's office with the same ability. The office now becomes one of the most important in the mayor's family, perhaps the most important.

There is no fault which can be found with the appointment of Walter S. Pinkham as city solicitor. He is an able lawyer and has proved himself a conscientious official.

Nor would any fair minded person wish any change in the offices of city engineer, city physician, dock and water front commissioner. All these deserved the reappointment which came to them.

Of the new officials there is no question of the ability of George E. Thomas to fill the office of building inspector

The mayor could have found no one in the city better qualified to fill the position of registrar of voters than Michael B. Geary and it is a cause for the city to congratulate itself that Mr. Geary was induced to take the office for another three years.

AN INNOVATION.

Although the office of overseer of the poor is not usually classed as one of the more important ones it is, nevertheless, a position in which there is a large opportunity for service. The mayor has made a daring innovation in appointing a woman to the position. It is early now to predict how this appointment is going to work out.

Miss Huston is a young woman of intelligence and what is much better, of good, sound sense The over-worked word "popular" has a real meaning when applied to her. She has an unusual capacity for making friends and everyone who knows her has nothing but praise. With most young women we should have grave doubts of the wisdom of the appointment, with Miss Huston we feel that the new overseer will bring to the office not only a woman's sympathy for those in distress but an attitude of mind, attained in her work at the district court, which will enable her to treat the vexing problems which arise as problems vital to the community, problems which are scientific in their nature and require scientific solutions

The prediction is that the appointment of Miss Huston will mean the establishing of a city employment bureau. It is to be hoped that this will be so. The Ledger on several occasions has advocated the city employment bureau as an institution which could render real service.

AN APPOINTMENT NOT MADE.

There is one appointment which mayor Campbell did not make, one which he had not the power to make. If he could have done so doubtless he would have been glad to appoint a committee on co-operation, its members the entire electorate of the city. It is so easy for all of us to sit back to see if the various officers of the city government "make good." It is so difficult to see that our responsibility does not end at the polls. The ablest and best men in the world couldn't give Quincy the government it ought to have without co-operation. The attitude of the citizens should not be one of watchful waiting, ready to pounce on a department head if he makes a slip, but rather one of active working and co-operation.

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SYNOPSIS.

The New York police are mystified by a series of murders and other crimes. The principal clue to the criminal is the warning letter which is sent the victims, signed with a "clutching hand." The latest victim of the mysterious assassin is Taylor Dodge, the insurance president. His daughter, Elaine, employs Craig Kennedy, the famous scientific detective, to try to unravel the mystery. What Kennedy accomplishes is told by his friend James, a newspaper man. By an ingenious ruse Clutching Hand smuggles into Elaine's home a flask of liquid air which she supposes to be a package of valuable papers. It blows open the safe in which it is placed, but Kennedy arrives in time to prevent the robbery. The detective narrowly misses death in his apartment where Clutching Hand has placed a shot gun so that it is fired by the electrical connection formed when Kennedy places his hands on a framed photograph of Elaine.

FIFTH EPISODE

The Poisoned Room.

Elaine and Craig were much together during the next few days. Somehow or other, it seemed that the chase of the Clutching Hand involved long conferences in the Dodge library, and even, in fact, extended to excursions into the notoriously crime-infested neighborhood of Riverside drive, with its fashionable procession of automobiles and go-carts—as far north, indeed, as that desperate haunt known as Grant's tomb.

But to return to the more serious side of the affair.

Kennedy and Elaine had scarcely come out of the house and descended the steps, one afternoon, when a sinister face appeared in a basement areaway near by.

It was the Clutching Hand.

He wore a telephone inspector's hat and coat and carried a bag slung by a strap over his shoulder. For once he had left off his mask, but, in place of it, his face was covered by a scraggy black beard. The disguise was effective.

He saw Kennedy and Miss Dodge and slunk unobtrusively against a railing, with his head turned away. Laughing and chatting, they passed.

Then he turned in the other direction and, going up the steps of the Dodge house, rang the bell.

"Telephone inspector," he said in a loud tone as Michael, in Jennings' place for the afternoon, opened the door.

He accompanied the words with the sign, and Michael admitted him.

As it happened, Aunt Josephine was upstairs in Elaine's room. She was fixing flowers in a vase on the dressing table of her idolized niece. Meanwhile, Rusty, the collie, lay, half blinking, on the floor.

"Who is this?" she asked, as Michael led the bogus telephone inspector into the room.

"A man from the telephone company," he answered deferentially.

Aunt Josephine, unsophisticated, allowed them to enter without a further question.

Quickly, like a good workman, Clutching Hand went to the telephone instrument and by dint of keeping his finger on the hook and his back to Aunt Josephine succeeded in conveying the illusion that he was examining it.

No sooner was the door shut than the Clutching Hand hastily opened his bag and from it drew a small powder-spraying outfit, such as I have seen used for spraying bug powder. He then took out a sort of muzzle with an elastic band on it and slipped it over his head so that the muzzle protected his nose and mouth.

He seemed to work a sort of pumping attachment and from the nozzle of the spraying instrument blew out a cloud of powder which he directed at the wall.

Meanwhile, Michael, in the hallway, on guard to see that no one bothered the Clutching Hand at his work, was overcome by curiosity to see what his master was doing. He opened the door a little bit and gazed stealthily through the crack into the room.

Clutching Hand was now spraying the rug close to the dressing table of Elaine and was standing near the mirror. He stooped down to examine the rug. Then, as he raised his head, he happened to look into the mirror. In it he could see the full reflection of Michael behind him, gazing into the room.

"The scoundrel!" muttered Clutching Hand, with repressed fury at the discovery.

He rose quickly and shut off the spraying instrument, stuffing it into the bag. He took a step or two toward the door. Michael drew back, fearfully, pretending now to be on guard.

Clutching Hand opened the door and, still wearing the muzzle, beckoned to Michael. Michael could scarcely control his fears. But he obeyed, entering Elaine's room after the Clutching Hand, who locked the door.

"Were you watching me?" demanded the master criminal, with rage.

Michael, trembling all over, shook his head. For a moment Clutching Hand looked him over disdainfully at the clumsy lie.

Then he brutally struck Michael in the face, knocking him down. An ungovernable, almost insane fury seemed to possess the man as he stood over the prostrate footman, cursing.

"Get up!" he ordered.

Michael obeyed, thoroughly cowed.

"Take me to the cellar, now," he demanded.

Michael led the way from the room without a protest, the master criminal following him closely.

Down into the cellar, by a back way, they went, Clutching Hand still wearing his muzzle and Michael saying not a word.

Suddenly Clutching Hand turned on him and seized him by the collar.

"Now, go upstairs, you," he muttered, shaking him until his teeth fairly chattered, "and if you watch me again—I'll kill you!"

He thrust Michael away, and the footman, overcome by fear, hurried upstairs. Still trembling and fearful, Michael paused in the hallway.

He put his hand on his face where the Clutching Hand had struck him. Then he waited, muttering to himself. As he thought it over, anger took the place of fear. He slowly turned in the direction of the cellar.

Meanwhile, Clutching Hand was standing by the electric meter. He examined it carefully, feeling where the wires entered and left it, and starting to trace them out. At last he came to a point where it seemed suitable to make a connection for some purpose he had in mind.

Quickly he took some wire from his bag and connected it with the electric light wires. Next, he led these wires, concealed, of course, along the cellar floor, in the direction of the furnace.

The furnace was one of the old hot air heaters and he paused before it as though seeking something. Then he bent down beside it and uncovered a little tank.

He thrust his hand gingerly into it, bringing it out quickly. The tank was nearly full of water.

Next from his capacious bag he took two metal poles, or electrodes, and fasteped them carefully to the ends of the wires, placing them at opposite ends of the tank in the water.

For several moments he watched. The water inside the tank seemed the same as before, only on each electrode there appeared bubbles, on one bubbles of oxygen, on the other of hydrogen. The water was decomposing under the current by electrolysis.

Another moment he surveyed his work to see that he had left no loose ends. Then he quietly let himself out of the house.

The next morning Rusty, who had been Elaine's constant companion since the trouble had begun, awakened his mistress by licking her hand as it hung limply over the side of her bed.

She awakened with a start and put her hand to her head. She felt ill.

"Poor old fellow," she murmured, half dazedly.

Rusty moved away again, wagging his tail listlessly. The collie, too, felt ill.

"Why, Miss Elaine—what ees ze mattair? You are so pale!" exclaimed the maid, Marie, as she entered the room a moment later with the morning's mail on a salver.

"I don't feel well, Marie," she replied, trying with her slender white hand to brush the cobwebs from her brain. "I—I wish you'd tell Aunt Josephine to telephone Doctor Hayward."

"Yes, mademolselle," answered Marie.

Languidly Elaine took the letters one by one off the salver.

Finally she selected one and slowly tore it open. It had no superscription, but it at once arrested her attention and transfixed her with terror.

It read:

"You are sick this morning. Tomorrow you will be worse. The next day you will die unless you discharge Craig Kennedy."

It was signed with the mystic trademark of the fearsome Clutching Hand!

Elaine drew back into the pillows, horror stricken.

Quickly she called to Marie. "Go—get Aunt Josephine—right away!"

And Marie almost flew down the hall. Elaine seized the telephone and called Kennedy's number.

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Kennedy, in his stained laboratory apron, was at work before his table, while I was watching him with interest, when the telephone rang.

Without a word he answered the call, and I could see a look of perturbation cross his face. I knew it was from Elaine, but could tell nothing about the nature of the message.

An instant later he almost tore off the apron and threw on his hat and coat. I followed him as he dashed out of the laboratory.

"This is terrible—terrible," he muttered, as he hurried across the campus of the university to a taxicab stand.

A few minutes later, when we arrived at the Dodge mansion, we found Aunt Josephine and Marie doing all they could under the circumstances.

Doctor Hayward had arrived and had just finished taking the patient's pulse and temperature as our cab pulled up.

Elaine was quite ill indeed.

"Oh! I'm so glad to see you," she breathed with an air of relief as Kennedy advanced.

"Why—what is the matter?" asked Craig anxiously.

Doctor Hayward shook his head dubiously, but Kennedy did not notice him, for, as he approached Elaine, she drew from the covers where she had concealed it a letter and handed it to him.

Craig took it and read:

"You are sick this morning. Tomorrow you will be worse. The next day you will die unless you discharge Craig Kennedy."

At the signature of the Clutching Hand he frowned, then, noticing Doctor Hayward, turned to him and repeated his question, "What is the matter?"

Doctor Hayward continued shaking his head. "I cannot diagnose her symptoms," he shrugged.

There seemed to be a faint odor, almost as if of garlic, in the room. It was unmistakable and Craig looked about him curiously, but said nothing.

As he sniffed, he moved impatiently and his foot touched Rusty, under the bed. Rusty whined and moved back lazily. Craig bent over and looked at him.

"What's the matter with Rusty?" he asked. "Is he sick, too?"

"Why, yes," answered Elaine, following Craig with her deep eyes.

Craig reached down and gently pulled the collie out into the room. Rusty crouched down close to the floor. His nose was hot and dry and feverish. He was plainly ill.

"How long has Rusty been in the room?" asked Craig.

"All night," answered Elaine. "I wouldn't think of being without him now."

"May I take Rusty along with me?" Craig asked finally.

Elaine hesitated. "Surely," she said at length, "only be gentle with him."

"Of course," he said simply. "I thought that I might be able to discover the trouble from studying him."

We stayed only a few minutes longer, for Kennedy seemed to realize the necessity of doing something immediately, and even Doctor Hayward was fighting in the dark.

Back in the laboratory, Kennedy set to work immediately, brushing everything else aside. He began by drawing off a little of Rusty's blood in a tube, very carefully.



Craig Reached Down and Gently Pulled the Collie Into the Room.

"Here, Walter," he said, pointing to the little incision he had made, "will you take care of him?"

Quickly Craig made one test after another.

As he did so I sniffed. There was an unmistakable odor of garlic in the air which made me think of what I had already noticed in Elaine's room.

"Arseniuretted hydrogen," he answered, still engaged in verifying his tests. "This is the Marsh test for arsenic."

"Arsenic!" I repeated, in horror.

I had scarcely recovered from the surprise of Kennedy's startling revelation when the telephone rang again. Kennedy seized the receiver, thinking evidently that the message might be from or about Elaine.

But from the look on his face and from his manner, I could gather that, although it was not from Elaine herself, it was about something that interested him greatly.

"Good!" I heard him say finally. "I shall keep the appointment—absolutely."

"What was it?" I asked, eagerly.

"It was Elaine's footman, Michael," he replied, thoughtfully. "As I suspected, he says that he is a confederate of the Clutching Hand, and if we will protect him he will tell us the trouble with Elaine."

I considered a moment. "How's that?" I queried.

"Well," added Craig, "you see Michael has become infuriated by the treatment he received from the Clutching Hand. I believe he cuffed him in the face yesterday. Anyway, he says he has determined to get even and betray him."

I did not like the looks of the thing, and said so. "Craig," I objected vehemently, "don't go to meet him. It is a trap."

Kennedy had evidently considered my objection already.

"It may be a trap," he replied slowly, "but Elaine is dying and we've got to see this thing through."

As he spoke, he took an automatic from a drawer of a cabinet and thrust it into his pocket. Then he went to another drawer and took out several sections of thin tubing, which seemed to be made to fasten together as a fishing pole is fastened, but were now separate, as if ready for traveling.

Then he went out. I followed, still arguing.

"If you go, I go," I capitulated. "That's all there is to it."

Following the directions that Michael had given over the telephone, Craig led me into one of the toughest parts of the lower West side.

"Here's the place," he announced, stopping across the street from a dingy Raines law hotel.

"Pretty tough," I objected. "Are you sure?"

"Quite," replied Kennedy, consulting his notebook again.

Reluctantly I followed and we entered the place.

"I want a room," asked Craig as we were accosted by the proprietor, comfortably clad in a loud checked suit and striped shirt sleeves. "I had one here once before—forty-nine, I think."

"Fifty—" I began to correct.

Kennedy trod hard on my toes.

"Yes, forty-nine," he repeated.

The proprietor called a stout negro porter, waiter and bell-hop all combined in one, who led us upstairs.

"Forty-nine, sah," he pointed out, as Kennedy dropped a dime into his ready palm.

The negro left us, and as Craig started to enter, I objected. "But, Craig, it was fifty-nine, not forty-nine. This is the wrong room."

"I know it," he replied. "I had it written in the book. But I want forty-nine—now. Just follow me, Walter."

Nervously I followed him into the room.

"Don't you understand?" he went on. "Room forty-nine is probably just the same as fifty-nine, except perhaps the pictures and furniture, only it is on the floor below."

He gazed about keenly. Then he took a few steps to the window and threw it open. As he stood there he took the parts of the rods he had been carrying and fitted them together until he had a pole some eight or ten feet long. At one end was a curious arrangement that seemed to contain lenses and a mirror. At the other end was an eye-piece, as nearly as I could make out.

"What is that?" I asked as he completed his work.

"That? That is an instrument something on the order of a miniature periscope," Craig replied, still at work.

I watched him, fascinated at his resourcefulness. He stealthily thrust the mirror end of the periscope out of the window and up toward the corresponding window upstairs. Then he gazed eagerly through the eye-piece.

"Walter—look!" he exclaimed to me.

I did. There, sure enough, was Michael, pacing up and down the room.

As I looked at him nervously walking to and fro, I could not help admitting that things looked safe enough and all right to me. Kennedy folded the periscope up and we left our room, mounting the remaining flight of stairs.

In fifty-nine we could hear the measured steps of the footman. Craig knocked. The footsteps ceased. Then the door opened slowly and I could see a cold blue automatic.

"It's all right, Michael," reassured Craig calmly. "All right, Walter," he added to me.

The gun dropped back into the footman's pocket. We entered and Michael again locked the door. Not a word had been spoken by him so far.

Next Michael moved to the center of the room and, as I realized later, brought himself in direct line with the open window. He seemed to be overcome with fear at his betrayal and stood there breathing heavily.

"Professor Kennedy," he began, "I have been so mistreated that I have made up my mind to tell you all I know about this Clutching—"

Suddenly he drew a sharp breath and both his hands clutched at his own breast. He did not stagger and fall in the ordinary manner, but seemed to bend at the knees and waist and literally crumple down on his face.

We ran to him. Craig turned him over gently on his back and examined him. He called. No answer. Michael was almost pulseless.

Quickly Craig tore off his collar and bared his breast, for the man seemed to be struggling for breath. As he did so he drew from Michael's throat a small, sharp-pointed dart.

"What's that?" I ejaculated, horror stricken.

"A poisoned blowgun dart, such as is used by the South American Indians on the upper Orinoco," he said slowly.

He examined it carefully.

"What is the poison?" I asked.

"Curari," he replied simply. "It acts on the respiratory muscles, paralyzing them and causing asphyxiation."

The dart seemed to have been made of a quill with a very sharp point, hollow, and containing the deadly poison in the sharpened end.

"Look out!" I cautioned, as he handled it.

"Oh, that's all right," he answered casually. "If I don't scratch myself, I am safe enough. I could swallow the stuff and it wouldn't hurt me—unless I had an abrasion of the lips or some internal cut."

Kennedy continued to examine the dart until suddenly I heard a low exclamation of surprise from him. Inside the hollow quill was a thin sheet of tissue paper, tightly rolled. He drew it out and read:

"To know me is Death.

"Kennedy—Take Warning."

Underneath was the inevitable Clutching Hand sign.

We jumped to our feet. Kennedy rushed to the window and slammed it shut, while I seized the key from Michael's pocket, opened the door and called for help.

A moment before, on the roof of a building across the street, one might have seen a bent, skulking figure. His face was copper colored and on his head was a thick thatch of matted hair. He looked like a South American Indian, in a very dilapidated suit of cast-off American clothes.

He had slipped out through a doorway leading to a flight of steps from the roof to the hallway of the tenement, and, like one of his native venomous serpents, worked his way down the stairs again.

My outcry brought a veritable battalion of aid. The hotel proprietor, the negro waiter and several others dashed upstairs, followed shortly by a portly policeman.

Craig took the policeman into his confidence, showing him the dart and explaining about the poison. The officer stared blankly.

"I must get away, too," hurried on Craig. "Officer, I will leave you to take charge here. You can depend on me for the inquest."

The officer nodded.

"Come on, Walter," whispered Craig, eager to get away, then adding the one word, "Elaine!"

I followed hastily, not slow to understand his fear for her.

Nor were Craig's fears groundless. In spite of all that could be done for her, Elaine was still in bed, much weaker now than before.

More than that, the Clutching Hand had not neglected the opportunity, either.

Suddenly, just before our return, a stone had come hurtling through the window, without warning of any kind, and had landed on Elaine's bed.

Below, as we learned some time afterwards, a car had drawn up hastily and the evil-faced crook whom the Clutching Hand had used to rid himself of the informer, "Limpy Red," had leaped out and hastily hurled the stone through the window, as quickly leaping back into the car and whisking away.

Around the stone was wrapped a piece of paper on which was the ominous warning, signed as usual by the Hand:

"Michael is dead.

"Tomorrow, you.

"Then Kennedy.

"Stop before it is too late."

Elaine had sunk back into her pillows, paler than ever from this second shock.

It was just then that Kennedy and I arrived and were admitted.

"Oh, Mr. Kennedy," cried Elaine, handing him the note.

Craig took it and read. "Miss Dodge," he said, as he held the note out to me, "you are suffering from arsenic poisoning—but I don't know yet how it is being administered."

He gazed about keenly. Meanwhile, I had taken the crumpled note from him and was reading it. Somehow, I had leaned against the wall. As I turned, Craig happened to glance at me.

"For heaven's sake, Walter," I heard him exclaim. "What have you been up against?"

He fairly leaped at me and I felt him examining my shoulder where I had been leaning on the wall. Something on the paper had come off and left a mark on my shoulder. Craig looked puzzled from me at the wall.

"Arsenic!" he cried.

He whipped out a pocket lens and looked at the paper. "This heavy, fuzzy paper is fairly loaded with it, powdered," he reported.

Kennedy paced the room. Suddenly, pausing by the register, an idea seemed to strike him.

"Walter," he whispered, "come down cellar with me."

"Oh! Be careful!" cried Elaine, anxious for him.

"I will," he called back.

As he flashed his pocket bull's-eye about, his gaze fell on the electric meter. He paused before it. In



Kennedy Discovers the Secret of the Poisoned Room.

spite of the fact that it was broad daylight, it was running. His face puckered.

"They are using no current at present in the house," he ruminated, "yet the meter is running."

He continued to examine the meter. Then he began to follow the electric wires along. At last he discovered a place where they had been tampered with and tapped by other wires.

"The work of the Clutching Hand!" he muttered.

Eagerly he followed the wires to the furnace and around to the back. There they led right into a little water tank. Kennedy yanked them out. As he did so he pulled something with them.

"Two electrodes the villain placed there," he exclaimed, holding them up triumphantly for me to see.

"Y-yes," I replied, dubiously, "but what does it all mean?"

"Why, don't you see? Under the influence of the electric current the water was decomposed and gave off oxygen and hydrogen. The free hydrogen passed up the furnace pipe and combining with the arsenic in the wall paper formed the deadly arseniuretted hydrogen."

He cast the whole improvised electrolysis apparatus on the floor and dashed up the cellar steps.

"I've found it!" he cried, hurrying into Elaine's room. "It's in this room—a deadly gas—arseniurette hydrogen."

He tore open the windows.

"Have her moved," he shouted to Aunt Josephine. "Then have a vacuum cleaner go over every inch of wall, carpet and upholstery."

Standing beside her, he breathlessly explained his discovery. "That wall paper has been loaded down with arsenic, probably paris green or Schweinfurth green, which is acetoarsenite of copper. Every minute you are here you are breathing arseniuretted hydrogen. This Clutching Hand is a diabolical genius. Think of it—poisoned wall paper!"

No one said a word. Kennedy reached down and took the two Clutching Hand messages Elaine had received. "I shall want to study these notes, more, too," he said, holding them up to the wall at the head of the bed as he flashed his pocket lens at them. "You see, Elaine, I may be able to get something from studying the ink, the paper, the hand writing—"

Suddenly both leaped back, with a cry.

Their faces had been several inches apart. Something had whizzed between them and literally impaled the two notes on the wall.

Down the street, on the roof of a carriage house, back of a neighbor's, might have been seen the uncouth figure of the shabby South American Indian crouching behind a chimney and gazing intently at the Dodge house.

As Craig had thrown open Elaine's window and turned to Elaine the figure had crouched closer to the chimney.

Then with an uncanny determination, he slowly raised the blowgun to his lips.

I jumped forward, followed by Doctor Hayward, Aunt Josephine and Marie. Kennedy had a peculiar look as he pulled out from the wall a blowgun dart similar in every way to that which had killed Michael.

"Craig!" gasped Elaine, reaching up and laying her soft, white hand on his arm in undisguised fear for him, "you—you must give up this chase for the Clutching Hand!"

"Give up the chase for the Clutching Hand?" he repeated in surprise. "Never! Not until either he or I is dead!"

There was both fear and admiration mingled in her look, as he reached down and patted her dainty shoulder encouragingly.

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In Society



Mrs. T. W. Davison of Billings street is spending the week with relatives in Clinton.

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Miss Elizabeth Keefe is spending the week end as the guest of Miss Frances Haley of Winchester.

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Mrs. Ernest L. Spaulding of Jaffrey New Hampshire is spending the week end with Mrs. Herbert L. Packard of Standish avenue.

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Miss Margaret Martin, who has been the house guest of Mrs. William F. Harding of Winthrop avenue has returned to her home at Brewster on the Cape. Miss Martin spent the week end with the Misses Hammond of Johnson avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vernon T. Field of Grand View avenue entertained the chorus choir of the Wollaston Baptist church at their home Saturday evening. After a rehearsal refreshments were served. The dining room was attractively decorated with flags of all nations brought from abroad by Mr. Field. The remainder of the evening was spent in enjoying a radiopticon talk by Mr. Field showing pictures of a recent visit of Switzerland.

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Mrs. Welcome Young of Prospect street has as her guest her sister Mrs. F. W. Hooper of Milbury.

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Mrs. Charles Cox (Vira Horner) a former teacher at the Wollaston school entertained the teachers of that school Tuesday evening at her spacious new home on Langdon avenue, Watertown. One of her guests Miss Charlotte G. Nash, whose engagement to Robert Keep Squier was announced in November, was showered with beautiful linen of all descriptions including a luncheon set and many embroidered pieces. The shower was a complete surprise to Miss Nash who was called to the phone, and kept talking to a friend while the preparations were being made. Those enjoying Mrs. Cox's delightful hospitality were: Miss Clara E. G. Thayer Miss Dora Start, Miss Grace Warshaw, Miss Charlotte Nash, Miss Ellen C. Shyne, Miss Margaret Tuthill, Miss Annie Flieger, Miss Catherine Brown, Miss Etta May Cummings Miss Gladys Goodnow, Miss Evelyn Farrington, Miss Helen Howard and Miss Marion Thomas, all teachers at the Wollaston school.

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The Criterion club met with Mrs. W. N. Howard of Channing street, Wollaston Thursday afternoon. Miss Laura Coles and Mrs. Levi Howes acted as substitutes for Mrs. R. F. Clark and Mrs. Robertson of Somerville. A brief business meeting was held at which Mrs. Robinson was elected president and Mrs. W. Norton Stetson, secretary. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in playing whist. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Robinson in Somerville.

Mrs. B. F. Spear and granddaughter Gladys of Nashua, N. H., are guests of Mrs. Spear's niece Mrs. Edward F Parlee of Division street.

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Mrs. Marion Gillette of South Braintree is one of a party of five who left Friday for a trip to California. They will visit among other places of interest, the Grand Canyon of Arizona and the Panama Exposition at San Francisco also the Exposition at San Diego returning via the Canadian Rockies. The other members of the party and Editor and Mrs. George E. Lewis and Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Charles of Bryantville.

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The music committee of the Quincy Women's club are fortunate in having for their chairman, a thorough musician like Mrs. Jennie Hocking Hunt. In the presentation of the opera, Mikado, which will be given under the auspices of this committee in Music hall, February tenth, not only did her wide acquaintance amongst musical people, make it possible for her to choose the voices best fitted for the leading parts but the chorus has had the advantage of her skilled training for months and their work shows ability and finish. Frederic Kennedy, who is coaching and staging the production has had large experience and his interpretation of the part of Nanki-Poo, the hero, in the opera is greatly admired.

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Miss Grissa Baxter who came up from Hartford, the first of the week to assist in the observance of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Quincy Baxter, returned to Hartford Wednesday.

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Cards have reached from Mrs. Alice M. Carr and Miss Janette Carr of Thayer street who are on their way to Honolulu to visit Sidney T. Carr, who has been connected with the Hawaiian Electric Co., since leaving Quincy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vail of Buckway, New Brunswick are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fulton of Division street, Montclair.

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Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Minchin of Braintree who are spending their honeymoon in New York and Washington. Mrs. Minchin was Miss M. Dorothy Giles of South Quincy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon B. Hardwick and baby son left today for Weston, their home. They have been visiting Mr. Hardwicks parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hheodore Hardwick of Chestnut street for the last few months.

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Mr. and Mrs. Loomis of Brick house Presidents hill, new comers to the city, last year building at the corner of Dimmock street and Monroe road are moving into the Downes house on Goffe street, recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Ogden.

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The annual dramatics by the Quincy Women's club is an event that always brings out a large audience. For dramatic day this season on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 9th at Music hall the program committee has chosen a charming play of early Colonial days called "A Rose O'Plymouth Town," with Mrs. Willard Sheppard (Molly Brown) in the leading role. The club has granted unlimited guest privileges and it will be a pleasant way for club members to return a social obligation by inviting friends to enjoy with them "A Rose O'Plymouth Town."

On Monday Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution of Quincy is to observe its twentieth anniversary at the home of Miss Harriet Bailey Pierce, Granite street. Guests have been invited and special plans made for the meeting.

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Mrs. Frederick H. Steenstra of Hancock street, Wollaston has been in Mauch Chunk, Penn., this week the guest of her parents Rev. and Mrs. Roberts.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dewitt of Freeman street were week end guests of relatives in Bridgewater.

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The engagement of Miss Doris A. Chase of Botolph street, Atlantic and Mr. Frank Daette of Worcester has been announced, the wedding to take place in the near future.

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Miss Catherine Saville was the soloist Monday afternoon at a meeting of Susannah Tufts Chapter D. A. R. of Weymouth at the home of Mrs. C. T. Crane, Quincy avenue. There was a reception to the state officers of the society followed by music. It was one of the most enjoyable meetings of the season.

☞The Valentine dancing party for young people, an annual event for the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery is to be held the afternoon of Feb. 13 at Alpha hall. Mrs. John H. Johnson is the committee of arrangements. The following are to assist as ushers:—Carl Pfaffmann, Wellington Glover, William B. Rice, Benjamin Rice, Billy Doble, Richard Barber, Walter Barber, Percy Ela, Harold Hall, Sidney Hardwick , Jr., Joseph Dasha, John Brown Jr., Joseph Powell Jr., Otis Angier, Rogers Burgin, Tom Burgin, Philip Murphy, Edward Miller Jr., Jack Wentworth, Fredrick Cheever Jr., George Simmons, Roydon Burke, Horton Page, Norman Hall, Henry H. Faxon, Robert Stone, Franklin Streeter, Joseph Barber, Jr., Harold Seavey, Malcolm T. Anthony, William Nickerson, Jr., Stacey Nickerson, Thomas Barstow and Richard Blackmur.

MEN'S CLUB GIVE FINE CONCERT

Enjoyable Program at Wollaston School Hall

A concert of unusual musical excellence was held, Friday evening, in Wollaston School hall under the auspices of the Methodist Men's club, when a group of talented artists from Providence and Boston rendered a fine program. The contributing artists were George M. Potter, of Providence, pianist; Mrs. Madeleine Woodward Potter, Providence, soprano; James King, of Providence, baritone and Miss Erdine Cowlishaw of Boston reader.

The program opened with the prologue from Leoncaveilo's "Pagliacci" sung in excellent voice by Mr. King who contributed an encore "Why not tonight?" He was well received in all his numbers and his other selections included: "My old shako" by Trotere and "My true love hath my heart" by Marzials sung in duet with Mrs. Potter.

An especially pleasing artiste was Mrs. Potter who received an ovation upon her first appearance. "Chanson Provencale" was a tripping selection well suited to her voice and other numbers included "Where the four-leafed clovers grow," "Rose in the bud" by Forster and "Waiting" by Millard.

Miss Cowlishaw had a very attractive presence and her reading proved very dramatic and humorous. The first including the last scene from "Strongheart" showed a deep appreciation of the various natures involved. Her second offering "A proposal under difficulties" by John Kendricks Bangs had many mirth provoking situations. Other readings were "The baby" "Mud pies" and an Irish fable "The little red hin."

Mr. Potter proved an excellent accompanist as well as soloist and his fingering was much appreciated by the audience. Liszt's "Rhapsody No 6" concluded the program. Among his other offerings were "Sonata opus 13" by Beethoven, "Nocturne in C minor" by Chopin and Hungarian dance" by Brahms-Philipp.

BEAT DORCHESTER GIRLS.

The Quincy Girls' bowling five came into their own Friday night by beating the Dorchester Girls, 4 to 0. The total was 1102 to 1006. The string:

Quincy	360	359	383	1102
Dorchester	335	333	338	1006

CARTRIDGE MAKER HAS CASE FILED

Commissioner O'Keefe Assures Court, Jones Did Not Realize Offence

DEFENDANT PLEADS GUILY

Lewis H. Jones, in whose house at Norfolk Downs cartridges were manufactured and who was arrested for keeping cartridges in a building without a license was given a hearing before Judge Avery Friday. Atty. J. J. McAnarney represented Fire Hazard Commissioner O'Keefe. Jones entered a plea of guilty. Mr. McAnarney said that the commissioner had investigated the case and felt assured that Jones had no intention of violating the law and he recommended that the case be placed on file. This the court ordered. It seems that Jones received a small salary from the Iver Johnson Co., by whom he was employed, and in order to eke out his income asked the firm to allow him to make up some of the cartridges at his home.

ENJOY PARTY.

A private party was given at the home of Mrs. Harding at 34 Payne street Friday evening under the direction of a committee composed of Marie MacLean, Isabelle Rogers and Elmer Harding. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening's festivities.

Those present were Corporal John MacLean, Co. 2, C. A. C., the Misses Grace Thorne, Helen Thorne, Georgianna Sheppard, Annie Josephine, Amelia Chisholm, Caroline McCormick, Annie Fitzpatrick, Florence Steele, Isabelle Rogers, Maria MacLean, Bessie Robertson, Josephine Fontoni, Marion Darrell, Annie Hagerty, John Curry, Walter Curry, John Swain, Fred Rogers, Carl Johnson, Fred Carson, Lawrence MacIntosh Joseph Augaro, William Watson, James Bisson, John Harkins, Randolph Jacobson, John Brown, Henry Farquharson, William MacKinnon Charles Ross, Harry Harding, Stanley Harding, Ernest Robertson, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Harding.

D. OF V. HOLD SERVICES.

Funeral of Mrs. Edna French Held Friday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mrs. Edna French, wife of William French, commander of the Sons of Veterans, was held Friday afternoon from her home on Independence avenue. The ritual of the Daughters of Veterans, of which the deceased was a member of the local tent, of which her mother, Mrs. Annie G. Grignon is president, was read by Senior Vice Commander Mrs. Mae Berry. Delegations from Rebecca Wiswell tent, D. of V. and Col Abner Packard camp, S. of V. were present, the latter being represented by four pall bearers. There was a profusion of floral remembrances. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

PLAY NURSERY GAMES.

St. Mary's Guild Hold Enjoyable Social.

St. Mary's Guild held one of its most enjoyable socials Friday evening at the home of its president, Mrs. Stephen B. Little, Crescent street. Members of the entertainment committee presented a series of tableaux which were received with much favor. A one act playlet entitled "The Trials of a Bachelor" was given under the direction of Miss Annie McGilvray. The latter part of the evening was given over to nursery games. Refreshments were served by Mrs. William Callahan of the hospitality committee.

COHAN—ROWZEE.

Jeremiah G. Cohan of 9 Watson terrace a steamfitter, and Martha N. Rowzee of Boston, were married in that city Jan. 14 by George M. Young, Esq. The return was filed with City Clerk Crane this morning.

☞In these days, wise parents are alive to the importance of choosing the best things, the most elevating and refining for their children. The story of Pollyanna to be given Feb. 12 afternoon and evening in Bethany chapel is cheery, homey and altogether delightful for both old and young.

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

Dr. J. H. Cook who has offices in Braintree is about to open an office in South Quincy.

A regular conclave of the Bethany Castle, Knights of King Arthur was held Friday evening.

Mrs. George Vibert of 40 Phillips street is able to be out again after a two weeks illness.

Friends of James Morrison of 40 Spear street will be pleased to hear of his speedy recovery from an operation at Riverbank Hospital, Boston.

Abigail Adams Lodge, No 11 I. C. of A. will hold a whist party Tuesday evening in Clan MacGregor hall.

A meeting of the Bethany church council was held Friday evening at which a number of matters pertaining to the welfare of the church were discussed.

W. F. Davy conducted the prayer meeting in Memorial church Thursday evening in the absence of the pastor who attended the installation service at the Finnish church of West Quincy. Mr. Davy explained the method of conducting a prayer meeting in England and tried to follow out the English style as nearly as possible.

The Catholic Mens Club of Atlantic under the leadership of John J. Cusick has developed into a strong factor for the social development of the Catholics of Atlantic. Mr. Cusick represents the aggressive type of Catholic and has already 125 men in the membership. The Rev. Father Cuff has been made honorary president, and is doing much in giving leadership to the activities of the organization. Mr. Cusick is developing the treasury of the club so that it will be able to do some important charitable and social work in the parish. At the next meeting to be held in Polands hall Feb. 12 the club will observe ladies night.

VESPER SERVICE.

Sunday afternoon at four o'clock there will be a most interesting vesper service in the Wollaston Congregational church. The music will be by the Schumann Male Quartet, and Mrs. Frances Titefsky, soprano soloist.

Rev. Dr. Sneath will speak his theme being "The Rosary," and Nevins beautiful song of the same title will be one of the numbers given by the quartet. The program:

Organ Voluntary
"The Lord is God" Trowbridge
Quartet
Responsive Reading
Hymn
"Grass and Roses" Bartlett
Tenor Solo, Flute Obligato
Carl D. Hopkins.
Prayer
"Now the Day is Over," Barnby
Quartet
Offertory
Soprano Solo Selected
Mrs. Frances Titefsky
Hymn
"The Rosary" Nevin
Quartet.
Address: "The Rosary."
Rev. Dr. Sneath.
"The Lord is my Shepherd" Koschat
Quartet

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MISS MILDRED HUSTON OVERSEER OF POOR

For First Time in History of City Woman Occupies the Office

Mayor Campbell Says He Believes Her Naturally Fitted For Duties

Miss Mildred Gray Huston was born in Quincy and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Huston, her mother also having been born in this city. She has always made her home here. She received her education in the public schools of the city and at the High school from which she graduated in the class of 1904. She then entered the Bryant & Stratton college from which she graduated in 1905. She entered the employ of the Dewey, Gould Co. wool dealers, with whom she remained several years, later she acted as private secretary for several firms.



MILDRED GRAY HUSTON.
(Photo by Sue Rice)

Four years ago she opened a public stenographer's office in Quincy which she still carries on. In 1911 she was appointed as clerk to the Board of Trade and upon the opening of the present court house in Quincy in 1912 she became the official court stenographer. At the same time she became an assistant in the office of the probation officer which training she will find of inestimable value in her new position. In addition to this she has recently been appointed as assistant to the clerk of the court.

Miss Huston is a young woman of pleasing personality and many who have the pleasure of her acquaintance say that her selection by the Mayor was a wise one. Miss Huston says that she will not give up her public stenography work but will employ two assistants to assist her.

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For such reasons the speaker went on to say, "because he does picture Scotland's pride and glory, the Scottish people rise in all the world rise to honor him and to sing with him those lines of aspiration from the "Cotters Saturday Night"—

O Scotia, my dear, my native soil,
For here my sweetest wish to heaven is sent,
Long may thy sturdy sons of rustic toil
Be blest with health and peace and sweet content.

The supper was served by Carrol D. Whittemore and music for dancing was by Provost's orchestra.

The officers of the dance were

Floor Director, Walter S. Nicol; Floor Directress, Lizzie S. Grassick; Aids: T. Howard Johnston, Sylvester J. Nicol, John A. Clark, Robert Grassick, Katherine Williams, Margaret Mundie, Margaret Allen, Effie Scarborough; Reception Committee—William Cantlay, Mrs. Margaret Ross; Committee of arrangements, William Cantlay, chairman, Angus D. Martin, Charles C. Nicol, Thomas Johnston, James M. Birnie, John A. Clark, Alex Mayer, David McIntosh, John Sinclair, Hugh Anderson, Walter S. Nicol, George Mearns, Alex Mundie, Jr., Margaret Ross, Bella Grasgick, Bella Ross, Christina McLennan, Effie Scarborough, Margaret Mundie, Margaret Hall, Margaret Allen, Mary A. Cowe, Katie Williams, Elizabeth Grass, Henrietta Marr, Angus Kerr, secretary of Committee.

..... CASE DISMISSED.

The continued case of Samuel Sawaya, who was arrested on suspicion of having set fire to the block on Washington street in which his restaurant is located, come up in court this morning and was dismissed. The government admitted there was no evidence against the man.

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Mrs. A. I. Davis, the coach, deserves much credit. The entire cast showed finished training both in their stage positions and in their intelligent interpretation of the various parts of the farce. And it was a farce, which kept the capacity audience laughing and applauding for two hours.

The scene of the play is in a hotel in the Catskills, and the plot is centered around a will leaving money to a young woman named Jane if she marries one Benjamin Moore. Of course Jane has a lover who follows her to the hotel where her uncle has taken her to force her to meet and marry Benjamin. Now uncle William has a secret love affair with a gay actress, called Kitty and the lover Bert discovers it and masquerades as Kitty.

Uncle William has an old-maid sister, also called Jane, who promises him money if he get her a husband. An agency to supply husbands promises to send the husband. Benjamin arrives and is mistaken for the agency man. Things are badly involved before the real Kitty arrives and after she comes the complications and funny situations are indescribable.

Edward Dow as Uncle William was capital. He was a suave, angelic old hypocrite until the false Kitty arrived, then he was a nervous, scheming old lover, and at the arrival of the real Kitty he was a terrified, helpless old coward. The part called for ability and the right man had the part.

Bruce Saville made a splendid Bert, and incidentally a very handsome girl as the false Kitty. His voice was completely under control. It quivered during his earnest pleadings as the lover, it thundered at the uncle, and it had the high pitched quality of a woman's, as Kitty. His acting was natural and easy.

Harry Sutton caused many good, hearty laughs as the colored bell boy, and was often deservedly applauded.

Everett Rhodes as poor, silly Benjamin Moore was excellent. His make-up, his actions, his walk, his voice, even his pearl gray spats bespoke his character.

Curtis Arnold of Braintree took the part of "Ting," the temporary hotel proprietor, and he made good.

Miss Beatrice Morrison was a lovely and loveable Jane, and made her character true to life.

Miss Ella Packard as Jane the elder, was the simpering, silly spinster to perfection. She was applauded every time she left the stage. Her makeup and costumes were truly a wonder to behold.

Miss Ethel Hersey was the real Kitty. She was extremely good, with her gay nonchalance, fiery spirit and slang.

Miss Marie Shenkelberger had little to say but made a pretty, demure Suzette, the maid.

A real treat was given between the acts when Miss Catherine Saville sang two songs and two encores. She sang beautifully. She has a clear, true voice, powerful but trained to give the sweet light tones called for by one of her selections. She was ably accompanied on the piano by Mrs. John L. Evans.

OBSERVE FIRST ANNIVERSARY

The Quincy lodge of the Skandinavian Brotherhood of America observed its first anniversary at John Ericson hall Friday evening. There was a large attendance from Brockton and Boston. The program was varied and concluded with dancing. Refreshments were served. Among those present were John Olson and Swen Johnson, both of Brockton, who gave short speeches.

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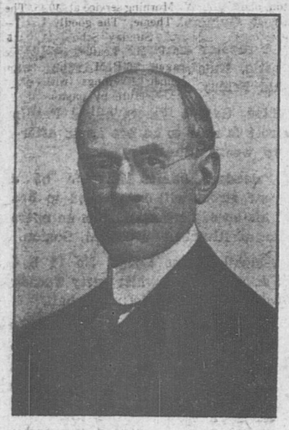
JOHN J. O'HARA

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by Mayor Shea when he came into office and served for four years

CITY CLERK CRANE.

The office of the city clerk would look unfamiliar to one who frequently visits the office if he did not see the



EMERY L. CRANE.

ever smiling face of Emery L. Crane, and it is no surprise to the citizens that he has been reappointed. Mr. Crane was born in Quincy June 29, 1861, and was educated in the public schools and at the Adams Academy. Leaving school he entered the leather house of Converse, Stanwood & Co., of Boston, afterward Emery & Crane, where he remained for some years. During the year 1911 he was employed at the Fore River shipyard in the purchasing department.

He served as a member of the board of trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library for five years having been first appointed by Mayor Porter. He also served as a member of the School Committee for six years four of which were as chairman.

He is a past Master of Rural lodge of Masons and has been the secretary of the Quincy Historical society for several years.

SOLICITOR PINKHAM.

Walter S. Pinkham, reappointed as city solicitor is almost too well known to need any introduction to the people of Quincy, for he has served the city as a member of the city council for a number of years, a part of the time as its president. He also served on some of the administrative boards. Mr. Pinkham was born in Cambridgeport, Aug. 21, 1865, coming to Wollaston in the spring of 1870. He received his education in the public schools of Quincy, the Adams Academy and Harvard, graduating in 1887 as a P. B. K. man. He then entered the Harvard law school and in 1890 he received the degree of A. M. and L. L. B. That year he was admitted to practice.



WALTER S. PINKHAM
City Solicitor

His first public position was as a member of the city council from Ward Five serving in the years 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899. During the year 1898 he presided over the deliberations of the city council. After a lapse of several years he again entered the city council of 1907, serving one year.

During his seven years in the city council he served on practically all of the standing committees of that body. He is a past Master of Wollaston Masonic lodge and the present District Deputy Grand Master of the 26th Masonic district. He is also a member of St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter and Quincy Commandery, Knights Templar.

CITY ENGINEER SARGENT.

Ezekiel C. Sargent, reappointed as city engineer is one of those men who is eminently qualified for the position and it would have been hard for mayor Campbell to have selected a more efficient official. He was born in Concord, N. H., Aug. 7, 1874, but has always considered himself as a native of Quincy.

He is the son of Walter C. Sargent grandson of Ezekiel C. Sargent, both of whom were engaged for many years in the granite business in Quincy and Concord. He was educated in the public schools of Concord, N. H., Montpelier, Vt., and Monson, Mass. On the death of his father in 1890 his family returned to Quincy when he entered Adams Academy from which he was graduated in 1893. The same year he entered the Institute of Technology where he remained until 1896.

That year the city began the construction of its sewerage system and he entered the employ of the city as a transitman and has been in the employ of the city continuously since. From 1896 to 1900 he was connected with the sewer department and from 1900 with the engineering department. He was appointed as city engineer in 1909.

He is a member of Rural Masonic lodge, St. Stephen's Royal Arch chapter, and the Boston society of civil engineers.

CHIEF BILLINGS.

It is no surprise that Chief Engineer Faxon Billings has been selected to succeed himself. The chief is a Quincy boy having been born May 28, 1866. He has been a member of the fire department for 21 years, five of which were as a call man and 16 as a permanent man. For the past 12 years he has been the captain at the station of Combination 2 at Atlantic. He served for five years as a member of Co. K 5th regiment when that company was located at Braintree, and for nine years as a member of Troup D of the Roxbury Horse Guards, during a part of which time he was riding instructor of the troop. He retired from the troop with the rank of sergeant.

He has always taken a deep interest in fire department matters and it is stated that during his days off it has been his custom to spend the day at some station of the Boston fire department getting points, and on account of his interest had a pass which permitted him inside the lines at a Boston fire and also to ride on the apparatus responding to alarms.



FAXON BILLINGS
Chief Fire Dept

CITY PHYSICIAN BARTLETT.

Dr. F. A. Bartlett, reappointed city physician, has been a resident of Norfolk Downs since 1909. Dr. Bartlett was born in Warren, N. H., in 1881 and was educated in the public schools of his native town and at the High school. He then entered Tufts Medical school from which he graduated in 1907. He then entered the Maine State Hospital at Portland, from which he graduated in 1908. He came to Boston and entered the Children's Hospital where he remained until 1909. During this same year he was connected with the Boston City Hospital Relief station. Since 1909 he has practiced in Quincy and he is at present on the staff of the Quincy City Hospital.

He is a member of the Massachusetts Medical society, the Children's Hospital alumni. He is also a member of Wollaston Masonic lodge.

THE ASSESSORS.

John J. O'Hara is transferred from the tax collector's office to the chairmanship of the board of assessors.



ASSESOR O'HARA.

His first appointment was by ex-Mayor Shea in 1910 to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Timothy J. Carey, who resigned to accept a position on the State Board of Charity.

Mr. O'Hara is a Quincy boy and was born Oct. 4, 1880, receiving his early education at the Washington school and Adams Academy. While at the Adams Academy he was much interested in athletic sports and was the star man in the three standing jumps. He also played on the third bag for the Academy ball team. Leaving Adams Academy he entered Boston college where he was graduated with an A. B. He entered the Georgetown University at Washington, D. C., attending the law school of that university from which he graduated in 1904 later being admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

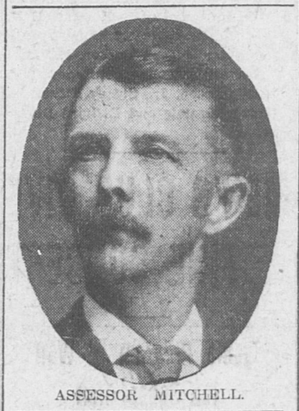
In 1907 he was elected as a member of the School Committee from Ward Two serving three years.

He is a member of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, Quincy lodge of Elks, and of the Boston college and Georgetown University alumni associations.

WELLINGTON W. MITCHELL.

Who will succeed Mr. Bergfors, on the Board of Assessors is one of the best known citizens of Quincy. He is a son of the late Chester Mitchell who in 1848 founded the Mitchell Granite Co. which was for many years one of the leading granite firms of the city. Assessor Mitchell was born in Dalton, in 1853 but has been a resident of Quincy since a boy. He received his early education in the public schools of Quincy afterwards attending Wesley academy. After leaving school he entered business with his father and he has been interested in the granite business ever since. He is a man well and favorably known in Quincy and his appointment will give general satisfaction.

He was for many years a member of the Board of Managers of Public Burial places having first been appointed in 1907 and served as clerk of the board until 1911 when he resigned to accept an appointment by Mayor Shea as an assessor. He



ASSESSOR MITCHELL.

served one year under Mayor Shea and two years under Mayor Stone and was removed by Mayor Miller when he swept City Hall a year ago.

CHARLES R. SHERMAN.

Whose term expires Monday as a member of the Board of Assessors and who is reappointed is a man who has seen many years of service in the city. He was a member of the City Council in the years 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893 during which time he served on all of the important committees. He was one of the original advocates for the municipal ownership of the water works and also strongly advocated the establishment of a sewerage system both of which he saw carried out. He also at various times served as an assistant assessor during the early years of the city, and also served for many years as an election officer. His business is that of real estate and insurance and he has had many years experience in this line. He was also one of the authors of the city charter, which even now is considered one of the most model in the state and was an earnest advocate of changing the form of government from a town to a city.

He was born in Fall River in 1845 where he obtained his early education. In early life he followed various occupations such as tailoring, telegraphing, post office clerk and drug clerk and from 1870 up to the early nineties he was a member of the firm of John H. Pray Sons & Co. He then became resident manager of the Wollaston Land Co. and was largely instrumental in the development of Wollaston, where he settled in 1871.

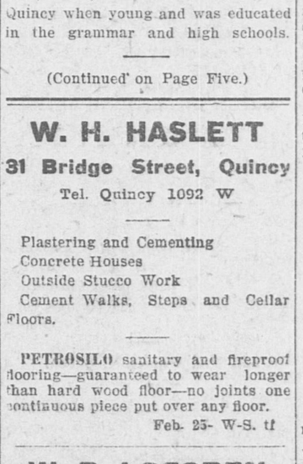
INSPECTOR THOMAS.

George E. Thomas who has been appointed as Inspector of Buildings to succeed Lora C. Merrill, is a well known Wollaston builder. He was born in Nova Scotia in 1851 and came to Massachusetts at the age of 19 years and to Quincy in 1876 where he has since resided. He joined the fire department in 1883 and has since been a member of the department being attached to the Wollaston station He at one time served as an assistant engineer and for many years has been foreman of the Hose Co. He was educated in the schools of Framingham, after which he mastered the carpenters trade which he has since followed. He has built many buildings in Wollaston and Quincy also several public buildings among which were Brasee's block in Wollaston, St. Chrysostom's church, and the Y. M. C. A. building at Quincy. He is prominently identified with the Wollaston Baptist church.

DOCK COMMISSIONER.

The occupant of the office with the longest name, Commissioner of Water Front, Water Ways and Navigation, and the smallest salary, nothing, again goes to Frank Fessenden Crane.

Mr. Crane was born in South Boston in 1855 and came to Quincy in 1863. Here he obtained his education leaving the Quincy High school to enter the employ of Abram French Co. as a salesman with whom he remained until 1878, when he bought a half interest in the furniture business of the late Samuel H. Spear, which firm continued until Mr. Spear was appointed postmaster under President Cleveland, when he retired from the firm which Mr. Crane continued, until his real estate business became so large that he was obliged to drop the furniture business. Many real estate deals have been put through by Mr. Crane the most notable of which was in 1899 when he acquired the water front at Quincy Neck and induced Thomas A. Watson and Frank O. Wellington to locate the Fore River Ship Building Co., in the City of Quincy.



FRANK F. CRANE.

He is an enthusiastic yachtsman. He joined the Quincy Yacht club in 1880 and has served as its vice commodore, commodore and rear commodore.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

George E. Pfaffmann appointed as chairman of the board of Park Commissioners returns to the office he held in all 14 years. He was one of those dropped by Mayor Miller.

Mr. Pfaffmann was born in Marshfield, Mass., in 1865. He came to Quincy when young and was educated in the grammar and high schools.

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To Annie L. Newhall, Alice E. Thayer, Angus McArthur, William Nygren and Mary S. Barnard of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Peter S. Antoon and Simon S. Antoon of said Quincy, to register and confirm their title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Washington Street in that part of said Quincy, known as Quincy Point, being lots numbered three (3), four (4) and five (5), as shown on plan of lots at Quincy Park, dated Oct. 10, 1895, made by McClintock & Field, Surveyors, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds Plan book 17, Plan 795, bounded and described as follows:—

Northeasterly by said Washington street, there measuring sixty (60) feet; Southeasterly by lot No. 2 on said plan, there measuring one hundred twenty-five and 57-100 (125.57) feet; Southwesterly by lots No. 14, 15, 16, and 17 on said plan, there measuring sixty and 9-100 (60.09) feet; and Northwesterly by lot No. 6 on said plan, there measuring about one hundred twenty-nine and 69-100 (129.69) feet. Containing according to said plan 7658 square feet of land more or less.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen.

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Mr. Pfaffmann first entered the wholesale millinery business, he later turned to that of dye-stuffs and chemicals and is now doing an extensive business as a manufacturing chemist with office and salesrooms on Summer street, Boston and factory at South Boston.

BOARD OF SURVEY.

This is another new Board which was created by a special act of the legislature in 1914 and later accepted by the city council and the honor of being the first chairman of the board has been bestowed upon ex-Councilman Charles L. Gilliatt. He served for three years as a member of the committee on streets of the council and in 1914 as the chairman of this important committee. He is a well known Wollaston business man being president and general manager of the Norfolk Iron works.

Mr. Gilliatt was born in Digby, Nova Scotia, in 1874. At the age of 16 years he went to Worcester to learn the trade in the ornamental iron business. Here he was employed by three different firms, at one time being superintendent for the firm with whom he learned the business. In 1901 he associated himself with the A. B. Robbins Co., and is at present its president and general manager. He is a member of the Wollaston Yacht club, the Park and Downs Men's club, Quincy Commandery K. T. Order of the Eastern Star and of the Master Builders' Association and the New England Iron League.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Dr. Harold Diehl, one of the three appointed to the Board of Health is the youngest male appointee of Mayor Campbell.

He was born in Easton, Pa., 29 years ago. After attending the grammar and high schools of that city he entered Lafayette college and received an A. B. degree there in 1907 and graduated from Boston University Medical school in 1911. He was registered a practicing physician that year. During his last year at medical school he was an interne at the Massachusetts General Hospital and for two years was connected with the pathological department of that institution under Dr. Waters. After graduation he served a full year as house physician at the Newton Hospital, Newton. At present he is a member of the medical staff of the Quincy City Hospital, secretary of the Boston District of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic Medical society, and a member of the obstetrical staff of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital of Boston. He is also a member of the Massachusetts Surgical and Gynecological society, and a director of the Quincy Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Diehl came to Quincy in 1912 as the successor of the late Dr. Henry C. Hallowell. Last June he claimed Helene M. Thayer of Arlington as his bride and with her resides at 1241 Hancock street.

WILLIAM H. BUCHAN.

Walter H. Buchan, chairman of the Board of Health is a resident of Houghs Neck and is most actively interested in the welfare of that section.

He was born in Westford, Aug. 22, 1876. When a boy his parents moved to Hyde Park. As a young man he learned the printers trade in the office of the Norfolk County Gazette published in Hyde Park by Samuel L Mosely, postmaster of the town. He went from there to the Norwood Press at Norwood where he was employed for 11 years. Three years ago he became connected with the Boston Globe as a linotype man.

Mr. Buchan is married and has lived in Houghs Neck the past seven years. He is president of the Houghs Neck Associates, a member of the Order of Scottish Clans, Boston Cale-



WILLIAM H. BUCHAN.

donian Club, Scottish Border Club Scottish Charitable Society and the Boston Typographical Society.

THOMAS A. L. MUSGRAVE.

The only member of the Board of Health who is retained in office is a native of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, where he was born in 1879. He came to America nine years ago and has since been engaged in the clothing business up to a few months ago when he entered the laundry business. He was for a number of years a member of the Monarch Clothing Co. He is a member of Wollaston Masonic lodge St. Stephen's Royal Arch Chapter and Quincy Commandery.

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BRIEFS

Miss Laura Rogers of Webster street has been confined to her home with an attack of tonsillitis.

Miss Bernice Everett of Elm avenue has been appointed a teacher at the Malden High school.

Miss Edith Roubound violinist is to play at the services Sunday afternoon at the Universalist church.

Members of Sons of Veterans Auxiliary No. 3 enjoyed a theatre party Thursday afternoon at the Castle Square Theatre, Boston.

Dr. Harold E. Marsh has been appointed House Officer in the surgical service of the Massachusetts General Hospital, for a term of two years.

Howard Dyer of Appleton street returned Thursday evening from a business trip to Chicago and Cincinnati.

Fifteen received full membership last Sunday evening at the communion service at the First United Presbyterian church.

Rev. Sampson Nicholls of Atlantic has been supplying the pulpit of the Neponset Congregational church the past two Sundays.

Rev. William Grainger the new rector at Christ church, is to move from Canton early next week and hopes to be settled in the rectory by Wednesday.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Howard D. Fowler, branch secretary of St. Chrysostom's Girls Friendly society the affair to have been given by them Tuesday evening has been indefinitely postponed.

The Atlantic Shakespeare Society met at the home of Mrs. Walter A. Jackson, Thursday afternoon. The fourth act of Henry Fourth was taken up for study. Mrs. B. Frank Thomas was chairman of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Thomas of South street and Albert L. Barbour of Linden place represented Christ church at the reception and dedication of the new parish house of St. Chrysostoms church Wollaston Thursday evening.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. holds its regular monthly meeting Friday Feb. 5 at the home of Mrs. Edward S. Tenney, 115 Prospect avenue. The speaker will be Mrs. Frederick R. Morgan, subject "Penal and reformatory work."

The Walther Men's Class meets Sunday at 12.15 in the Wollaston Baptist church. Rev. Joseph Walther will lead the discussion, subject "Lessons from the Life of Samson." Large chorus of men's voices. All men are invited to join this strong and growing class.

The choir of the Methodist church (colored) of Boston is to give a concert at the Atlantic Methodist church Feb. 12. The choir is composed of excellent singers and many southern melodies will be given. It will be under the auspices of the ladies circle of the church.

The Quincy Woman's Christian Temperance Union hold its next meeting Friday Feb. 5 at 2.30 P. M. with Mrs. Charles A. Spear of 166 Washington street. The state president Mrs. K. L. Stevenson is to be present. An interesting program has been arranged and it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

SUNDAY SERVICES

A new announcement of services is required each week. No notices accepted to run indefinitely. When possible the subject of sermon should be given, also special services. Generous space will be given in the news columns for church news, music and week day gatherings.

FIRST PARISH IN QUINCY (Unitarian)—City Square. Rev. Adelbert Lathrop Hudson, minister. Residence, Miller Stile Inn. Tel. 21072; office hours at church 9 to 12 A. M. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Tel. 1290. Morning service at 10.30. Subject of sermon by the minister: "Building a Home City." Sunday School at 12 M. Miss Minnie Packard, Supt.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Junction Hancock and Chestnut streets. Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, Pastor. Morning Service at 10.30. Message by the pastor. Subject: "A Progressive Revelation." Bible School at 12, classes for all ages. Christian Endeavor at 6. 7.30 Pleasant Sunday evening service. Lecture by the pastor, "John Wesley and the Great Revival." At 10.30 there will be a class in the Ladies' parlor for Beginners whose parents wish to attend morning worship.

ASSOCIATED BIBLE STUDENTS (undenominational) Hancock Hall, Hancock Building Quincy Centre. Free Bible Lecture Sunday at 3 P. M. for the public, speaker: H. S. Cox of Boston. Topic: "A Ransom for All." All are cordially invited. Seats free. No Collection

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Quincy, Alpha Hall, cor. Hancock street and Cottage ave. Morning service and Sunday School at 10.45. Subject: "Love." Golden Text: "Behold I have graven thee upon the palms of my hands." Wednesday 7.45 P. M. a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open from 3 to 5 P. M week days, Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M. holidays excepted. Also Wednesday evening before and after services.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH—Electa Hall Johnson building, Hancock street, Quincy Meeting at 7.30 P. M. Mrs. S. V. Odiorne conductor. Mrs. Mabel Page from Swampscott, speaker and message bearer. Mrs. Odiorne and others will take part.

WASHINGTON STREET—CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Quincy Point, Rev. Stephen C. Lang pastor. 10.45 Morning Worship. Subject of sermon; "A King's Conscience." Mark 6:16. 19, Bible school and Young Men's Class. 6.30 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. Special speaker on Missionary Work, Mr James C. Manry, Asst. Graduate Secretary Student Volunteer, Harvard College. 7.30 P. M. Stereopticon lecture "Child Life of the World."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Washington Street, Quincy. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor; Residence 82 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain. Telephone Jamaica 1950. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Preaching by the pastor at 3 P. M. Theme: "The Gospel in the Life of Today." Y. P. C. U. at 4:15.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL—Quincy corner Elm street and Quincy avenue. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10.45. Evening prayer at 7.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Franklin street, Rev. C. C. Tilley, Pastor. Residence 26 Richie Road. Preaching Service at 10.30 A. M. Subject; "Not a Model but an Example." Sunday School at 11.45. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. Subject: "Foreign Mission Opportunities the World Around." Acts 16:6-18. Leader, Alice Tilley. Evening Service at 7. Subject: "The Gay Deceiver." Regular prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7.30.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner of School and Pleasant streets. Rev. D. B McLeod, M. A., pastor. Residence 40 Bradford st Preaching by the pastor at 10.30. and 7.30. Sabbath school and Bible class 11.45. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30.

ST. PAUL'S SWEDISH M. E. Church—Corner Granite and Fort Streets Quincy, Rev. A. E. Hillman, pastor. Residence 121 Glendale Road Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Classes for all ages. Young People's class led by the pastor. Union evangelistic services in the Swedish Congregational church at 7 o'clock.

SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Brewers Cor. Rev. Paul Hallin, pastor Residence 101 Glendale Road, Sunday school 9.30 A. M. At 10.45 A. M. sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Only Name." At 7 P. M. union service at Swedish Congregational church.

HALL PLACE M. E. CHURCH—West Quincy Rev. P. S. Neldon, pastor, Residence, 12 Hall Place. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45. Epworth League devotional service at 6.00 P. M. Subject: "Evenings with great hymns." Leader, Mary Williams. Evening service at 7. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Junior League Monday at 4 P. M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hancock street, Wollaston— Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra, rector, residence, the rectory, 923 Hancock street. Holy Communion at 8. Morning prayer, Ante Communion and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. 6.30. Confirmation Instruction. 7.30, Evening prayer and address.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL — Corner Lincoln and Winthrop avenues, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., pastor. Res. No. 20 Marion street Tel. Quincy 1146 M. "The Children's Hour," at 10.45 A. M. Sunday, for children whose parents are attending morning service. L. Smalley, leader Morning Worship 10.45 sermon by the pastor. "Jesus the light of the World." Sunday School at 12.15. Mr. Charles A. Campbell, Supt. Men's Bible class led by Dr. Sneath. Women's Bible class led by Mrs. A. A. Lincoln. Kindergarten classes in charge of Mrs. Charles P. Hutchins Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.30. Topic: "A story about some Fishermen." Leader, Henry Blake. Vesper service at 4. Address by Dr. Sneath, "The Rosary." Christian Endeavor at 6. Topic: "Another chapter in the new Era in Asia." Leader, Mrs. I. W. Sneath. Thursday evening at 7.45 in the vestry the regular mid-week service led by Dr. Sneath. Topic "The Story of the Samaritan Woman—a study." John 4:1.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Cor. Prospect and Warren avenues, Rev. Joseph Walther pastor. Prayer meeting at 10.15 in Pinkham class room. Kindergarten for children whose parents are attending morning service at 10.45 in Primary Department room. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday School at 12.15 Elford L. Durgan, Supt. Lesson subject: "The Birth of Samson." Junior Endeavor, 3.30. Mrs. Joseph Walther, Supt. Subject: "A story about some Fishermen." Leader, Frances Smith. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Subject: "Foreign Mission Opportunities the World Around." Leader, Annie J. Flieger. Evening service at 7. The pastor will preach. Morning subject; "Some other fools." Evening subject: "Satan's Sidetracks."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Corner Beale and Farrington streets. "An House of Prayer for all People." Rev. Carl G. Horst, minister. Residence 39 Grand View avenue. Telephone Quincy 317-1 The church auditorium is equipped with earphones. Service of worship with sermon at 10.45 a. m. Kindergarten for children of three years old and over in the vestry in charge of Miss Catherine Reed at 10.45 A. M. Sunday School with classes for all at 12 m. Mrs. H. C. Needham of Brookline, Supt.

WOLLASTON METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. George Mervyn Bailey, pastor. Residence, 52 Brook Street Telephone, Quincy 892. 10.45 A. M. Divine worship with a short sermon. Theme: "The Note of Song in the Night of Darkness." 12 M. Sunday School, J. A. Sedgwick, Supt. Pastor in charge of men's class. 6 P. M. Epworth League Devotional service. Subject "Evenings with Great Hymns." Leader: Mervyn J. Bailey. 7 P. M. Pleasant Sunday evening service. The pastor will preach on the subject: "The Ebb Tide in Morals, or What Ails this Generation."

ATLANTIC M. E. CHURCH—corner Newbury avenue and Squantum Streets. Rev. E. C. Pollard, pastor. Residence 19 Wesley Street, Newton, phone 2467 W. Morning service at 10.45. The pastor will preach. Theme: "The goodly Land—go in and possess it." Sunday School at 12.15. Junior League at 3 P. M. Leader, Miss Alice Beal. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Miss Marion Green, Pres. Theme: "Evenings with great Hymns." 6 to 6.30 lecture by pastor on the Church Bible volumes. Rev. J. H. Armbrust of the Boston University will preach at 7 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Atlantic Rev. Thomas W. Davison, pastor. Morning service 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Theme: "The Acquisition of the Christian Life." Sunday School at 12.00 M. Junior Endeavor at 3.30. Senior Endeavor at 6. Evening service at 7 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH OF SQUANTUM—Rev. T. W. Davison, pastor. Sunday School exercises at 3 P. M. Preaching service at 4 P. M. Sermon by the pastor.

TWO IMPORTANT HEARINGS.

Two hearings in which Quincy is interested are scheduled to be held at the State house at 10.30 A. M., Monday in room 240. One of these hearings is on the bill for additional appropriation of $50,000 to complete the Furnace Brook Parkway from Wollaston beach to Hancock street, and the other to appropriate $3,500 for controlling the outlet to Sachem brook in the Quincy Shore Reservation.

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Witness James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. R. McCOOLE, Register.

3t Jan. 30-Feb. 1-8.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, JAN. 29, 1915. The committee on Joint Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in H 596, relative to voluntary associations; S 229, on service on voluntary associations; S 221, relative to the service of warrants and process for insane persons, dipsomaniacs, and others; H 975, on fraud in sale of real estate; S 257, to prohibit false description of where goods are made; S 260, on advertising real estate taken under execution at Room 227, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. C. Augustus Norwood, Chairman. Robert Robinson, Clerk of Committee. 3.30-1t

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The sale of Ledgers Friday night was by no means confined to city square, Atlantic, Wollaston, Norfolk Downs, West Quincy, South Quincy, Houghs Neck, Quincy Point, and indeed all corners of the city were visited by an automobile bearing huge bundles of papers, which were distributed to the newsdealers of the city.

The 10th Annual Smoke Talk of the Norwegian society will be held in Protection hall, Saturday evening February 13, 1915

BRIEFS

Friday evening St. Chrysostom's Sunday school is to give a supper in the parish house to be followed by an entertainment entitled "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works," and dancing.

Jay William Hudson, Ph. D., is to speak on "America's Message to Europe" at Wollaston school hall next Friday evening under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's club. The public is invited to attend.

For the benefit of Atlantic members of the Quincy Women's club Mrs. William F. Cummings of Clive street is assisting the custodian committee with the guest tickets for the club dramatics the afternoon of Feb. 9 at Quincy Music hall.

MRS. CATHERINE MORAN.

The funeral of Catherine Moran was held this morning at the church of St. Frances-by-the-Sea where Fr. John J. Casey of St. Johns parish celebrated a requiem mass. It was the first requiem mass ever celebrated at the church. The body was taken to New Calvary cemetery for burial. Mrs Moran was the widow of the late Capt. William Moran and formerly lived in South Boston. With her husband she made several trips around the world when he was sailing master of ships sailing from Boston.

INCREASING CIRCULATION

The Ledger has put a great many Ledgers in circulation this week and reached about 150,000 readers. Wednesday was big day with 30,000 readers and Friday next with 25,000 and today 25,000 or possibly more as the special edition of Friday night with the Mayor's appointments is exhausted. The appointments are republished in today's Ledger.

THEFT OF SUIT CASE.

Edwin R. Bond, 197 Summer street Weymouth, reported the theft of his suit case to the Quincy police Friday evening. Bond said he was a passenger on the train which reached Quincy at 5.22 and that his suit case was missing after an unknown man and woman left the car. A search for the couple was unsuccessful. Bond said clothing valued at $100 was in the case.

ROFFI—CELLUCCI.

Donato Roffi, 128 Liberty street, and Lucia Cellucci, 41 Brooks street, were married this morning at city hall by City Clerk Emery L. Crane.

Mayor Campbell was a witness to the ceremony. Both are well known among the South Quincy Italian residents and will make their home in that section

CHICKATAWBUT CLUB.

The Chickatawbut Social club met Friday evening at the home of William Sheehan on Crescent street. Games were enjoyed until a late hour. This club is planning to put a baseball team on the field this spring and will elect a captain and manager at the next meeting. The club hopes to get the best players in the district into the club and each member will endeavor to get at least one more. The meeting came to a close by all singing the popular songs of the day, after which a collation was served.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend to our many friends our heartfelt gratitude for their expressions of sympathy at our bereavement in the loss of our beloved husband and father, also for their beautiful floral tributes.

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ENRICO BARRAJA BACK IN BOSTON

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WILL RETURN IF CALLED

Enrico Barraja, prominent in musical circles in tis city, who went to Italy last summer to visit his home, returned last week.

Mr. Barraja, who has made his home in Quincy for the pass four years, went to Naples early in July intending to pass several months with his family in that city, and to return early in the fall. The outbreak of the war, brought about the mobilization of the Italian army for the defence of the frontier in order to protect the neutrality of the country. Mr. Barraja, although not called for active service, was required by the government, to hold himself in readiness for the call to the field, and so was not allowed to leave for America.

Influential friends used every effort to obtain a passport for him, in September, but in vain. Recently, however those efforts were renewed successfully and Mr. Barrajasailed from Naples on a steamship of the Holland-American line, temporarily plying between Italy and New York.

There were a large number of passengers aboard, among them many American women. When approaching the coast of Sardinia in the Mediterranean, the ship was stopped by a French warship, a party of officers and men boarded her, and her papers were examined and the ship searched. with the result that two Austrians, who were trying to escape to the United States were taken.

Later, near Gibraltar, the ship was again halted by a shot being fired across her bows by an English warship, and the same searching program gone through with. From Gibraltar, the ship proceeded without further adventure, and landed its passengers safely in New York, about ten days ago.

Mr. Barraja visited friends in Quincy Sunday and says he is happy to be once more in the United States, but holds himself in readiness to help Italy if she should need him later.

He will live in Boston for the present, where he will reopen his studio and resume his musical studies.

FR. OWENS CELEBRANT.

Fr. Michael J. Owens was the celebrant of the high mass of requiem at St. Johns church this morning in connection with the funeral of Margaret wife of Charles Dill, held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas V. Keating at 53 Upland road. The Gregorian chant was sung by the regular choir under the direction of John Mahon. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

"A Rose o' Plymouth Town" to be given Tuesday Feb. 9, by the Quincy Women's Club is a play that will delight everybody. The doors at Music hall are to be open 10 o'clock.

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F. F. Crane Represents Mayor at Hearing

Frank Fessenden Crane, represented Mayor Campbell Friday evening at a mass meeting of the citizens of Dorchester, held under the auspices of the Dorchester Board of Trade. Gov. Walsh and Mayor Curley of Boston were also present as well as the local representatives in the general court. The slogan of the evening was the Old Colony boulevard. A tunnel to Dorchester and a new bridge between Quincy and Neponset.

Frank Fessenden Crane, representing Mayor Campbell, said:

"I wish to express to you the sincere regret of his honor, Mayor Campbell of Quincy, in being unable to be with you this evening and convey to you personally his sentiment of approval and his spirit of Cooperation, with you in these three great projects of your district. He realizes the importance of more rapid transit facilities and also realizes what the immediate construction of the new boulevard would mean to the unemployed. In regard to the new bridge over the Neponset River he agrees with Mayor Curley that this great connecting link between our two cities should be an ornamental and attractive structure as well as a serviceable one."

Mayor Curley said he held a conference with Mayor Campbell of Quincy and the Park Commissioners in regard to Neponset bridge. He believed this bridge, a connecting link between two great cities, should be of a better type than could be built for one hundred thousand dollars. He advocated a bridge that would cost three hundred thousand.

Gov. Walsh sand: "Anybody who does not realize and appreciate conditions in this Commonwealth, so far as the unemployed are concerned, and does not feel an obligation to do something to relieve this condition, is unworthy of representing 3,500,000 of free, independent citizens of this Commonwealth.

ADVERTISE IN THE LEDGER.

AWARD MEDAL TO HON. R. A. SEARS

Boston Elevated's Decrease In Accidents Largely His Work

The Boston Elevated has been awarded the Anthony N. Brady gold medal for making the best record of any street railway in the United States in the promotion of safety and health of the public and its own employes during the year ending June 30, 1914. A replica in silver, to the member of the operating staff who has contributed most to the successful record of the company is awarded to Hon. Russell A. Sears, of this city, the general attorney of the road. The award to the Boston Elevated was made at the semi-annual meeting of the American Electric Railway Association in Washington Friday evening.

Mr. Sears' observations in investigating accident cases have led him to make suggestions which have been the means of preventing recurrence of many of the accidents. He therefore was the logical selection as the recipient of the silver medal.

The medals will be presented Feb. 10 at the meeting of the American Museum of Safety in New York.

The records of the Boston Elevated railway company submitted for the year ending June 30, 1914 show that there was not a derailment or collision with fatal results to a passenger or employee of the road in connection with its operation of the elevated trains. Two passengers committed suicide.

Five persons however were killed during that period, two of them being persons who fell from the cars while under the influence of liquor and two who fell while leaving cars that were in motion, and one who fell from the running board of an open car. Only eighteen persons other than passengers or employees died a result of accidents, and most of these were pedestrians who were struck by cars.

The Owattona Social club meets Monday evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Ross on Bennington street.

ARRANGE POOL TOURNAMENT

A match between Albert Josephine champion pool shark of South Quincy and Thomas Rogers the champion of West Quincy was arranged last evening. Mr. Josephine and Mr. Rogers met and decided they would play the best four out of seven games. Mr. Josephine won the toss and the first game will be played Tuesday evening at Wardwell's pool room. The backers of the two have for a long time back been arguing over which was the superior player. Manager Sullivan states that he has played Josephine against the best of his patrons and he has yet to see him defeated. Rogers has been playing pool ever since he could hold a cue having been tutored under the late "Hardy" Welsh when he was very young. Managers Pineo and Sullivan of the pool rooms have given a valuable trophy to be awarded to the winner. The second game will be played Thursday evening at Pineo's Emporium.

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